

# HumeLink East Business Buzz February 2024

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#### **Acknowledgement of Country**

In the spirit of reconciliation, the ACCIONA Genus Joint Venture acknowledges the traditional custodians of the lands we meet, work, play and live on.

We pay our respects to elders past present and emerging and acknowledge the younger generation who will become our future elders of our lands. We respect our lands, fauna, flora and waterways, to leave a footprint for the next generation.

We acknowledge all Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islanders here today.



# **Business Buzz**

Business Buzz is an opportunity for you to connect in with the HumeLink East project team. It's about empowering local businesses and individuals.

We will outline upcoming opportunities, ways we can support you to work with us and answer your questions.

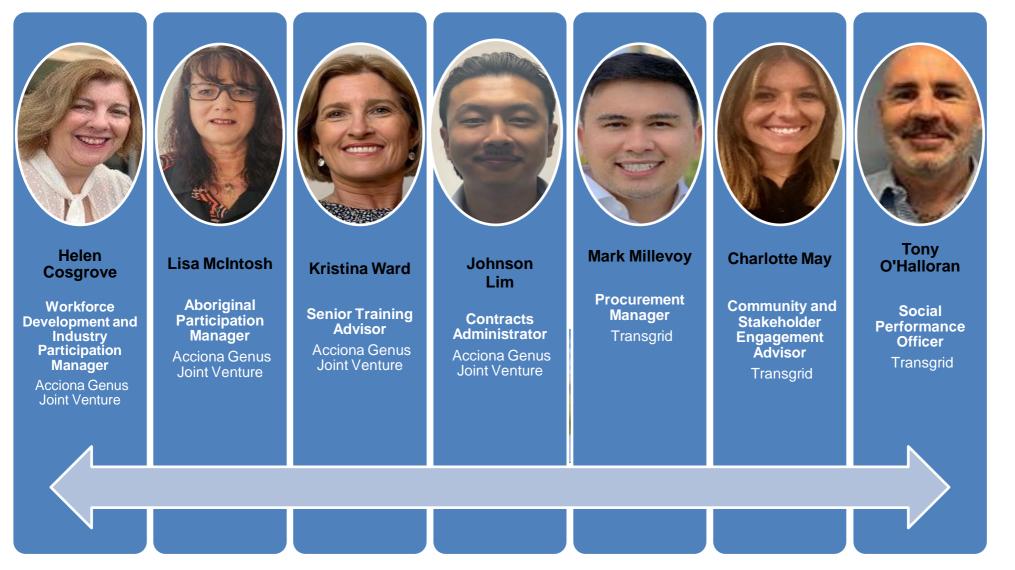
Business Buzz will be held quarterly. The next session will be in May 2024. We want to hear from you so look out for our survey later in the presentation or come and chat with us at the end of this session.





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#### Who we are...



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### HumeLink project overview

HumeLink is a new 500kV transmission line which will connect Wagga Wagga, Bannaby and Maragle.

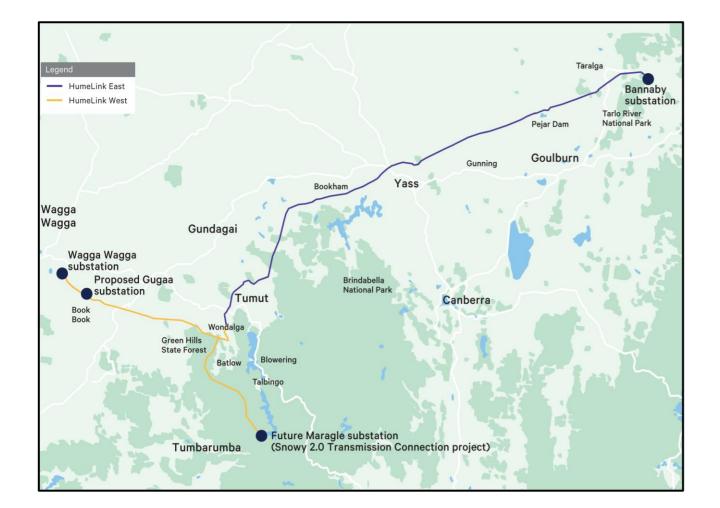
HumeLink is one of NSW's largest energy infrastructure projects, with 365km of proposed new transmission lines and new or upgraded infrastructure at four substation locations.

