

# Flyers Creek Wind Farm CCC-Annual report 2023

## Community Consultative Committee Details

<b>CCC/Project name</b>	Flyers Creek Wind Farm	<b>Reporting Period</b>	Jan 2023-Dec 2023
<b>Independent Chairperson</b>	Ian Rogan	<b>Proponent Contact</b>	Joshua Fitzgerald

### 1. Executive Summary

The Flyers Creek Wind Farm CCC met 4 times in 2023. At each meeting, the Iberdrola representatives present, gave the committee updates on infrastructure construction and progressive commissioning of turbines in the wind farm, community communication initiatives, community sponsorship details, and sought feedback on related matters.

CCC members asked questions arising from the community about wind farm construction and operational matters and any concerns/perceived conflicts between wind farm operations and the community.

### 2. CCC activities over the last 12 months

- Meetings held: 1. 24 Jan 2023 2. 17 April 2023 3. 17 July 2023 4. 16 Oct 2023
- Attendance at meetings:

1. 2xBlayney Shire Council (BSC) staff members, chair, 4x community reps, 2x Iberdrola reps.
2. 1x BSC staff member, chair, 3x community reps, 3x Iberdrola reps.
3. 1xBSC staff member, chair, 3x community reps, 3x Iberdrola reps
4. 1x BSC staff member, chair, 2x community reps, 2x Iberdrola reps

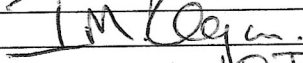
### 3. Key issues

The following were key issues raised by community members (and others) at the CCC meetings:

- There is strong community interest in the timelines for construction and commencement of operations of the wind farm. Suggestions were made about improvements in community consultation and communications.
- The CCC believes that it should play some role with provision of recommendations to Council and Iberdrola about priorities for distribution of Community Benefit Funds and sponsorship funding by Iberdrola.
- There has been feedback by some local contractors providing services/supplies for the construction phase, about poor payment schedules.
- The CCC requested details from Iberdrola on the expected operating life of the windfarm and what is the 'end of life' plan for the wind farm infrastructure.

### 4. Focus for next 12 months

- CCC to meet as required, but probably for 3 times
- Improved community communications and engagement in the process for allocating Community Benefit Funds and sponsorship funds.

Signature of Chair	
Date	10 Jan 2024