

# WELCOME

## NWTD STAKEHOLDER LIASION GROUP: MEETING FIVE

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# Today

- Welcome from Chair
- Acknowledgement of Country
- Agenda
- SLG members update

# MEMBER UPDATE

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# KEY UPDATES

## PROJECT & ENGAGEMENT NEWS

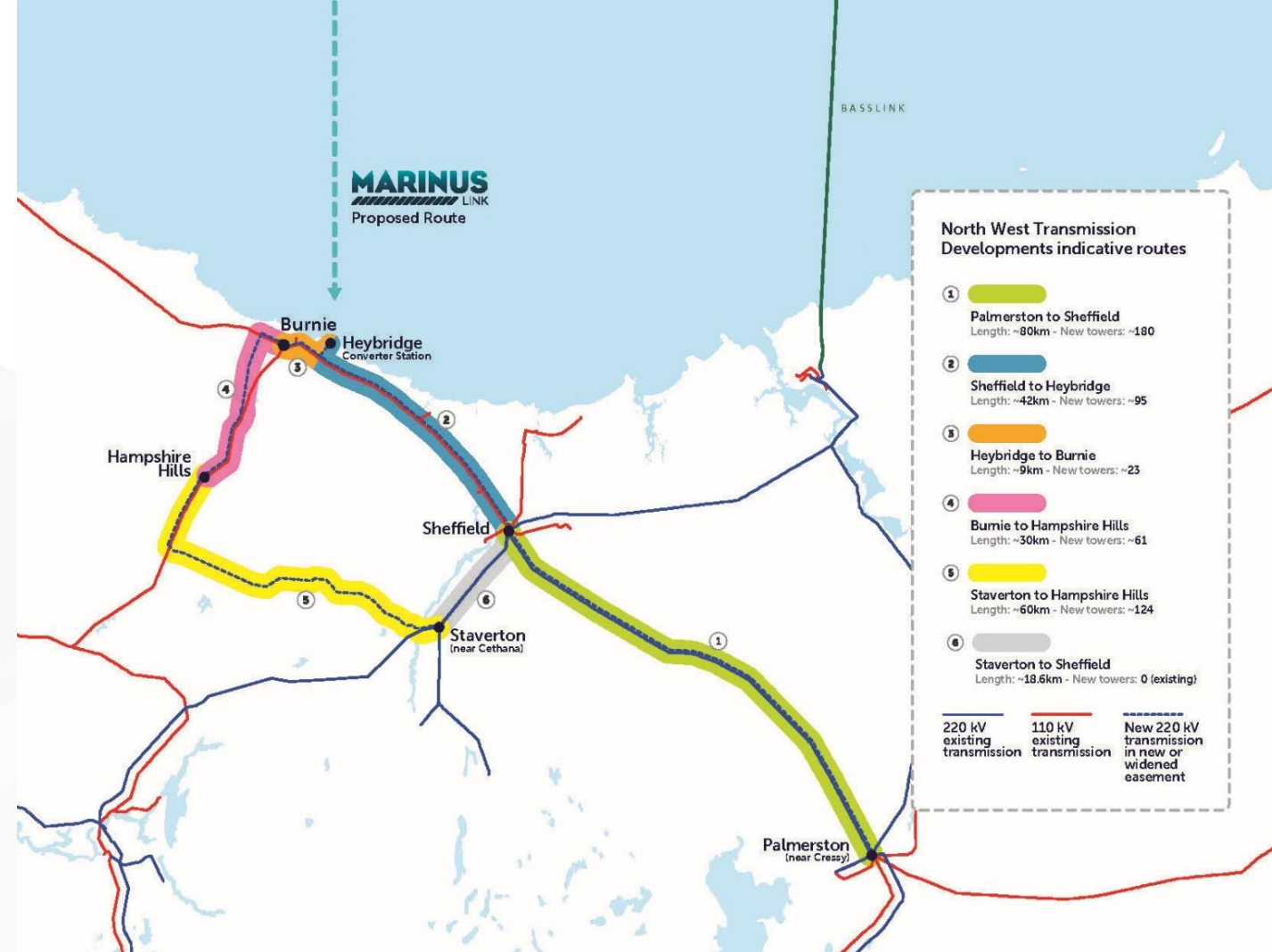
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# Project News

- Funding update
- EPBC Act referrals
- Palmerston to Sheffield – site visits
- Staverton to Hampshire – field surveys
- Remaining North West – field surveys
- Economic Development



# Engagement News

- Tourism Impact Assessment
- Energy Charter
- Events

# YOUTH PANEL – DRAFT COMMUNITY BENEFITS SHARING PROGRAM RECOMMENDATIONS

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# Youth Panel Process

- Youth panel members included 15 young people (18-25 years of age) from across the north and north west
- Met five times from March to May, online and in person
- Co-designed a draft community benefits sharing framework for the development of a NWTD Community Benefits Sharing Program
- Panel process resulted in several draft recommendations.





# Draft recommendations – CBSP Focus areas

1. Health and well-being including mental and physical health
2. Community infrastructure
3. Environment/sustainability
4. Accessibility and availability to reliable services eg transport, medical services
5. Community arts initiatives, including events
6. Education eg literacy and numeracy, employment skills and training
7. Encouraging a sense of community.

# Draft recommendations – who can apply?

Anyone can apply for CBSP funding, with the below conditions:

- The initiative needs to benefit the identified community
- Excludes applications for religious, political purposes or individual gain
- Applications from individuals or commercial entities must demonstrate community support eg can include start-ups
- The initiative must be Australian owned or registered
- Priority to be given to Tasmanian owned initiatives, or individuals and business owners within the six LGAs impacted by the North West Transmission Developments.

# Draft recommendations – eligibility

To be eligible, an initiative needs to:

1. Align with one or more CBSP focus areas
2. Benefit a defined community
3. Primarily benefits communities within the six LGAs impacted by the North West Transmission Developments
4. Demonstrate values of inclusion, accessibility, long-term impact and sustainability
5. Have a positive impact and demonstrated benefit.

# Draft recommendations – funding

Three tiers of funding should be available, and the following should apply:

- More burden of proof required as funding tiers increase
- Scale of funding must be proportionate to level of benefit provided
- Support to be provided for smaller organisations to increase application accessibility.

# Community consultation plan

- Feedback on the draft Youth Panel recommendations to be sought from stakeholders and the broader community
- Youth Panel to reconvene, review feedback and finalise the draft NWTD Community Benefits Sharing Framework
- Once finalised, the draft framework will be presented to the TasNetworks Leadership Team and Board to review and endorse.

## Broader engagement

- From mid-July opportunities to provide feedback will include August SLG meeting, stakeholder workshops, focus groups, community pop-up events and an online feedback process
- Opportunities promoted via media, website and social media.



# Governance

- Broader engagement to also explore and seek feedback on the most effective and appropriate governance models for implementing the Community Benefits Sharing Program (CBSP)
- Engagement activities to include SLG meetings and targeted stakeholder engagement meetings.

## Role of SLG

- Focus today is to explore different models of governance for the CBSP
- August meeting:
  - Share a summary of the feedback received from broader engagement on the draft Youth Panel recommendations and governance models
  - Facilitated discussion to understand perceptions on the recommendations and governance options
  - SLG will be asked to put forward recommendations to TasNetworks on governance arrangements for the CBSP.

# YOUTH PANEL GOVERNANCE

## GROUP DISCUSSION

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# PROJECT MARINUS FUNDING OPTIONS

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# ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACTION PLAN – IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

CARRIE HUGHES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LEAD, NWTD

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# THANK YOU

NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST, BURNIE

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