

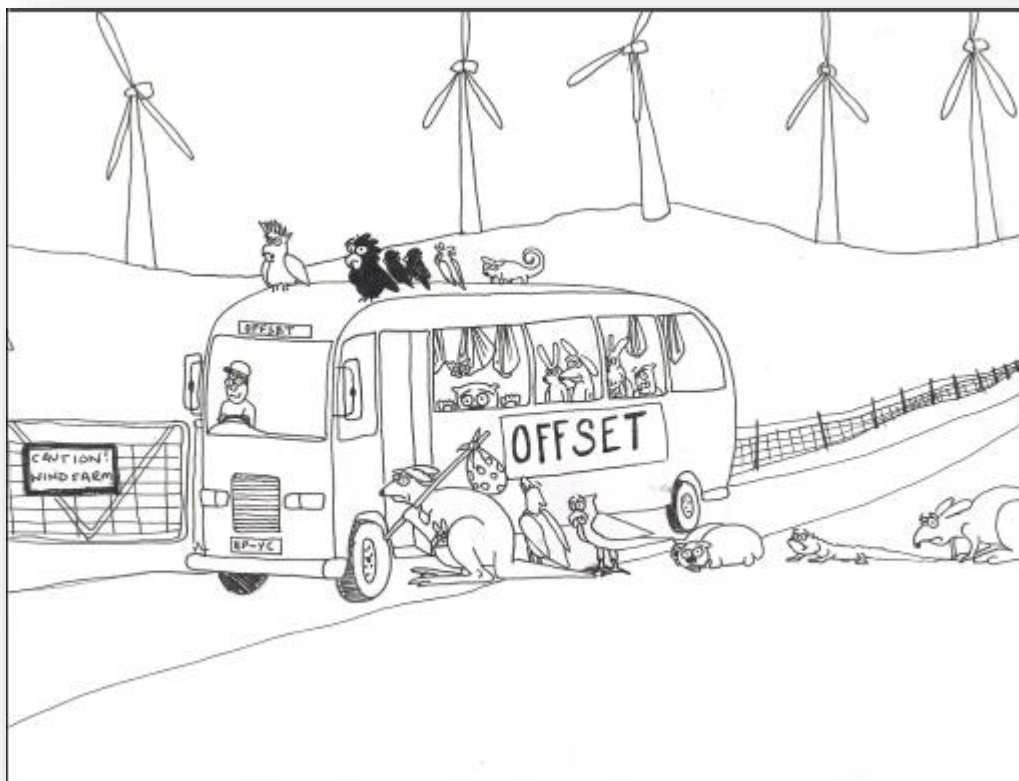
Submission to the Jupiter Wind Farm EIS on Public Exhibition

Offset What?

Thank you for the opportunity to provide a submission to the assessment of the proposed Jupiter Wind Farm currently on Public Exhibition. I oppose this proposal as a resident of the Mulloon rural subdivision.

I object to the use of offset as a solution for habitat loss for the proposed Jupiter Wind Farm.

The cartoon below was commissioned by the Mulloon Matters Group and created by artist Jared Watt. The cartoon depicts a fictional concept of wildlife boarding an Offset bus to be taken to their new territory. It graphically illustrates the absurdity of offsetting habitat loss. An offset already exists and is fully occupied. An offset is some distance from the original site. The animals don't know about it and cannot get there.



An offset does not take into account the high value I place on having wildlife on my property. Can the Department guarantee that wildlife on my property will not be affected by the Jupiter Wind Farm?