

Crookwell 2 Wind Farm - MOD 2 AND Crookwell 3 Wind Farm

This is a positive submission.

My biggest concern is global warming and the future of my children and grandchildren. The climate is changing and if even some of the extreme events occur that have been predicted it will be a scary place.

We need to reduce and hopefully soon stop emitting carbon dioxide into our air to be able to slow and stop global warming.

By replacing coal power with wind is a good place to start, so we should be building as many wind power installations as possible.

If you look at how much energy (650 Gigawatts annually) is forecasted to be produced from this wind farm and how much coal is not burnt, then we must build it.

There are many other benefits that need to be considered as well these include;

- Jobs during construct
- Ongoing jobs to manage and run the wind farm
- Income to land holders
- A large ongoing community fund to the town
- Increased commerce in the local area because of the wind farm
- The investment in state infrastructure and grid
- Growing the national assets
- Moving money into the regional area away from the city environment

In summary wind is still the only technology available to provide this amount of energy with little or no impact on the environment.

Crookwell is only 50ks from where I live and the other wind farms can all be seen from the hill on my place and I hope to be able to see these in the near future.

Regards

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