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Maxwell Downs Solar Farm

The Department of Planning and Environment – Crown Lands has reviewed the proposal.

No Crown land/roads/waterways are contained within the project footprint, however a Crown Public Road adjoins the project footprint to the south. If the proposal requires the use of the Crown Public Road in order to implement the Maxwell Downs Solar Farm proposal, the road is to be transferred to Wagga Wagga City Council.

Lineal Infrastructure (e.g. Pipelines and/or Electricity Transmission lines) traversing Crown land/roads

If lineal infrastructure (such as pipelines and/or electricity transmission lines) are expected to traverse Crown land, roads and/or waterways, an easement over said Crown land, roads and/or waterways will be required for protection of the infrastructure. To discuss easement requirements, please contact the Acquisitions team at the earliest opportunity at: cl.acquisitions@crownland.nsw.gov.au.

In order for transmission lines to traverse Crown land and/or roads, the proponent will need to apply for easements.

Information regarding the easement process is available at the below link: https://www.industry.nsw.gov.au/lands/use/easements

As the easement process may be lengthy, it is also recommended that the proponent apply for a licence for each Crown road and Crown land lot as soon as possible. A licence will temporarily authorise use and access for the infrastructure to traverse Crown roads and Crown land whilst the easement applications are being processed.

Details on how to apply for a licence are available at the below link: https://www.industry.nsw.gov.au/lands/use/licences

It is important to note that licences or easements must be in place before infrastructure can traverse Crown land or roads.

It is important to note that authority must be in place before Crown land or roads can be used, traversed, accessed or infrastructure can be built.

If the proponent requires further information, or has any questions, please contact Paula Gilchrist, Natural Resource Management Project Officer in Crown Lands, on 02 69372716 or at paula.gilchrist@crownland.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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