



Public Consultation Notice

Aboriginal Heritage Act 1988 (SA)

Neuroodla Renewable Energy Project

Public Consultation Meeting

7:00 pm Thursday 31 March 2022

Microsoft Teams attendance by computer or telephone

Please RSVP to AAR as soon as possible

Project information

Yadlamalka Energy Pty Ltd (Yadlamalka Energy) proposes to build a renewable energy facility at Barndioota near Neuroodla Creek, 30 km west of Hawker. The Project area is shown over the page.

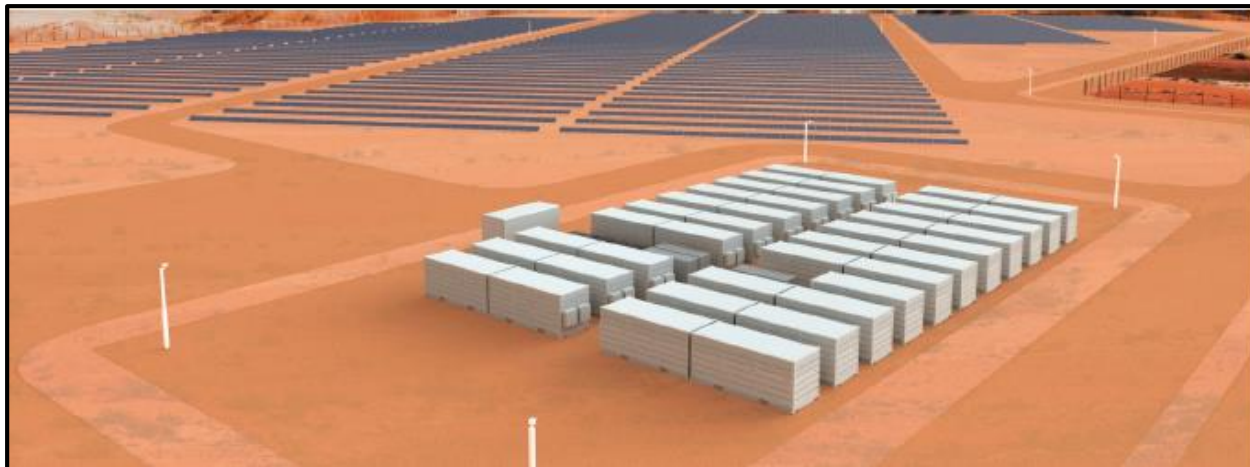
If approved, the Project will involve ground-disturbing works to construct, operate and ultimately decommission an integrated renewable energy facility, which would be made up of solar panels, large batteries and supporting infrastructure.

Purpose of consultation

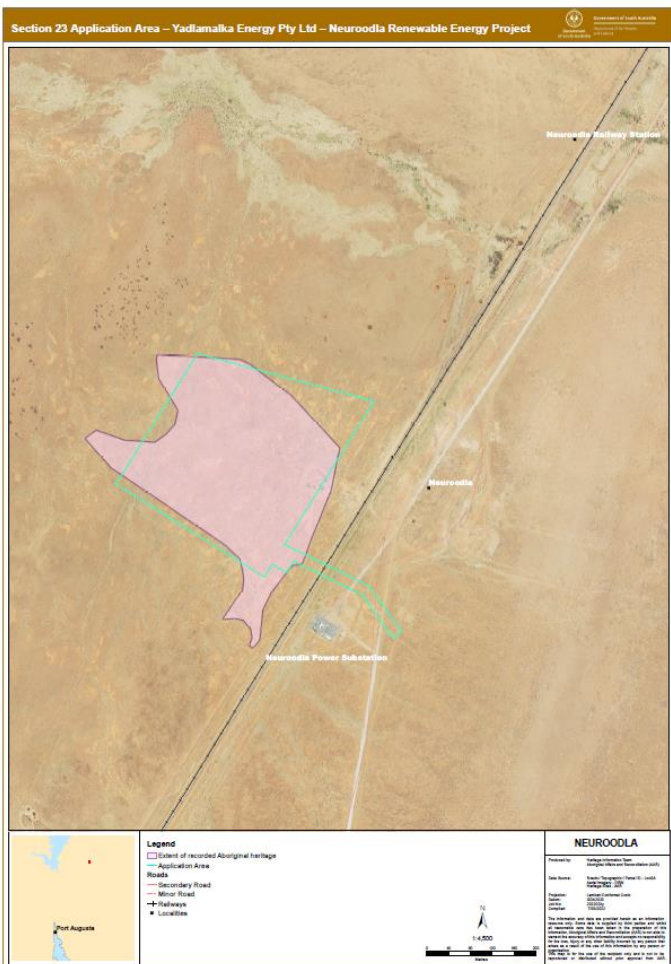
Yadlamalka Energy has sought authorisation under section 23 of the *Aboriginal Heritage Act 1988 (SA)* (Act).

If granted, the authorisation will allow Yadlamalka Energy to damage, disturb or interfere with Aboriginal sites, objects or remains (Aboriginal heritage) in the Project area.

Before considering whether to give an authorisation, the Premier, who is responsible for the Act, must consult with Traditional Owners and interested Aboriginal parties.



Artist's impression of the renewable energy project provided for illustrative purposes (image courtesy of Yadlamalka Energy)



Map showing the extent of the recorded Aboriginal heritage intersecting the Project area (map courtesy of the AAR)

Aboriginal heritage

Aboriginal Affairs and Reconciliation (AAR) has confirmed that the Project area intersects extensive Aboriginal archaeology.

Four heritage assessments were carried out over parts of the Project area in 2021. Two have involved representatives of the Viliwarinha Yura Aboriginal Corporation. For further information, visit dpc.sa.gov.au/heritage-applications.

Yadlamalka Energy says that it proposes to take steps to minimise impacts to Aboriginal heritage within the Project area, including:

- developing a cultural heritage management plan
- engaging heritage monitors
- where possible, salvaging, storing and/or relocating objects to another part of the Project area, or to another area within the vicinity of the Project area
- complying with AAR's *Aboriginal Heritage Discovery Protocols*.

Getting involved

If you are a Traditional Owner, or an interested Aboriginal person or organisation, AAR wants to hear from you.

You can ask questions about the Project, or give AAR your views by:

Emailing: DPC-AAR.CIR@sa.gov.au
Calling: (08) 8303 0742
Writing to: Mr Alex van Wessem
Principal Project Officer
AAR
GPO Box 2343
ADELAIDE SA 5001

Please share this information with other Traditional Owners and interested Aboriginal people.

Questions to consider

1. Should the Project go ahead or not, and the reasons for your view?
2. Should any conditions apply, if the Project goes ahead?
3. Is there anything else you wish to raise with the Premier about this matter?

Consultation closes Thursday 21 April 2022

Further information

AAR has prepared a detailed consultation pack for the Project. The pack is available at dpc.sa.gov.au/heritage-applications.

If you would like to receive a consultation pack via email or mail, please let AAR know.