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The General Manager, Tweed Shire Council, P.O. Box 816, MURWILLUMBAH, NSW 2484

Dear Troy,

## Re: Gasfield Free Signs.

We wish to respond to the article in Issue No. 860 of the Tweed Link on the above subject. At our meeting on Monday night, members discussed this issue and voted unanimously that this association should oppose the erection of such a sign for the following reason.

Our members feel this could set a precedent for some other group to pressure Council on an issue they may have, and to also request that a sign or signs be erected around the Shire. Surely we have enough signs as it is to distract the motorist from driving safely.

However, we wish to make it clear that by our objection to these signs, it in no way should be assumed that our members either agree or disagree with the arguments on Coal Seam Gas (CSG). This subject has never been raised by any of our members so it is entirely up to each individual member to make up his or her own mind on this very complex subject.

Yours sincerely,

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PAT TATE Secretary

c.c. All Councillors