



Silverton Wind Farm Community Consultative Committee

Meeting Minutes

Meeting	Silverton Windfarm CCC Meeting No 42	
Date	25 Jun 2025	
Time	4.30pm	
Attendees	<p>Garry West (GW), Independent Chair</p> <p>Peter Price (PP), Silverton Village Committee</p> <p>Koel Wrigley (KW) Senior Community and Stakeholder Engagement Advisor, TILT Renewables</p> <p>Ian Green, President, Silverton Village Committee</p>	<p>Kevin White (KevinW), Historic Daydream Mine</p> <p>Damian Piasente , Service Site Manager, Silverton Wind Farm</p>
Apologies	<p>Cynthia Langford (CL), Purnamoota Station</p> <p>Helen Murray (HM), Silverton Village Committee</p> <p>Dr Elizabeth Beavis (EB) Asset Manager, TILT Renewables</p>	

Item	Description	Action
1	Chair opened the Silverton Wind Farm Community Consultative Committee Meeting No.42 Chair noted apologies.	Note
2	Previous Minutes	
2.41.01	Minutes from Community Consultative Committee Meeting No.41 were accepted as true and accurate record.	Note
3	Actions Arising	
3.41.01	GW & KW both advised they had contacted TfNSW regarding the need for an upgrade of the Daydream Mine road. KevinW noted that whilst some works had been carried out the condition has not improved.	
3.41.02	KW to circulate the 3 Year Independent Audit reported at the previous meeting.	
3.41.03	GW reported he has had communication with an interested person regarding membership but further contact has been received.	
4	Project Update – Damian Piasente, Site Service Manager	

	<p>DP provided the following update:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Since the last meeting GE has organised the annual maintenance for the substation (December) and wind turbines (May-ongoing). The maintenance contract cycle is 10 years plus five year extensions. 2. Several major components (generators and gearboxes) have been exchanged due to faults. 3. Reliability of the wind farm is improving, with several technical issues resolved recently. 4. A new blade was brought on site as a spare, however, the blade repair team have been able to complete a complex repair on a damaged blade, so the spare won't be needed in the short term and will be stored on site. 5. Energy production since the start of June is about 500GWh. This is enough to power over 68,000 households for a year. 6. The wind farm has 3 full time employees all living locally with 2 local contractors on call Monday-Friday. 	Note
5	Silverton Community Enhancement Fund & Sponsorships	
5.41.1	<p>KW provided an update on the Community Enhancement Fund and Sponsorships.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. \$17,500 again will be available for the 25/26 financial year. 2. Will be using the Bendigo Bank application system. 3. Will mean applications will be submitted through them. This process has been successfully done for a few other wind farms within the Tilt portfolio. 4. Applicants will have to be not-for-profit. 5. The CCC will have the role of reviewing applications and give Tilt recommendations, who will make the final decision. 6. After discussion it was agreed to open the Fund for applications for the month of September 2025. This will allow the CCC meeting planned for the end of October 2025 to consider and make recommendations. 7. Several local projects were discussed but no formal resolution at this stage. 8. Tilt has separate budgets for sponsorships. Approximately \$5,000 per asset. 9. Projects funded in the past 12 months were: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VMS boards for Mundi Mundi Bash • Plan B Bus for Recovery Day • Upgrade of water system at Jubilee Oval • Jerseys for the Alma Soccer Club. • Donation to the annual RFDS Ball <p><i>Whilst it is Tilt's discretion how sponsorships are chosen, suggestions are welcome.</i></p>	<p>Note</p> <p>Applications open during September</p>
6.	General Business	

6.41.01	KevinW requested a sign be erected at the Wind Farm/Day Dream Mine intersection as some visitors were heading to the Wind Farm. DP concurred. ACTION	Action: Tilt to approach TfNSW to erect tourist sign at intersection.	
6.41.02	PP questioned if Tilt were able to host Wind Farm tours. DP raise risk issues. KW indicated a possible one off may be possibly. Will seek advice. It was agreed interpretive signage at a suitable viewing area might be considered as alternative.		
6.41.03	KW advised she was preparing a newsletter for distribution.		
6.41.04	KW requested members to complete the evaluation survey provided in the meeting presentation.		
7	Next meeting		
	The next meeting was agreed for Wednesday 29 October, 2025.	Note	