

TARONG WEST WIND FARM

Newsletter 16

In planning for Australia's clean energy future, RES acknowledges its rich history. We pay our respects to the Auburn Hawkwood People Aboriginal Coporation and the Wakka Wakka Native Title Aboriginal Corporation as the Registered Native Title Body Corporates of the Country on which the Tarong West Wind Farm is proposed.

Indicative timeline and next steps



Project Update - December 2024

Background Noise Monitoring

Additional background noise monitoring is underway with the first round concluding in mid-December and the second round starting in early January.

Baseline Dust Monitoring

The baseline dust monitoring is now underway at several locations around the Project area. The gauges have been set up in proximity to roads being considered as access routes to and from the Project Site during construction. The data recorded will be a point of comparison for future assessments during the construction phase of the Project. The dust monitoring is expected to continue for a minimum of 6 months.

Traffic Management

Discussions with Council on the most suitable transport routes for access to the Project during construction are progressing. Once complete, the outcomes of these discussions will be captured within a Road Infrastructure Agreement between RES and Council and will include nominated delivery routes, upgrade specification and timing of upgrades, maintenance and remediation requirements. A Traffic Management Plan will also be finalised and will capture all necessary safety measures to be used throughout Project construction including practical communication measures to inform the community of construction traffic movements.

Upcoming Info Sessions

KUMBIA

5-7pm, Wed 26 February 2025 Kumbia Memorial Hall 29-31 Bell Street, Kumbia

IRONPOT

9-11am Thurs 27 February 2025 Ironpot Farmers Hall Jarail Road, Ironpot

Community Consultative Committee (CCC)

The appointment of the Independent Chairperson and members of the committee are in the final stages. Members will be confirmed in the coming weeks and the first CCC meeting will be held in Q1 2025.

Once the Committee is finalised, Terms of Reference for the CCC will be made available on the Tarong West Wind Farm website.

EPBC Application

RES has submitted draft documentation to the Department of Climate Change, Environment, Energy and Water (DCCEEW) for review. The assessment process is ongoing and part of the process will involve a public comment period, currently expected to occur in Quarter 1 2025. We will advise further information on the timing of the public comment period in future newsletters.





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