

Glenellen Solar Farm

Community Update

The Glenellen Solar Farm is located on Ortlip Road, 2km northeast of Jindera and is owned by Global Power Generation Australia (GPG Australia). The Project footprint occupies approximately 263ha of the 398ha site.

The solar farm is a large scale photovoltaic Agri-Solar project of 260 MWdc/200MWac, using approximately 380,000 single axis tracking solar panels, up to 5 m high, and up to 60 power conversion units (including inverters and transformers).

The Glenellen Solar Farm will deliver renewable, energy to the national grid, enough to supply over 80,000 average Australian homes per annum and avoid over 385,000 tonnes of CO₂.

Mobilisation to site began on 28th August, followed by a smoking ceremony on 11th September. Since then, there have been a number of activities underway:

- The site compound has been established
- Civil contractors have begun work
- Works underway creating access tracks
- Internal fencing has started
- Initial component deliveries have begun
- Approximately 35 people on site – about 50% local



Community Information Day

A Community Information Day was held in August 2024 at the Jindera Community Hub. This event aimed at informing and engaging the local community was attended by many people from the surrounding area. Attendees could ask questions, share feedback, and discuss any concerns they had. The event also featured displays, brochures, newsletters and company merchandise.

Community Engagement & Benefit Sharing Plan

In the coming weeks we will be out in your community, meeting with local groups, schools and clubs to learn more about all of them and get some feedback. As part of our Community Engagement & Benefit Sharing Plan for the Glenellen Solar Farm, GPG will establish an annual Community Grant Program that is designed to distribute funds to eligible recipients. The grant program will be managed by a committee made up from local people and GPG representatives. We will be asking for nominations for the committee in coming weeks.

Contact Us

If you have any questions or require more information about the Project, please contact our Community and Stakeholder Engagement Officer, **Philip Beattie**, by phone on **0488 515 275** or by email, philipbeattie@globalpower-generation.com.au or glenellensolarfarm@globalpowergeneration.com.au. If you want like to be included on the distribution list for our newsletter and updates via email please email Philip using the details above.