

## Fact sheet

### Sharing in the benefits

As New South Wales embraces the opportunities a growing renewable energy industry brings, ACEN Australia understands the importance of sharing in the benefits that Aquila Wind can provide.

#### Jobs and business

We have a commitment to employ and buy locally where we can so we can keep the benefits local. Our approach to maximising opportunities for local participation is centred on four key areas.



Prioritise the procurement of local businesses for goods and services



Encourage and facilitate future local business capability



Prioritise local employment



Encourage and facilitate future local employment through training and skills pathways



With such a significant construction investment, it is anticipated that there will be many opportunities for local businesses to be involved.

Goods and services likely to be procured locally include:

- Accommodation and catering
- Engineering
- Construction materials and equipment
- Local labour
- Earthworks services
- Fencing and landscaping
- Environmental monitoring.

Due to the size of the project and the specialised skill set required, it is likely that skilled workers from outside the region will also be required during the construction period.


#### Community benefit funding

We understand that community expectation for benefit sharing has shifted, and rightly so. We also believe that benefit sharing goes beyond making cash-based contributions, and towards legacy investments delivered in partnership with communities.

Our approach to benefit sharing for the project will be informed by local needs, priorities and aspirations, and we will be seeking input from community, stakeholders and government on what this looks like as the project progresses.



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