

Submission detail	Response to submission	How comments have been addressed
Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation (MAC)		
<p>No ground broken prior to finalising an agreed Cultural Heritage Management Plan</p>	<p>Horizon Power recognises the importance of having Traditional Owners provide feedback into Cultural Heritage Management Plans (CHMP), MAC's input is key to effectively managing cultural heritage aspects of this proposal.</p> <p>A draft CHMP plan was first provided to MAC in January 2023 and Horizon Power has regularly encouraged MAC to review the document and provide feedback with no response received to date. Horizon Power offered assistance to MAC with resourcing, along with offering to present the draft plan to the MAC Circle of Elders.</p> <p>To date, Horizon Power has conducted 6 Aboriginal cultural heritage surveys in collaboration with MAC and NAC on the proposed Development Envelope (DE) for the proposal, which is a total of 84.71 ha. All heritage features identified will be avoided by the project. Horizon Power is committed to having Aboriginal cultural heritage monitors on site during initial ground disturbing works to ensure no adverse impacts to heritage sites occurs.</p>	<p>No change to the documentation has been made in response to this comment.</p> <p>The ACHMP is a live document and will be updated in response to any comments received from MAC.</p>
<p>No ground broken prior to agreeing a financial contribution package</p>	<p>Acknowledged. Horizon Power is negotiating a benefit sharing arrangement with MAC in relation to economic benefit derived on Country.</p>	<p>No change to the documentation has been made in response to this comment. Any financial contributions will be confidential.</p>
<p>Continuing consultation with the MAC Board and Circle of Elders on cultural heritage matters as they arise during construction</p>	<p>Horizon Power will establish regular liaison with a representative from MAC, subject to MAC's availability (Communication and Engagement Plan, page 21).</p> <p>Consistent with the Preliminary Documentation Section 1.3 and Section 7, Horizon Power will engage MAC to deliver cultural heritage awareness training for project personnel and will have Aboriginal cultural heritage monitors on site during initial ground disturbing works to ensure no adverse impacts to heritage sites occurs.</p>	<p>The Communication and Engagement Plan for the Proposed Action is included in Attachment 3.</p>

<p>Further consultation of managing the visual impact of cleared land (ie: revegetation of cleared and disturbed areas, both under transmission lines and construction pads)</p>	<p>Temporary cleared areas will be rehabilitated in accordance with the Environmental Management Plan (EMP, Section 10.1.1, Table 10-1).</p> <p>Further, and at MAC’s request, Horizon Power is painting the poles a rust-red colour to help blend with the landscape.</p>	<p>No change to the documentation has been made in response to this comment.</p>
<p>Ngarluma Aboriginal Corporation (NAC)</p>		
<p>Impact on the National Heritage Place. This impact includes the risk of cumulative damage due to infrastructure creep.</p>	<p>In accordance with the Burrup Maitland Industrial Estate Agreement (BMIEA), Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation is the Approved Body Corporate for the Burrup Peninsula. Horizon Power has worked with MAC to undertake Aboriginal heritage site avoidance surveys to optimise the transmission line route and avoid sites of cultural significance.</p> <p>In February 2024, the Cook Government, the Commonwealth Environment and Water Minister Tanya Plibersek, Aboriginal Affairs Minister Dr Tony Buti, the Environment Minister Reece Whitby along with Horizon Power CEO Stephanie Unwin and Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation CEO Kim Wood and Chairperson Peter Hicks, signed a Statement of Intent to guide an agreement on the management, protection, and conservation of Murujuga Country.</p> <p>The Statement of Intent outlines how government, industry and the MAC will work together to negotiate the terms of a Strategic Head Agreement, to support the management of the peninsula while encouraging ongoing economic opportunities. Significant milestone for protection of Murujuga country Western Australian Government (www.wa.gov.au)</p>	<p>No change to the documentation has been made in response to this comment.</p> <p>The Communication and Engagement Plan for the Proposed Action is included in Attachment 3.</p>
<p>The limited social and economic value of transmission line. The line will have a negligible impact on greenhouse gas emissions and, absent infrastructure creep, will operate as a restraint on further</p>	<p>The Burrup Common User Transmission Infrastructure project will facilitate the connection of the Woodside solar facility at Maitland Industrial Estate to users on the Burrup Peninsula.</p> <p>This project is aligned with the Western Australian Climate Change Policy 2050 targets for decarbonisation. Based on the decarbonisation estimates detailed in the Woodside Solar Facility Environmental Referral Supporting Document (Woodside, 2021), the Burrup Common User Transmission Infrastructure can transmit up to 50MW and therefore will support the abatement of approximately 50 ktCO₂-e per annum.</p>	<p>No change to the documentation has been made in response to this comment.</p>

<p>decarbonisation of industry on the Burrup.</p>	<p>The Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation (JTSI) requested Horizon Power develop Common User Infrastructure on the Burrup Peninsula, to facilitate decarbonisation requirements whilst preventing the cumulative impact to the National Heritage Place.</p> <p>As detailed in the Proposed Action referral section 2.3, Horizon Power considered four options for servicing electrical requirements of the Burrup SIA, where it was determined that the 132 kV option supported both the medium case and high case scenarios. This option also has minimal impact to future transmission corridors that would be required to service either the medium case or high case options, as well as proposed renewable projects in the area.</p> <p>Horizon Power is unable to provide commentary on the viability of third-party or competing developments on the Burrup, including NAC's Green Energy Park.</p>	
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