

KERR'S CREEK WIND FARM - NEWSLETTER 1

This newsletter aims to provide an update to the local community on a proposed Renewable Energy Project, located within the Dubbo and Cabonne Council areas in NSW. This is the first step in a series of measures to inform and include the local community in the development process as plans progress.



WHAT WE ARE PROPOSING

Renewable Energy Systems (RES) propose to develop a Renewable Energy Project comprising a Wind Farm and associated battery storage facility on land between Kerr's Creek and Euchareena in NSW. The opportunity for solar is also being explored.

Environmental surveys have started as part of the scoping assessment and will be included in the scoping report submitted to NSW Department of Planning. Expert consultants are carefully assessing the impact of the proposed development, which will allow our technical team to produce an initial design of the wind farm.

These studies include cultural heritage, ecology (flora and fauna), landscape and visual, noise, bushfire risk, wind monitoring, shadow flicker, electromagnetic interference studies (including TV & radio reception), aviation, access and transport, geology, hydrology and socio economic.

We would expect to lodge a Scoping Report and receive the Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) in Q2 2021.

More information is available on the project website:

www.kerrscreek-renewableenergy.com

PROJECT BENEFITS

Good for the local area:

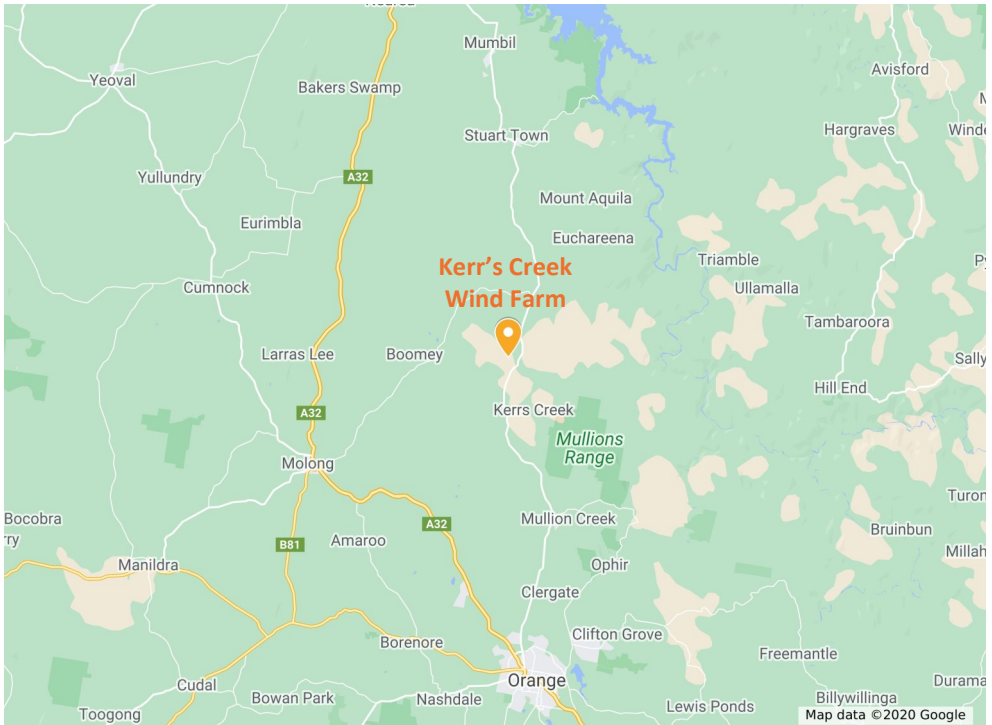
RES has worked on many Renewable Energy projects in Australia and elsewhere across the globe and is committed to supporting host communities wherever our projects are located. As well as working with communities to deliver a Community Benefit Fund, RES strives to deliver local employment benefits wherever possible.

During the project construction period, direct jobs will be generated, and full-time employment opportunities are also created during the Operation and Maintenance phases.

There will also be substantial indirect jobs and local employment benefits which extend through local supply chains from fuel supply through to vehicle servicing, uniform suppliers, hotels / motels, B&Bs, cafes, pubs and restaurants, catering and cleaning companies, tradespersons, tool and equipment hire and many other businesses.

Good for Australia:

The Kerr's Creek Renewable Energy project will be a key contributor to Australia achieving its national and international targets to decarbonise our electricity supply and tackle climate change. It will also provide access to more secure, low cost electricity.



WANT TO KNOW MORE?

RES is committed to providing timely, up to date information to local communities and stakeholders. This extends not only to information giving, but also to notifying communities of points at which their views and insights can be captured and fed into the development and scoping process. There will be many points at which we will seek your feedback and we will strive to keep you involved throughout.

Residents in close proximity to the proposed wind farm are at this stage invited to contact our project manager to organise a home visit where we would be happy to give you more information on the proposal, the process or even how you can best stay involved throughout. Please contact Heidi Creighton (0438 901 182) to organise a visit.

Up to date information will always be available on the dedicated project website: www.kerrscreek-renewableenergy.com and communities will have further opportunities to stay involved via our upcoming information sessions.

The information sessions are not formal presentations but an open-house format. Please call in at a time that suits you. We will have project information on display and key project team members in attendance to answer any questions you may have.

Molong Hall

98 Bank Street, Molong, NSW, 2866

Friday 19th March 2021, 4pm - 7pm

Euchareena Soldiers Memorial Hall

Nubrigyn Street, Euchareena, NSW, 2866

Saturday 20th March 2021, 9am - 12pm

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ABOUT US

RES is the world's largest independent renewable energy company, active in onshore and offshore wind, solar, energy storage, transmission and distribution. At the forefront of the industry for over 38 years, we have delivered almost 21GW (gigawatts) of renewable energy projects across the globe and support an operational asset portfolio of more than 7GW worldwide for a large client base. We understand the unique needs of corporate clients and have secured over 1.8GW of power purchase agreements, enabling access to energy at the lowest cost. RES employs more than 3000 people and is active in 10 countries.

In Australia, RES has installed over 850MW (megawatts) of renewable energy and has a construction and asset management portfolio of over 1GW. Recent projects include Taralga Wind Farm in NSW, Ararat Wind Farm in VIC, Murra Warra Wind Farm in VIC, Emerald Solar Farm in QLD and the construction Management of Lal Lal Wind Farm in VIC.

For more information visit www.res-group.com



CONTACT US

We look forward to receiving your views on this exciting project.

- Kerr's Creek Project: info@kerrscreek-windfarm.com.au
- Heidi Creighton (Development Project Manager): 0438 901 182
- A [Have Your Say form](#) is also available on the website.
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