

Liverpool Range



WIND FARM



Tilting towards the future.

At full build, the Liverpool Range Wind Farm will reduce Australia's carbon footprint by approximately 2.5 million tonnes every year, which is equivalent to approximately 814,000 cars off the road per year. The Project will supply enough power for up to 570,000 dwellings across NSW. With more clean, renewable energy powering the state, the Project will help drive down the cost of electricity, while bringing jobs and economic development to the region.

We are excited to let the community know that the Modification Application for the Project has been approved. This is a major Project milestone, and we are now working hard to prepare for construction of the Project.

This newsletter includes the following information:

- Project update
- Next steps
- Community update

COOLAH SHOPFRONT

Visit us at the Coolah Shopfront:
50 Binnia Street, Coolah.

Open Tuesday – Thursday,
8.30am – 4.30pm

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Project Update

Modification Application approved

Before we can start constructing the wind farm, we need approval from the NSW Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure (DPHI) and the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW).

Our Modification Application has now been approved by DPHI, and the amended development consent was granted on 23 October 2024. The amended development consent is available on the [NSW Major Projects Portal](#).

The key changes to the Project are:

- reduction in the maximum number of turbines from 267 to 185
- increase to the maximum blade tip height from 165m to 215m
- inclusion of the Temporary Workforce Accommodation facility within the site boundary, approximately 3km east of Coolah
- reduction in the size of the development corridor
- removal of Coolah Road from the Project.

Background

In September 2022, we submitted an application to modify State Significant Development Consent SSD-6696 to the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure (DPHI). The key change requested was to increase the height and reduce the maximum number of turbines.

In 2023, we amended this application to also include a Temporary Workforce Accommodation (TWA) facility, within the site boundary near Coolah. The TWA will accommodate staff during construction and reduce potential impacts on the availability of housing and rental accommodation in the local area.

We considered feedback received from the community and stakeholders through multiple public exhibition processes about the proposed changes.

In April 2024, we published two Submissions Reports summarising our response to this feedback. We also provided this feedback to DPHI.

The two Submission Reports and all supporting technical assessments are available on the [NSW Major Projects Portal](#).

You can learn more about the Modification Application by visiting our [website](#).

EPBC Approval (Public Environment Report)

The Commonwealth Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW) has determined that the Project will be assessed by Public Environment Report (PER) under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Act 1999 (EPBC Act).

A PER allows DCCEEW to understand:

- the project's potential impacts to matters of national environmental significance.
- the project's mitigation measures, which aim to avoid and minimise potential impacts.
- the project's proposed offsets to these impacts.

The draft PER was open for public comment from 22 May to 19 June 2024. Four submissions were received. Following our review of those submissions we have now updated the PER to include detailed responses to each relevant matter raised.

We have now submitted the final PER to DCCEEW for review and approval. We expect DCCEEW to make a decision on the PER in early 2025.

We will keep the community informed as the PER progresses through this final stage of the approvals process through updates to our webpage, this newsletter and updates to our Community Consultative Committee (CCC).

Central-West Orana REZ Access Tender

In May 2024, we applied to EnergyCo to connect to the Central-West Orana REZ (CWO REZ) transmission network.

This Access Tender gives successful applicants the right to connect to the network. Generators will pay access fees that include funds for community benefit and storage projects.

We will keep the community informed about the progress of this application.

Next Steps

Secondary consents

The conditions of our amended Development Consent include a requirement to prepare various management plans. Any approval granted under the EPBC Act will also require management plans to be prepared.

These plans cover:

- Biodiversity (including biosecurity management)
- Heritage
- Traffic
- Emergency and bushfire management
- Temporary workers accommodation camp management.

Work will soon commence to prepare these plans.

Procurement of a contractor

Planning for Project construction also includes selecting a principal contractor, who will deliver the civil and electrical works needed to build the wind farm.

We will provide further updates as we progress this process, and let the community know when we have selected a preferred contractor.

Before starting construction, we will host meet-the-contractor events to allow local businesses to find out how they can be involved in construction.

We encourage small or large business interested in supplying goods or services to the Project during construction or operation phases to sign up to our [Good and Services Register](#).



Community Update

Boys to the Bush

Tilt Renewables were proud supporters of the 'Boys to the Bush' program earlier this year.

This program provides an opportunity for Coolah Central School students to strengthen mateship and connection, whilst receiving mentoring from Boys to the Bush staff.

The students enjoyed outdoor activities, such as kayaking, hiking and fishing. They met with the local Royal Flying Doctor Service, and participated in volunteer work – while yarning about self-care, resilience and relationship-building along the way.

Congratulations to all students and staff involved in this great program!



Look who dropped into the shopfront!



Tilting towards the future.

We are invested in making that happen - for our investors, communities and everyone who works with us. Like our values say: we are people powered; we get things done; and, above all, we lead. Join us as we drive the transition to renewables.

Questions?

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