

**Cattle Hill Wind Farm Construction update for July 2019.**

Cattle Hill Wind Farm is located on the eastern shore of Lake Echo in the southern side of the Central Plateau of Tasmania. The project will consist of 48 Goldwind turbines and associated infrastructure. Construction of the project is currently underway, and the wind farm is aimed to become fully operational in late 2019.

**On-site Construction Progress**

Construction work on the project site is ongoing:

- The first wind turbine was fully installed in early May and turbine installations are now ongoing.
- Over half of the wind turbine towers have been pre-installed in anticipation of full turbine installation in the coming months.
- Over half of the wind turbine components have been delivered to site.
- Substation construction works are underway
- Almost half of the 33kV electrical cabling has been installed in the ground.

**Transportation of Oversize Turbine Components**

The transportation of oversize turbine components is ongoing. Components are being transported from the Port of Bell Bay to the project site. The route will follow the Bell Bay Road, East Tamar Highway, Midland Highway, Highlands Lakes Road, Waddamana Road and Bashan Road to the project site.

The loads will travel Monday – Saturday mornings each week, leaving the Port of Bell Bay very early in the morning and arriving at the project site before lunchtime.

Goldwind places a high importance on road safety for all road users and acknowledges the inconvenience that encountering these deliveries may cause. All loads will travel in accordance with the relevant permit conditions and will be accompanied by pilot vehicles and in some cases police escorts.

**In the Community**

The Cattle Hill Wind Farm Community Sponsorship Program has provided financial assistance to over 20 different community events and initiatives to date. Most recently, a financial contribution was provided to the Bothwell Wellness Group to help cover the costs of running exercise classes, Campdrafting Tasmania Inc for their recent Championship Finals and the Bushfire Thank You Event held at the Great Lake Community Centre in Miena.



Cattle Hill Wind Farm welcomes local community groups and organisations to contact us if they would like to discuss potential opportunities for the wind farm to provide financial assistance and support to community initiatives and events in the local area.

Community members are invited to drop into the information centre to learn more about the project and chat with Janet (local community relations officer for the project). The Information Centre is located at Shop A, 16 Patrick Street, Bothwell (behind Bothwell Garage).

Opening hours for the Information Centre:

- Wednesday 9am-12noon
- Thursday 1pm-4pm
- Friday 9am- 4pm
- Or by appointment

If you have any questions related to the project, please be in touch:

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