Thesium Pty Ltd

Biodiversity offsets sourcing and administration



Information about the supply of Biodiversity Credits

Friday, 13 December 2024

Re: Hume North Battery Energy Storage System (SSD-61842974)

Thesium Pty Ltd is one of the major suppliers of biodiversity credits in the NSW Biodiversity Offset Scheme in regard to spatial coverage and matching, like-for-like (and variation) matching of ecosystem credits and in the diversity of species credits available through ourselves and our array of suppliers across NSW.

We endeavour to 'pre-empt demand', identifying where projects will likely induce a need to offset the biodiversity impacts of their development, and what the likely scale and diversity of those impacts will be. We have stewardship sites we manage ourselves, those we manage with others through existing joint venture arrangements, and also happily consider the provision of assistance to developers and others who may wish to establish stewardship sites to offset the impacts of development.

We identify that we have (or are in the process of obtaining) credits that match the identified EIS needs of this project in the following ways.

Impact	OTG	Needed	Available from Thesium
PCT 266: White Box grassy woodland in the upper slopes sub-region of the NSW South Western Slopes Bioregion	White Box - Yellow Box – Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland (TEC)	3	 1,269 of matching Threatened Ecological Community (TEC) from the Capertee Valley subregion (adjacent subregion; 955 with hollows). 247 of matching TEC from the Hill End subregion (adjacent subregion; 64 with hollows).

We would welcome the opportunity to enter into – or continue – discussions with regard to the capacity and ability of business to service the needs your project will have for biodiversity credits.

Yours sincerely,

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