Cattle Creek Wind Farm



Newsletter

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Following September's newsletter where we updated you on the submission of the Development Application (DA) for the proposed Cattle Creek Wind Farm, we are writing to provide you with a further update on the project and its position in the planning process.

As part of the standard assessment process, the State Assessment and Referral Agency (SARA) usually issues an Information Request (IR) seeking further detail or clarification about aspects of a wind farm development application. Information requests are a routine part of the assessment process – particularly for projects the size of Cattle Creek – and provide an opportunity for additional detail and evidence to be considered before SARA completes its assessment.

As expected as part of this process, SARA has requested more information on topics including ecology and native vegetation, battery safety, agricultural land and rehabilitation, flooding, noise, traffic and roads, aviation, telecommunications, project design and siting, and decommissioning. We are currently working through responses to these requests and will share them with SARA once complete.

Once we submit our IR response, the public notification period must start within 20 business days.

The timeline is not yet confirmed, but we do expect this to be early next year. We will update you with an expected timeframe once we have further details.

We will be holding community drop-in sessions in mid-November at Cecil Plains and Millmerran and invite you to call in to learn more about the project and the DA. Further details are available on page 2.

If you have any queries in the meantime please don't hesitate to reach out via email or our 1800 number.

Derek Haas & Harry Sestan
Cattle Creek Wind Farm

At a glance

- Up to **135 wind turbines** with a tip height of up to 260m
- Install capacity up to **972MW** wind **450MW** Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
- **Located** about 35km west of Cecil Plains. The area is predominantly used for cattle grazing
- Site investigation area of about **20,000 hectares**, with an expected operating footprint of less than 5% of this land
- More than **525,000 Queensland homes powered**
- **Project status:** Late stage development – Development Application submitted
- **Construction** planned for 2028 3-year construction period
- Targeting 2030 for initial **operations**, fully operational in **2031**

Find out more

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Community drop-in sessions

RWE is working through the IR process for the proposed Cattle Creek Wind Farm as part of the Development Application (DA) process.

Call in to learn more about the project, the Development Application and the associated reports.

Drop in to see us at:

Cecil Plains Golf Club
3860 Dalby-Cecil Plains Rd, Cecil Plains

17 November 3pm - 7pm

The Mill Inn
Carallen Function Centre
33 McKenzie St, Millmerran

18 November 7am - 11am

Supporting your community

Apply for Community Sponsorship

We have established a $100,000 annual sponsorship fund to support community groups and events in Dunmore, Cecil Plains, Moonie, Millmerran and surrounding areas during the project's planning and approvals phase.

Funding is available for eligible not-for-profit organisations, clubs, community groups and local events.

If you're involved in a community or non-profit group, we'd love to hear from you. We are meeting with local organisations to understand community needs and welcome your feedback.

How to apply

Scan the QR code to download the application form from the website, or visit **cattlecreekwindfarm.com.au**

More than

$198K allocated since 2024

Sponsorship distributed to date includes:

2026

$16,000	Cecil Plains Tennis Club
$8,400	Millmerran Community Foundation
$7,500	Australian Camp Oven Festival
$5,000	Millmerran Show Society
$2,500	Chinchilla Chamber of Commerce and Industry
$1,900	Cecil Plains Progress Association
$500	Millmerran Academy of Performing Arts

Any sponsorship funds remaining at the end of 2026 will be rolled over to next year.

Find out more

If your group could benefit from sponsorship, please contact the team to arrange a meeting on:

1800 867 077

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RWE Renewables Australia respectfully acknowledges the Bigambul people, the Traditional Owners of the lands where the Cattle Creek Wind Farm is proposed, and pay our respect to their Elders, past, present and emerging.

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