AGENDA

SESSION 1 · DIALOGUE & ECONOMIC UPDATES	9.00am – 10.30am
9.00am **Welcome to Country**	Uncle Warren, Wonnarua Elder
9.05am **Welcome to the Community Forum**	Jessica Rouse
9.10am **Address from the Dialogue Chair**	John Watson
9.20am **Update on Dialogue Activities and Projects**	James Barben
9.35am **Dialogue Youth Advisory Group Panel**	
9.50am **Economic Outlook for the Upper Hunter**	Robin Griffin
Morning tea	10.30am – 11.00am
SESSION 2 · REGIONAL PLANNING	11.00am – 12.30pm
11.05am **Muswellbrook Council**	Mayor Jeff Drayton
11.20am **Singleton Council**	Mayor Sue Moore
11.35am **Federal Government: Net Zero Economy Authority**	Will Wallace
11.50am **NSW Government: Future Jobs & Investment Authority**	Julie Robertson
12.05pm **Panel Discussion and Audience Questions**	
Lunch	12.30pm – 1.30pm
SESSION 3 · MINE CLOSURE AND LAND REUSE	1.30pm – 3.00pm
1.30pm **Understanding Mine Closure**	Chris Cooper
2.00pm **Case Study: The journey to alternative post-mining land uses**	Ben Hopwood & Mitch Cronin
2.35pm **Open discussion** Attendees will discuss the Forum topics at their tables, share perspectives and raise other issues relevant to the Upper Hunter and the Dialogue.	
Event concludes	3.00pm