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Berrybank 1 & 2 Wind Farms

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Berrybank 1 Wind Farm

Local Communities Benefit as the Corangamite Shire

Berrybank 1 Windfarm Community Grants are announced

Six community projects will gain momentum with the announcement of \$87,102 in grants as part of the newly launched Berrybank Wind Farm Grants program.

A Berrybank Leverage Grant of \$30,000 will give the Darlington Mechanics Institute Hall Committee of Management help to restump the Darlington Hall. Another Leverage Grant, of \$15,000, will help the Cressy and District History Group move forward with its Water Tower Public Art Project.

A third Leverage Grant of \$16,187, was approved for the Lismore Men's Shed for construction of ramps, handrails and shelter.

A Berrybank Project Grant of \$8,600 was approved for the Skipton Memorial Pool Committee's proposed installation of a basketball half-court. The Lismore Land Protection Group will receive \$9,860 for improving ecological connectivity through revegetation. The Lismore Recreation Reserve Committee secured \$7,485 for restoration of the Thomas Seymour memorial gates.

GPG Community Engagement Officer, Philip Beattie said: "GPG is proud to provide funds for community projects as part of the Berrybank Stage 1 Community Engagement and Benefit Sharing Plan and we look forward to these grants making a difference in our local communities"

Golden Plains Berrybank 1 Windfarm Community Grants

The inaugural Golden Plains Shire Berrybank 1 Windfarm Community Grants Program, will open on Thursday 1 September with grants available for projects over \$10,000. Delivered in partnership with Berrybank Development Pty Ltd, the Berrybank Wind Farm Community Grants Program provides funding opportunities to support local events and projects in Golden Plains.

- Applicants will be eligible to apply for grant funding in two categories: Economic Development and Tourism projects and events
- Community projects and events over \$10,000, with one off and recurring funding available.

To view the Berrybank Wind Farm Community Grants Program Grant Guidelines visit: www.goldenplains.vic.gov.au/community/grants/berrybank-wind-farm-community-grants

Berrybank 2 Wind Farm

There has been same major milestones in the past few weeks

- The Connection assets have been energized (main transformer and Transmission line) on 22 July
- Wind Farm energization as a Load on the 3 August 2022
- Started generation to the Grid: 16 August 2022 (under The Notifiable 5 MW exemption) Under 5MW allows one turbine at a time to be tested to full load.

These milestones bring us a few steps closer to full operation which should occur in the next few months.

Contact Us

If you are looking to **contact** GPG about the Berrybank 1 or 2 Wind Farms, you can use the specific email address to send though any **feedback** or **complaints**:

berrybank1and2windfarms@globalpower-generation.com.au You can still also contact our community engagement officer **Phil Beattie** by phone: **0400 403 282** or email: philip.beattie@globalpower-generation.com.au or in person at the site office located at **578 Padgetts Lane, Wallinduc Vic 3324**

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