

# Girgarre Solar Farm



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### Project Overview

The Girgarre Solar Farm project, owned by Enel Green Power, will consist of the construction and operation of approximately 167,500 photovoltaic (PV) modules and the related civil and electrical infrastructure. The project is in the Shire of Campaspe, and the site is located approximately 10 km north-west of Stanhope and approximately 70km west of Shepparton.

The construction of the Girgarre Solar Farm has an investment value of over \$130 million. The estimated construction timeframe for the plant is expected to be approximately 18 months, while the plant's operational life is estimated at approximately 35 years.

The relevant Planning Permit for the Girgarre Solar Farm has been obtained from the Campaspe Shire Council. The Permit set out conditions that must be complied with in undertaking the development. The conditions cover construction, operation, decommissioning, and administrative matters.

Pre-construction planning is well underway, including the recent appointment of our construction partner, Beon, completion of all pre-construction requirements under the planning permit, and all other relevant legislative requirements prior to construction commencement. The construction phase is anticipated to start in the second half of 2023.

### Community Engagement

Following acquisition of the project from Lesson Group, Enel Green Power has developed a Stakeholder and Community Engagement Plan for the project pre-construction, construction and operational phases, which includes sharing regular project updates through this local community newsletter, a project website and ongoing

engagement with project stakeholders throughout the life of the project.

In early 2023, Enel Green Power visited key project stakeholders in the local area, including the Girgarre Community Development Group.

Enel Green Power is committed to engaging with project stakeholders to implement Creating Shared Value (CSV) initiatives to contribute to positive the economic and social opportunities in the local area, and proactively share benefits within the community.

### About Enel Green Power

Enel Green Power, within the Enel Group, is the largest private developer of renewable energy globally, with around 59 Gigawatt (GW) of installed renewables capacity across Europe, the Americas, Africa, Asia and Oceania.

Enel Green Power entered the Australian market in 2017 with the construction of one of Australia's largest solar plants, Bungala Solar Farm located in South Australia. Australian operations now include three solar plants with a consolidated capacity of around 310 megawatts (MW), a wind farm under construction in Western Australia and a significant pipeline of projects under development across Australia.

### More information

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