To meet our future energy demands, Australia needs to transition to a greater mix of low-emission renewable energy sources, such as wind and solar. HumeLink will deliver a more reliable and more sustainable grid by increasing the amount of renewable energy that can be delivered across the national electricity grid, helping to transition Australia to a low carbon future.

Information on the HumeLink project can be found at <u>www.Transgrid.com.au/projects-innovation/humelink</u>

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#### HumeLink project overview



The HumeLink project is divided into two sections (HumeLink East and HumeLink West).

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ACCIONA Construction Australia Pty Ltd and Genus Group Ltd (AG JV) is the delivery partner for HumeLink East.

The alignment for the HumeLink East section is between Bannaby and Wondalga.



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#### **Procurement systems**

- The HumeLink East project uses PROCUR-E as its procurement system.
- Subcontractors and suppliers will be contacted by our procurement team and will be sent documents detailing the onboarding process.
- The following images are examples of mandatory documents required to be uploaded onto PROCUR-E.



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# **Prequalification questionnaire**

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Below are examples of mandatory documents required to be uploaded onto PROCUR-E.

- Completed Confidentiality Deed
- Tender Requirements Deed
- Company Contact Details Deed
- Insurance Details
- Organisation / Personnel
- Health and Safety Information

- Quality
- Industrial Relation compliance
- Training Management
- Environmental and Sustainability
- Indigenous Participation
- Local Content

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# **Procurement packages**

The HumeLink East project is using Industry Capability Network (ICN) as its industry procurement and supply chain specialists.

The HumeLink East project's official ICN URL is: <u>Humelink East (icn.org.au)</u>.

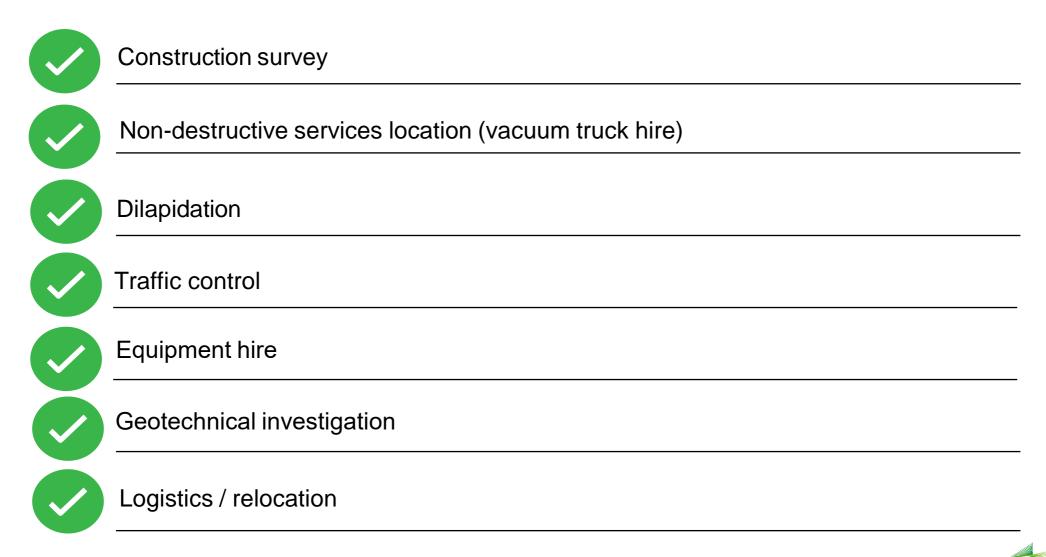
Available work packages will be posted on the ICN website to allow all subcontractors and suppliers the opportunity to put forward their Expression of Interest (EOI).

