

Goschen Project Newsletter

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- Work Plan Approval
- CHMP Approval
- Community Reference Group

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Have you got a question or comment? Please feel free to contact us and share your views on the Goschen Project.

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Project Update

What a Year!

2025 has been a landmark year for the Goschen Project, and we couldn't have done it without you – our incredible community. Together, we've achieved major milestones that pave the way for a prosperous future for Swan Hill, Gannawarra, and the wider region.

Work Plan Approval – A Game-Changer for Our Region

In November, the Victorian Government gave the green light to the Goschen Rare Earths and Mineral Sands Project Work Plan – the final regulatory approval needed before mining can begin. This milestone means we're one step closer to construction and, ultimately, creating around 200 local jobs and partnering with local suppliers wherever possible.

Cultural Heritage Management Plan – Respecting Our Shared History

In October, we secured approval for the Cultural Heritage Management Plan (CHMP), thanks to strong collaboration with the Barapa Barapa and Wamba Wemba communities. These partnerships will continue to guide us as we move forward, ensuring cultural respect remains at the heart of everything we do.

Community Reference Group – Your Voice Matters

With approvals in place, we're launching a Community Reference Group (CRG) in the New Year. This is your chance to stay informed, share feedback, and help shape the future of the Goschen Project. Interested? Email us at community@vhmltd.com.au

Thank You & Season's Greetings

As we wrap up 2025, we want to say a heartfelt thank you to the Swan Hill and Gannawarra communities for your support and collaboration. We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year filled with joy and good health. Here's to an exciting 2026 – working together to bring lasting benefits to our region!

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