

Bungaban Wind

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Joint venture project

Bungaban Wind is a \$3.9 billion, 1.4GW wind energy project located in the Western Downs and Banana Shire regions of Queensland, about 40km from Wandoan and 60km from Taroom, or 450km north-west of Brisbane.

The project will create more than 1000 jobs during peak construction, and is expected to inject around \$500 million into the regional economy through local employment, supply and contracting opportunities.

Bungaban Wind is the first project being developed as part of the Bungaban Renewable Energy Hub.

Acknowledgement of Country

Bungaban is located on the traditional lands of the Iman and Auburn Hawkwood Peoples. We respect and value their diverse, deep and enduring connections to Country, culture, and customs.

Working on Country comes with responsibility that we recognise and prioritise. We thank each Traditional Owner group for their perspectives and guidance, ensuring their cultural values are protected and are at the centre of a successful project.

Project highlights



\$3.9 billion project

Delivering significant benefits to local and regional economies.



Community Benefit Fund

A dedicated annual fund of \$2m+ to support stakeholder and community-led projects.



Supporting regional industry

Landmark Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) with Rio Tinto, supporting regional industry and jobs.



Low-cost, clean energy

Powering the equivalent of approximately 860,000 Queensland homes, reducing Australia's carbon emissions by over 4 million tonnes annually.



Local employment and supply opportunities

Up to 1,000 jobs generated during peak construction, providing local contract and employment opportunities.

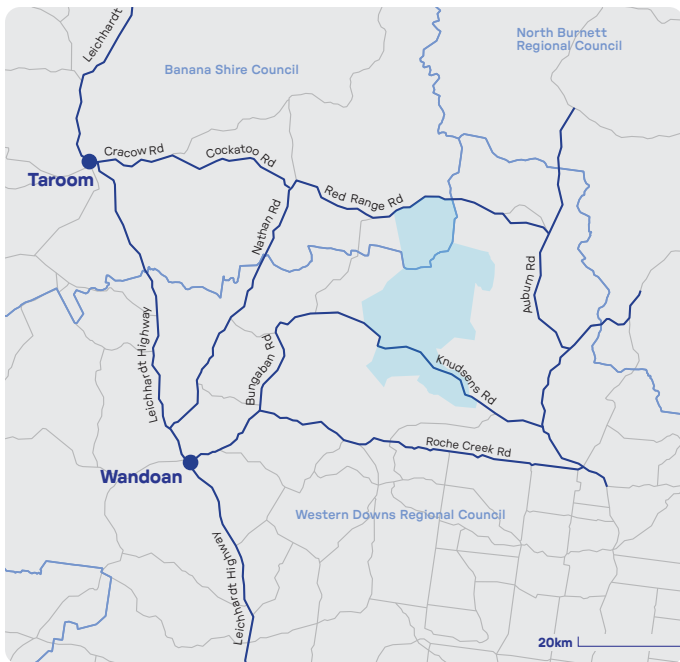
Supporting lasting community benefits

Bungaban Wind is designed to leave a positive legacy for local communities.

A voluntary benefit-sharing framework will support community priorities and long-term regional outcomes.

A Community Benefit Framework will provide more than \$2 million each year following financial close, for:

- community sponsorships
- regional partnerships
- locally led legacy projects
- First Nations Community Benefit Fund
- Good Neighbours Program.



Bungaban Wind is situated on the traditional lands of the Iman and Auburn Hawkwood Peoples, between Wandoan and Taroom.

The land has been historically cleared and used for grazing for more than 100 years.

Once operational, the project will coexist with agricultural operations, occupying around 1 per cent of the total area of its host properties, allowing cattle to graze around the base of turbines.

The region provides a unique balance between optimal wind conditions, compatible land use, and proximity to existing transmission infrastructure.

The project will connect to the planned Wandoan South substation, providing efficient access to Queensland's electricity network.

Bungaban Renewable Energy Hub is being developed under a 50/50 joint venture agreement between Windlab and Squadron Energy.



WINDLAB

Windlab is Australia's clean energy pioneer with deep expertise in the development of innovative wind and solar projects, delivered with a strong focus on community, Country and long-term outcomes. Drawing on its CSIRO origins, Windlab is recognised for its proprietary WindScape and GridScape technologies and has helped shape around 20% of all connected wind projects in Australia's National Electricity Market.

SQUADRON ENERGY

Squadron Energy is Australia's leading renewable energy company that develops, operates and owns renewable energy assets in Australia.

Squadron Energy is 100% Australian owned and have 2 gigawatts (GW) of renewable energy in operation and under construction.

Get in touch

We value feedback to inform the responsible development of our projects. Frequently asked questions are available on our website, or you can get in touch with the team at any time.

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