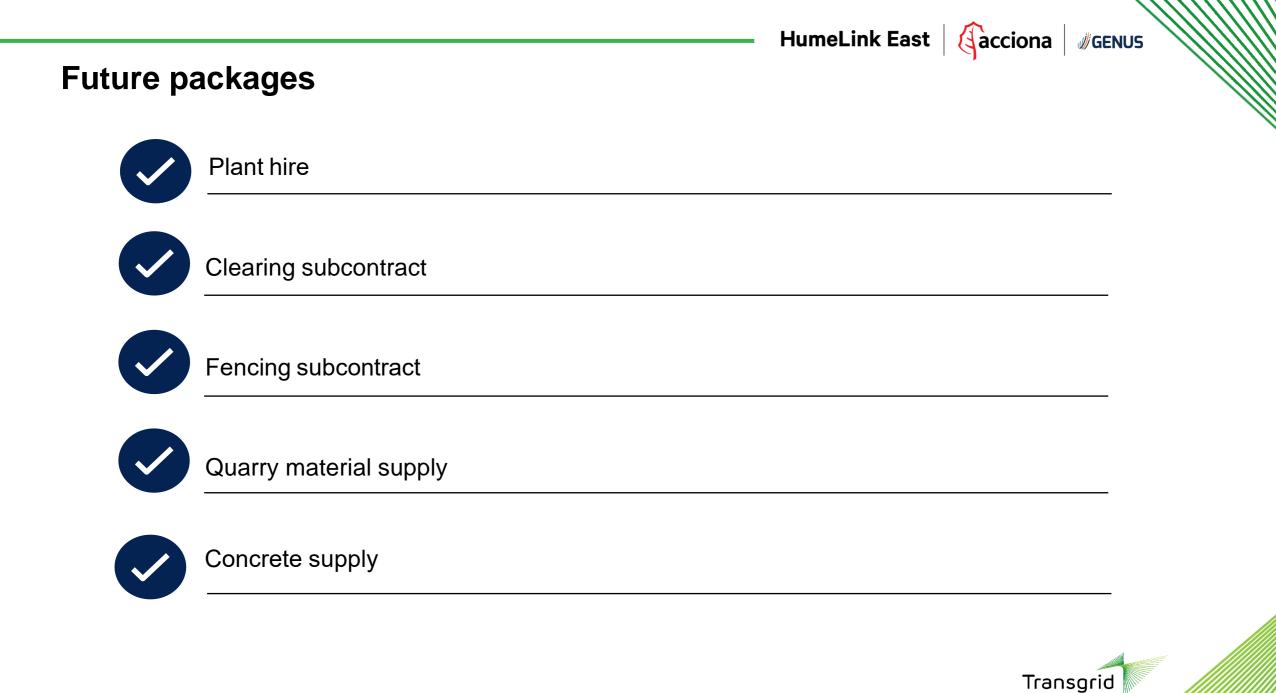




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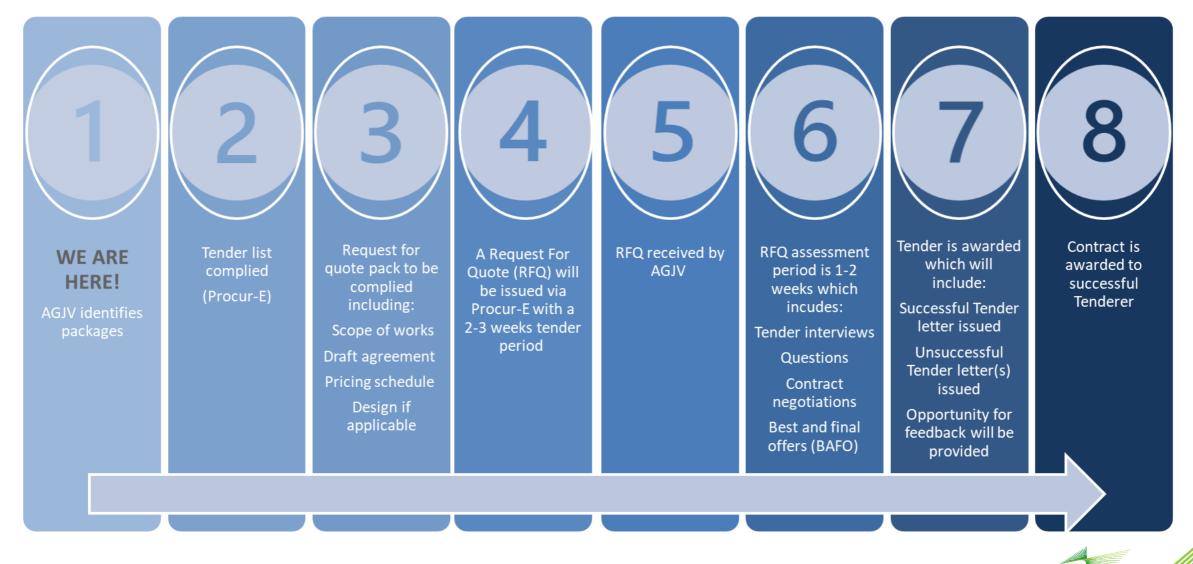
### **Upcoming packages**





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#### **Procurement process**



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#### Aboriginal engagement and participation

The HumeLink East project is committed to providing opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals and businesses within the project region.

We will work with you to identify procurement, employment and training opportunities; additionally, the project will provide opportunities for you to establish connections to grow your business and promote engagement in the supply chain.

We plan to hold HumeLink East Business Buzz sessions on a quarterly basis. We will advise you via email when the next Business Buzz sessions will take place.

Please let us know if your contact details change so we can keep you up to date with upcoming sessions and newsletters.

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#### **Aboriginal engagement – business registration**

We partner with a number of Indigenous networking businesses including Supply Nation and New South Wales Indigenous Chamber of Commerce (NSWICC). It's the first step to connecting with procurement opportunities with some of Australia's largest organisations.

- By registering with Supply Nation, you are taking the first step to connecting with motivated buyers from some of Australia's largest organisations.
- NSWICC membership provides a professional and culturally safe forum to members where they can access a wealth of knowledge, learn new skills and access professional services to support their business goals.
- Joining ICN helps you promote your business capabilities throughout its business network.

