

Goschen Project Newsletter

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Project Update

Work Plan Submission and Bond

The Work Plan was submitted to Resources Victoria for assessment during the quarter. The VHM team are working closely with Resources Victoria and referral agencies to ensure the Work Plan is approved in a timely manner.

Discussions on the bond for the Project with Resources Victoria have also started.

Community Reference Group

As mentioned in the last update, VHM will be re-forming the Goschen Project Community Reference Group soon, which we hope to have up and running before the end of 2025. This forum will help us to engage with a broad cross section of the community, including neighbours, State and local government agencies and special interest groups. Community feedback will play an important role in shaping how we deliver and manage construction, the mining operation, rehabilitation of mined areas and mine closure in years to come. Terms of reference are being finalised and opportunities for members of the public to participate in the group will be advertised in the coming months.

Community Information Sessions

Drop-in information sessions were held in Swan Hill, Ultima, Lalbert, Quambatook and Kerang in the first week of June. The sessions were well attended and provided a great opportunity for members of the VHM team to interact with and provide information to members of those communities whether they support the Project or not. Thank you to everyone who took the time to come and say hello and ask questions about the Project.



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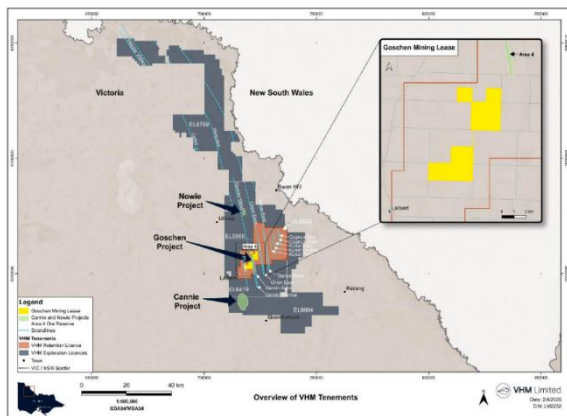
Gannawarra Shire Site Tour

Gannawarra Councillors joined members of the VHM team in May to obtain an update on the status of the Project and visit the Project site as part of a review of projects within their Shire.



Accommodation Expression of Interest

The Accommodation Expression of Interest is progressing well. Interviews with prospective accommodation providers for the Project were conducted late in June. Review of the submissions from the Companies being interviewed is now underway.



Next Steps in Approvals Process

With the Environment Effects Statement (EES) endorsement received and Mining Licence approved, all necessary remaining secondary approvals to construct, operate and close the project are progressing. This will include a Work Plan which will provide governance over operations at the Goschen Project.

As the Mining Licence holder, the Company will be entitled to mine the land covered by the licence; explore for minerals and construct mining facilities related to the mining operation. The licence covers the areas outlined in yellow, in the insert map above.

Works in the Area

The below works are planned for the coming months so you may notice some work crews in the area. Please note our contractors and sub-contractors have been briefed on the need to adhere to speed limits and to respect the community when using local roads.

Cultural Heritage survey work at Kangaroo Lake and along the pipeline route

Native vegetation survey work

Detail design and survey work for Kangaroo Lake Pipeline

Groundwater and Air quality monitoring around the proposed mine site

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