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Yaloak South Wind Farm – October Update

Dear Neighbour,

Please find an update from the Yaloak South Wind Farm Project below.

Community Fund

The Yaloak South Community Fund has been established to share the benefits of Pacific Hydro's Yaloak South Wind Farm with the local community. A minimum of \$28,000 will be available to local community groups each year over the 25-year life of the project.

The Fund supports community projects and initiatives in the local area. The successful projects are selected through our innovative Community Partnerships Group model, where local residents are empowered to decide how funds are allocated.

The projects supported by this year's fund are:

Organisation	Project
Ballark and District Gun Club	Clay bird thrower
Beremboke Wildlife Shelter	Refurbishment of koala enclosure
CFA Mount Wallace	Floating Quickfill pump
CFA Rowsley	Firefighting and communications equipment
Mt Wallace Hall and Reserve	Toilet refurbishments and indoor and outdoor furniture for the hall

The Fund will be open for applications each year and will be advertised in advance.

Construction Progress

All wind turbine blades, nacelles, and hubs have been delivered from the Port of Geelong, and placed on-site next to the locations they will be installed. Many of these deliveries occurred overnight to minimise the impact on local traffic. We thank you for your patience during these movements.

Delivery of tower sections from South Australia is continuing, so far four of the fourteen sets (3x tower sections in a set) have been delivered.

There may be some truck movements along Glenmore Road and Geelong-Ballan Road as these deliveries occur; and as crane equipment is brought to and from site in preparation for the assembly and lifting of the wind turbines. Large 'Over-dimensional' movements are escorted by a Pilot vehicle, which will drive ahead of the load to warn oncoming traffic of the large vehicle.

The project is on track to have all towers and components assembled and installed by early next year.



LEFT: a blade delivery; RIGHT: the 500 ton crane unloads and positions the hub and nacelle.

Cranes and Lifting

Assembly and lifting of the wind turbine towers and blades are due to commence shortly.

A 500 ton crane had been used to unload and position some of the components over the past few weeks. This crane has now completed its work, and will be dismantled and moved from site to make way for the larger 750 ton crane that will be used for the major assembly and installation works.

The larger 750 ton crane will be delivered in sections and require over 25 truck delivery runs! These are due to occur over the coming weeks.

Assembly of wind turbines and lifting works are scheduled to occur during our standard construction hours (between 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday, and 7am to 1pm on Saturdays), but may need to extend outside of these hours at short notice due to weather or technical conditions.

Yours sincerely



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