



Australian Jobs Act 2013

Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

Nominated project proponent: MAXWELL VENTURES (MANAGEMENT) PTY LTD

Project details

Name: Maxwell Underground Coal Mine

Location: Muswellbrook

Type: Mine or quarry

Purpose: Upgrade existing facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: The Project involves an underground mining operation producing high-quality coals over a period of approximately 26 years, extracting coal from four seams within the Wittingham Coal Measures. The mining methods will consist of first workings by continuous miner development units, and secondary extraction by Longwall operations predominately and some bord and pillar mining (Whynot seam only). The substantial existing Maxwell Infrastructure will be used for handling, processing and transportation of coal for the life of the Project. The Maxwell Infrastructure includes an existing coal handling and preparation plant (CHPP), train load-out facilities and other infrastructure and services (including water management infrastructure, administration buildings, workshops and services). Construction required The level of construction activity for the Project is reduced through the use of the substantial, existing Maxwell Infrastructure. Additional infrastructure, including upgrades to existing infrastructure required to support the Project will be progressively developed during the life of the Project. Key construction activities include: - extension and sealing of the existing site access road to provide access to the mine entry area, - development of the mine entry area for the Maxwell Underground and its surface to seam access drifts; - establishment of infrastructure associated with mine ventilation and gas management, with surface facilities located at the MEA; - development of a transport and services corridor from the MEA to Maxwell Infrastructure, including overhead power lines, water management infrastructure and an overland conveyor system; - construction of power transmission infrastructure including powerlines, a surface switchyard and distribution - upgrades to ROM and product coal stockpiling and handling facilities at the Maxwell Infrastructure

Completion date: 30 Jun 2024

Key goods and services

Indicative list of key goods and services to be acquired for the project:

| Key goods and services | Opportunities for Australian entities* | Opportunities for non-Australian entities | Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities |
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| Engineering & Design Services | Yes | Yes | |
| Coal Handling Process Plant Equipment | Yes | Yes | |
| Mining Equipment | Yes | Yes | |
| Civil & Earthwork | Yes | Yes | |
| Civil Engineering & Design Services | Yes | Yes | |
| Mechanical & Electrical Engineering & Design Services | Yes | Yes | |
| Access roads, MEA earthworks, MEA dams | Yes | Yes | |
| Water and air services | Yes | Yes | |
| Portal entry excavation and related ground support services | Yes | Yes | |
| Drift development (transport and conveyor equipment) | Yes | Yes | |
| Underground pumping & pipe services | Yes | Yes | |
| Underground High Voltage, Communications & Lighting | Yes | Yes | |
| Gas Management (equipment supply) | Yes | Yes | |
| Safety Equipment | Yes | Yes | |
| Ventilation Services (Ventilation shaft and underground equipment) | Yes | Yes | |
| Underground Mine Equipment- Fans, CMs, Shuttle cars, Breaker Feeders, Electrical | Yes | Yes | |
| Longwall Equipment | Yes | Yes | |
| Coal Clearance Equipment - Drift, Trunk & Panel Conveyors | Yes | Yes | |
| Longwall Conveyors | Yes | Yes | |
| UG mobile fleet - PTs, graders, LHD's, QDS attachments) | Yes | Yes | |
| Coal handling equipment - reclaim & overland conveyors, sizing station | Yes | Yes | |
| Power supply - 33kV Supply & MEA Switchyard & 11kV Reticulation | Yes | Yes | |
| Mine Surface Ventilation - Main Fans | Yes | Yes | |
| Rail upgrades & repairs - TLO upgrade, trackwork etc | Yes | Yes | |

* An Australian entity is an entity with an ABN or ACN

Project standards:

Australian
International

Supplier information and communication

Project proponent's contact person for supplier enquiries:

Contact person name Lindi-May Lochner
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Project proponent website: <https://malabarresources.com.au/about-us/assets/maxwell-underground-mine>

Project opportunities website: <https://malabarresources.com.au/contact#current-tenders>

Supplier engagement and communication actions :

- Promote project opportunities through industry associations
- Conduct supplier information briefings on project opportunities and bid processes
- Issue media releases or ASX announcements on project developments and opportunities
- Develop and distribute a supplier information guide for the project

Building Australian industry capability

Supplier capability development actions:

- Encourage joint ventures and alliances between suppliers
- Support suppliers with Maxwell / Supplier alliances

Global supply chain integration actions:

- Provide references for high performing suppliers

Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

The offer of feedback will be in writing and made at the time unsuccessful Australian suppliers are notified of the outcome.