



MAY 2019 COMMUNITY UPDATE

Moorabool North Wind Farm

Progress to date

- Approximately 24km of access tracks complete
- 50 foundations are excavated 100% complete
- 50 foundation concrete pours completed – 100% complete
- Substation works nearing completion
- Approximately 19km of cable reticulation installed
- 56 turbine components delivered
- The first turbine has now been installed on site, Turbine 11

Look ahead

- Completion and energisation of substation
- Continued road maintenance
- Continued turbine component deliveries
- Continued turbine erection and commencement of commissioning and electricity generation

Construction activity focused on Ballan Egerton Road and Manley's & Egan's Road.

Moorabool South Wind Farm

Progress to date

- Approximately 28km of access tracks complete
- 54 foundations are excavated
- 37 foundation concrete pours completed
- Substation works on-going
- 25 Kiosks set in place.



Figure 2: MSWF foundation construction



Look ahead

• Continuation of access track construction.

- Continuation of foundation pours
- Continuation of Substation works
 - Continue Kiosk deliveries.
 - Continued road maintenance

Construction activity traffic is focused on Mt Wallace Ballark Road and Ballan Meredith Road, and Bungeeltap South Road.

Figure 1: Turbine 11 installation



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Turbine Component Deliveries

Oversize deliveries of wind turbine components will continue at **Moorabool North** wind farm until mid-August 2019.

Oversize loads include, Blades, Nacelle, Hub, Generators and Tower sections. Deliveries will be utilising different routes to site. These include:

- From the Western Highway and travelling south along Geelong Ballan Road,
- Travelling north from Geelong on the Geelong Ballan Road through Anakie.

Components will then travel to the relevant access points via the Ballan Meredith Road and Ballan Egerton Road.

Key Delivery Facts:

11 oversize loads per turbine	Approx. 33 oversize loads per week
550 oversize loads in total (Moorabool North only)	Deliveries will occur Monday to Saturday

Road Safety and Traffic Updates

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

For up to date information on deliveries please register to receive regular SMS notifications by texting your name to **0418 975 014**

A Moorabool Wind Farm Traffic Website. <u>www.MWFTraffic.com</u> is now available. This can be accessed via your computer/tablet/smart phone and is also available continuously on TV's at:

- Crossroads Trading, 461 Old Melbourne Road, Ballan
- Elaine Farm Supplies, 5264 Midland Highway, Elaine
- Moorabool Wind Farm Information Centre, 120 Inglis Street, Ballan

Ongoing road maintenance is taking place in the vicinity of the wind farm. Regular inspections are conducted on public roads being used by wind farm delivery traffic. Areas which may present a safety concern are flagged and temporary reduced speed limits put into operation. Temporary or permanent repairs are being undertaken as soon as practicable.



Figure 3: Turbine Blade

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Transmission Line Update

The transmission line construction is now complete. Energisation of the transmission line is currently taking place.

Landscape and Visual Screening Program

Owners of Dwellings within 4km of the Moorabool North Wind Farm and Moorabool South Wind Farm turbines are invited to submit expressions of interest for the landscape and visual screening program.

This is a requirement of the Planning Permit to assist those closest neighbours in reducing the potential visual impacts of the project.

Please contact us for further details or visit www.mooraboolwindfarm.com

Ballan Autumn Festival

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Goldwind and Moorabool wind farm were proud platinum sponsors of the Ballan Autumn Festival

2019. The event was a magical success and Moorabool wind farm would like to congratulate the festival organisers. Thank you to everyone who visited the Moorabool wind farm Information Stall on the day.



Figure 4: Ballan Autumn Festival

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Community Blade Viewing Event

The day was a huge success with hundreds of interested members of the community visiting and signing one of the blades of Moorabool North, Turbine Number 2.



Figure 5: Community Blade Viewing Event

Members of the team were on hand to talk with visitors and answer questions. A big THANK YOU to everyone who visited and made the day a triumph.

The Blade was visited by over 200 members of the local community and by 6 Local Primary Schools. All students were provided with a Moorabool Wind Farm Schools Info Pack. This is available to download from the Moorabool Wind Farm Website:

http://mooraboolwindfarm.com/the-project/factsheets/





Crane Lighting

The main installation crane at Moorabool North wind farm is fitted with an aviation warning light. This is operational at all times.

The activation of aviation hazard warning lights is not proposed for Moorabool wind farm turbines at this time.

Complaints

Please use the contact details below to make a complaint regarding Moorabool wind farm.

Our Complaints and Enquiries Policy and Plan can be found on the Moorabool web site. http://mooraboolwindfarm.com/contact-us/enquiries-and-complaints/

If your complaint is related to road use, please provide information on the date, time, truck licence plate, location etc. This will allow us to investigate the complaint effectively and in a timely manner.

Contact Us

For further information please contact:

- Freecall: 1800 019 660,
- M: 0472 832 552,
- E: info@mooraboolwindfarm.com,
- Information Centre: 120 Inglis Street, Ballan, Wed to Sat 9am to 1pm, 0459 895 912
- Web: <u>www.mooraboolwindfarm.com</u>
- Traffic Website: www.MWFTRaffic.com

