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Dear Mr Farmer

Planning Proposal (PP_2012_WOLLG_001_00) – Gleniffer Brae

I refer to the above planning proposal and note the deadline for completing the proposed amendment to the LEP is 24 February 2014. This follows a 12 month extension to the original deadline of 24 February 2013 to allow additional community consultation and further investigations.

As you are aware the Gateway process was developed to reduce timeframes for the completion of local environmental plans. It appears this planning proposal has 'stalled' and it may be appropriate to remove it from the LEP Tracking System until all parties have agreed on a desired outcome.

Can you please advise whether Council is currently in a position to finalise the planning proposal or, alternatively, Council may, under Section 58(4), wish to ask the Minister to determine that the matter not proceed.

Should you have any further questions in relation to this matter, please contact Louise Wells on 4224 9463.

Yours sincerely

Brett Whitworth
**General Manager
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