

ENERGYCONNECT

Newsletter



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Early works begin in the west

Preliminary works are underway to build workers' camps and studies are being undertaken to prepare for the start of construction on EnergyConnect.

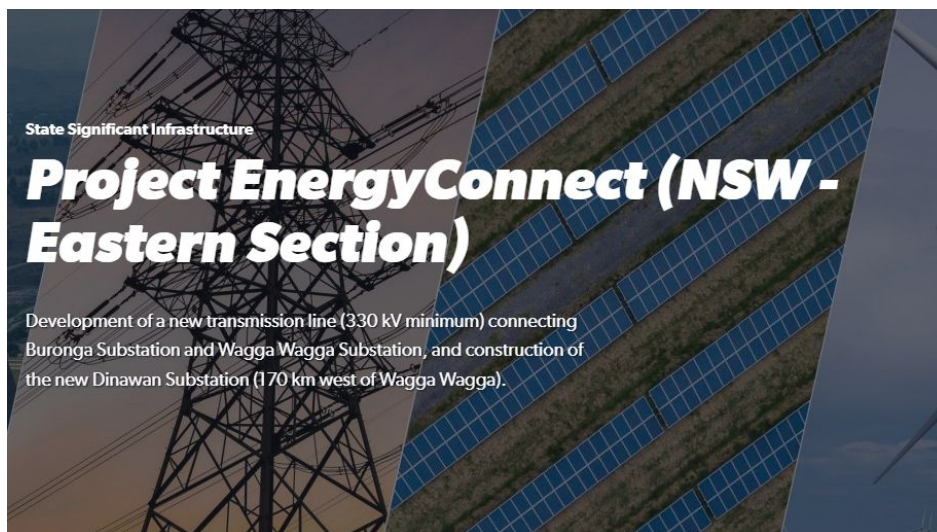
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Substation smoking ceremony

As part of our planning for EnergyConnect, we recognise the importance of engaging with and respecting local Indigenous communities. We recently joined Aunty Pam, CEO of the Dareton Local Aboriginal Land Council, for a smoking ceremony at our Buronga substation.

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NSW-Eastern Section update

The submission period for the EnergyConnect NSW-Eastern Section Environmental Impact Statement has closed. Feedback received by the NSW Department of Planning and Environment is being summarised and addressed in a Response to Submissions report, which will be made publicly available on the Department's website.

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Connecting with communities

We're continuing to connect with communities as part of planning for EnergyConnect. Recently, we caught up with Tim Elstone, Mayor of Wentworth Shire, who shared his thoughts on the opportunities the project will bring to the region.

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Building a network for the future

EnergyConnect is Australia's largest electricity transmission project and will provide the missing link between the power grids of NSW, SA and Victoria. It will save NSW energy customers \$180 million a year and generate up to 1,500 new jobs.

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Partnering with local groups

A wildlife sanctuary, Indigenous community groups, a cycling club, a group helping disabled children and a service dedicated to helping cancer patients are among those receiving support through our Community Partnerships Program.

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Energising careers

Thank you to everyone who came to meet the Secure Energy team at the recent Wagga Wagga Regional Jobs Fair. SecureEnergy is the principal contractor for EnergyConnect. If you missed the jobs fair but would like more information about roles with SecureEnergy click below.

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