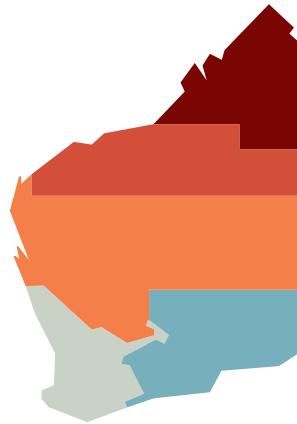


Renew the regions

Aboriginal Community Embedded Networks



**Providing our communities
with utility-standard operations
and maintenance**

This project will upgrade the electrical infrastructure across 13 Aboriginal communities in some of Western Australia's most remote areas. We're engaging with our communities to see where our work can provide opportunities to the broader community

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people of WA*

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Project overview

The Aboriginal Community Embedded Networks Regularisation program will standardise the electricity supply, future operations and maintenance of 13 Aboriginal communities across regional WA. Currently, the overhead and underground electricity infrastructure in these communities are not owned, operated or maintained by us. This program will upgrade the existing infrastructure, where required, and transfer ownership (poles and wires or underground cables) and ongoing responsibility to Horizon Power so we can provide and manage reliable power in our state's remote communities.

Communities included in this program include:

East Kimberley:	Emu Creek, Bell Springs, Mud Springs, Munthanmar, Koongie Park, Mardiwha Loop
West Kimberley:	Joy Springs, Karparrmi, Gillarong, Loanbun
Gascoyne/Midwest:	Woodgamia, Buttah Windee
Goldfields Esperance:	Marmion Village

Key information

Place

13 Aboriginal communities across the Kimberley, Midwest and Goldfields.

Investment

\$3.8 million.

Benefits to our community

- Horizon Power's community first approach will see regional power infrastructure upgrades that will stimulate the local economy through jobs and procurement opportunities.
- Upgraded power infrastructure that provides the same level of service to people living in these communities, as is already enjoyed by the people living in the nearby towns.
- Clarity of ownership and maintenance responsibility for the power lines, power poles and/or underground cables and pillars (green domes).
- Ongoing asset management and maintenance.
- Residents will have access to protections afforded by the Small Use Customer Code and Standard Form Contract.
- The way customers pay for power and the amount they pay will remain in line with the A2 residential tariff.*
- At the completion of this project, customers will be able to call the fault line for any electrical issue and receive assistance from us.

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www.wa.gov.au/government/wa-recovery

Key dates

- Local procurement: January 2021 - December 2021.
- Start installation upgrade works: April - June 2021.
- Project complete: March 2022.

*Residential Tariff

The A2 tariff is the standard residential tariff applied to private dwellings (houses, home units, flats, apartments) used solely for residential purposes. It offers customers the same flat rate energy charge regardless of where they live and which time of the day electricity is used.