Dear YRA members.

As advised earlier, once the replies from the candidates for the 2015 Queensland State election became available, we would post them online. At this stage we are disappointed in that not all candidates have replied and that the replies received to date did not address all our area specific questions. To date we have not had any communication from the **FAMILY FIRST PARTY**, but responses of varying degrees from all the others. YRA have sent follow up emails to Mr Boothman (LNP), Mrs Melissa McMahon (ALP) and Mr Blair Brewster (PUP) requesting more detail and a reply to all our questions.

The full list of questions posed to each of the candidates has now been uploaded to both the YRA website (www.yatala.info) and the Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/yatala.busters, along the responses from each received in reply.

All YRA members are invited to provide us with their comments and feedback regarding the situation as they see it. Although the YRA Committee may not necessarily agree with the content, we see it as an opportunity to see what the rest of the community knows and thinks. The Link for comments is: http://www.yatala.info/members/index.html

To sum up the overall response from the FIVE (5) endorsed Party Candidates for the ALBERT Electorate, it seems to us that none of them have much idea of the serious situation of **Quarry Dust, Buffer Zones, Offensive Odours, etc.,** that the residents of Yatala, Ormeau and Norfolk are confronted with. Either that, or the health and well-being of residents in our area is not as important as light / medium / heavy industry being established here and the Quarries being allowed to expand.

As always, we have done our best to highlight the issues we all face right now. We recommend that everyone keep an eye on the website, as that is where any new information will be posted, and we wish you all the very best in trying to choose a candidate in this election who is actually likely to do a good job on our behalf!

Best regards,

Roslyn Burgess YRA Coordinator On behalf of the YRA Committee and YRA Members

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