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## Hazelwood Rehabilitation Project continues community consultation

ENGIE Hazelwood will outline its plans for the upcoming fire season at its last community consultation session for the year in Morwell on Wednesday 15 November.

Senior managers will also give an overview of feedback from the Hazelwood Project's September community workshop which attracted more than 90 people who raised a range of questions and comments, particularly around rehabilitation and water.

Almost 200 people have been briefed on the Hazelwood Project in the last six weeks, with ENGIE staff hosting three smaller workshops on rehabilitation as well as information display stands at Mid Valley, Churchill and Moe.

ENGIE External Communications Manager – Latrobe Valley, Lauren Carey, said the feedback from the community was appreciated.

"It is important the community is kept informed of our progress and is also involved in the discussion," Ms Carey said. "We appreciate the opportunity to give an update on the Hazelwood Project as well as addressing comments and answering questions.

"Key themes from the last major session included rehabilitation of the Mine, in particular the final landform and any impact on water. These topics were also raised at the smaller workshops."

Ms Carey said each community engagement activity was intended to have a different purpose.

"Our aim is not for a 'tick the box' approach but to encourage timely, genuine and transparent two-way engagement with a clear purpose and meaningful participation."

The final public session for 2017 will be held at 5.30pm at the Italian Australian Club, 499-501 Princes Drive in Morwell. To RSVP attendance, contact [corporateaffairs@au.engie.com](mailto:corporateaffairs@au.engie.com) or ring 5135 5000.

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