



Silverton Wind Farm - Environmental Performance Reporting Summary

GE & AGL provide regular reporting on the environmental performance of the Silverton Wind Farm project on the AGL website, in accordance with the reporting arrangements in any plans or programs approved under the conditions of this approval. This is a requirement of Condition 6, Schedule 4, of the project approval conditions.

This Environmental Performance Reporting Summary document provides a summary of the environmental monitoring and performance of the project for the month of **August 2023**.

Environmental Aspects	Status
Pollution	No issues or complaints during the month. Minor oil spill from tower, <10 litres, contaminated soil was removed and replaced with fresh soil.
Noise	No issues or complaints during the month.
Dust and Air	No issues or complaints during the month. Major component works undertaken this month, cranes and extra light vehicles have attended site, dust has not caused any issues.
Visual	No issues or complaints during the month.
Soil, water, sediment, erosion	No erosion on site resulting in environmental impacts.. Rainfall recorded at the site office for the month: 0mm.
Birds and Bats	Management actions conducted in accordance with the Bird and Bat Adaptive Management Plan (BBAMP). The Year 2 Monitoring Report is waiting review by NSW DPE. Currently working through updates to the BBAMP, once complete this will allow the review for the Year 2 Monitoring report to re-commence. Monitoring reports are included in the 'Environmental Monitoring Reports' section of the AGL Silverton Wind Farm website: https://www.agl.com.au/about-agl/how-we-source-energy/silverton-wind-farm/documents .
Biodiversity	Ongoing actions conducted as per the Operational Biodiversity Adaptive Management Plan, Bird and Bat Adaptive Management Plan, Porcupine Grass Sparse Woodland Recovery Plan, Barrier Range Dragon Management Plan, Goat Management Plan, Vegetation Management Plan. No recorded impacts to: Porcupine Grass Sparse Woodland; Mulga/Red Mallee Shrubland; Barrier Range Dragon habitat. Barrier Range Dragon monitoring has been re-evaluated to five-yearly increments as per approval from the NSW DPE. The Vegetation Monitoring Report Year 2 – report has been submitted to the BCD and the DPE for review this month. Monitoring reports are included in the 'Environmental Monitoring Reports' section of the AGL Silverton Wind Farm website: https://www.agl.com.au/about-agl/how-we-source-energy/silverton-wind-farm/documents .
Heritage	No disturbance to heritage items/places.
Fire / Bushfire	No fires triggered from wind farm operations.
Waste	Waste is collected, stored and disposed of appropriately. Waste volumes are recorded.
Rehabilitation	Ongoing rehabilitation and weed monitoring in accordance with the Vegetation Management Plan. A local weed contractor has been engaged and has attended site. Re-growth in rehabilitated areas is progressing well due to rainfall in the past year.
Community	
Other updates	