If you are not currently registered with Supply Nation, NSWICC, or ICN, we can support your business through this process.







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### **Employment and training opportunities**

For the duration of the HumeLink East project we will offer employment, training and educational opportunities to suppliers and the wider community.

Employment opportunities include:

- Pre-employment programs dedicated to women, youth, First Nations peoples and mature-age workers where participants can gain skills to help them obtain employment
- Graduate programs, apprenticeships and traineeships
- Mentoring for apprentices and trainees working on the project



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### **Employment and training opportunities**

The HumeLink East project is committed to supporting growth in regional Australia by actively sourcing goods and services from Australian businesses. Business opportunities include:

- Quarterly HumeLink East Business Buzz sessions to keep you informed of upcoming packages of work and opportunities on the project
- Opportunities to enroll in accredited training
- Scholarships in accredited vocational qualification relating to the business industry
- A business support program to support recognised Aboriginal businesses



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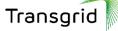
#### Next steps...

We are looking forward to seeing you at the next HumeLink East Business Buzz session which will be held in **May 2024**.

The next Business Buzz session will incorporate the feedback we receive from this session along with any other feedback we receive.

We want to hear from you!

Please complete the Mentimeter feedback survey or provide feedback via email on humelink@transgrid.com.au





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**Question time** 

