

Ryan Corner Wind Farm

Project Status

• Wind farm planning permit and associated plans:

- ✓ Final layout has been updated and submitted with the Pre-Construction Management Plans to DELWP, Moyne Shire Council and Victorian Rural Roads.
- ✓ Traffic Management Plan feedback has been received, and discussions are continuing. A new revision has been submitted to DELWP, Moyne Shire Council and Victorian Rural Roads.
- ✓ Public road detailed design submitted to the Council. Feedback has been received, and discussions are continuing.
- ✓ Ryan Corner quarry waiting on final approval.

• Connection application & agreements:

- ✓ Connection application has been submitted to AEMO.
- ✓ Agreements on-going.

Activities on site

Under progress:

- ✓ Finalising project scheduling and access with associated landowners.
- Completed review of all residences within 5km of windfarm site, and maps are being updated to reflect this.
- ✓ Commencement of geotechnical investigations on the Collector Substation bench area.

Hawkesdale Wind Farm

Project Status

Wind farm planning permit:

- ✓ Submitted Pre-Construction Management Plans to DELWP, Moyne Shire Council and Victorian Rural Roads.
- ✓ Submitted optimisation proposals and final layout to DELWP, with accompanied survey and assessment data for DELWP consideration.

• Connection application & agreements:

- ✓ In process of submitting Connection application to AEMO.
- ✓ Agreements on-going.

Activities on site

• Under progress:

- ✓ Imminent commencement of geotechnical investigations on the Collector Substation bench area.
- ✓ Finalising project scheduling and access with associated landowners.

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Further information for both projects

Community Engagement and Benefit Sharing Plan

✓ Yambuk Community – Come and Say Hello!!

Debra Dumesny, Community Engagement Officer, will be available on Saturday 14th and Saturday 28th August between 10:30am and 1:00pm at the Yambuk Post Office/General Store to talk with members of the community. She will be able to answer your questions about the Ryan Corner wind farm project and to learn more about the communities' concerns.

✓ Community Engagement Committees

Community Engagement Committee (CEC) meeting for the Ryan Corner Wind Farm was held on Monday, 5 July. The draft minutes from this meeting are available from CEC members or please contact Debra Dumesny on **0428 867 646** or by email **debra.dumesny@globalpower-generation.com.au** to request a copy of the draft minutes

We encourage you to contact a CEC representative if you wish to bring concerns to the CEC for discussion, or if you wish to be included on the distribution list for the confirmed minutes and updates.

Contact details for your local community members can be found by contacting the Moyne Shire Council.

✓ New Websites

New websites are currently being developed for both Ryan Corner and Hawkesdale Wind Farms by Ballarat-based Hstudios. We look forward to launching the Hawkesdale website in August.

In the meantime, additional information about both projects is available on the GPG Australia website:

http://globalpower-generation.com.au/

Home > Projects > VIC > Hawkesdale Wind Farm

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Transmission Line

Contracts for long lead equipment executed (420MVA Transformer, poles, etc.) and the poles ordered.

AusNet Services is undertaking final micro-siting of pole locations for the transmission line based on vegetation and cultural heritage assessments.

Victorian-based Wilson Transformer Company has been awarded the contract to supply two 120 MVA (132/33kV) transformers for the Ryan Corner Collector Substation, contributing to the local content of the project.

The main 420 MVA (500/132kV) transformer that will convert power from the wind farms for use on the grid has been already ordered.

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News from other GPG Australia's projects

We are hiring a trainee for Berrybank Windfarm!

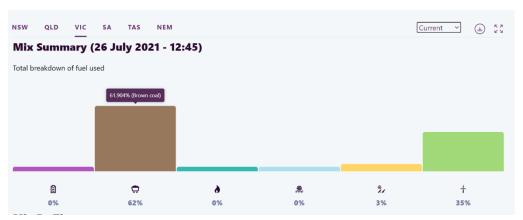
Are you a local, well organised team-worker who can meet deadlines and work accurately and neatly? Do you have good communication skills and an aptitude for working with computers? GPG has partnered with Westvic Staffing Solutions, and we are currently hiring a full-time Business Admin Trainee who will support our community engagement team and be based at our Berrybank Wind Farm Site.

If you would like to join the GPG family and begin your career in the Wind Industry, please email your resume to Nathan Micallef at nathan.micallef@globalpower-generation.com.au.

Did you know?

What is the current electricity generation mix in Australia?

The Australian Energy Market Operator (AEMO) website has information in real time on the sources of energy and how they are distributed to each state and nationally. You can view the KWs and the percentages of contribution for black coal, brown coal, hydro, gas, solar, battery, liquid fuel, biomass and wind. The statistics can be viewed as current, 24 hours, 48 hours, 3 months and 24 months.





As you can see in the graphs above wind energy is contributing a considerable percentage to our energy mix.

For more information go to their web site at <u>AEMO | NEM data dashboard</u> and click on the Fuel Mix tab.

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Contact us

Hawkesdale Office

Please phone, email, or visit us if you have any enquiries. A sign is placed on the nature strip outside the office when the office is open. Office hours are 9AM – 5PM, weekdays. At times, the office may be unattended, please contact beforehand if you wish to visit.

Contact Debra on **0428 867 646** or by email debra.dumesny@globalpower-generation.com.au



How to be included on the Email list

To be included on the distribution list for our newsletter and updates via email, please contact our Community Engagement Officer Debra on **0428 867 646** or by email **debra.dumesny@globalpower-generation.com.au**.

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