



# Warwick Solar Farm

## February 2019 update



### What is the status of the project?

Construction of the Warwick Solar Farm project is about to begin. The University of Queensland has appointed Lendlease to lead this phase of the project. They are due to be on site around mid-February.



### What is the construction schedule?

Activity in coming weeks will include fencing and the installation of site offices. Core construction work is expected to begin by early April.

Factors such as weather can have a significant impact on scheduling. The dates opposite are provided as a guide, and are subject to change.



### What can I expect during construction?

A range of measures have been put in place to minimise disruption for nearby residents. This will include sensitive scheduling of activities requiring heavy vehicles and other machinery, and the use of water trucks to suppress dust.



### What will the working hours of the site be?

Work on site will typically take place between the hours of 7am and 6pm, Monday to Saturday. Low impact activities not involving the use of heavy machinery, such as electrical installation and commissioning, may occur on Sundays but will be avoided as far as possible. Delivery of materials to the site will only occur Monday to Friday. No works will be undertaken at night.

### Construction schedule

Installation of site offices and fencing	Feb – Mar
Clearing and minor earthworks	Feb – Apr
Planting of vegetation screening	Mar – Apr
Perimeter and internal roads	Apr – May
Upgrade to Freestone Rd and Robinson Rd intersection	Apr – May
Installation of support structures	Apr – Jul
Solar panel installation	Jun – Sept
Inverter installation	Jun – Sept
Connection works (including power lines)*	Jun – Aug

\*subject to permits



### What about trees and shrubs?

Work to plant 30,000 trees and shrubs to create more than five kilometres of screening around the site is due to begin in April, weather permitting. The trees, including the *Flindersia australis* (crows ash) pictured above, are now growing at a specialist native plant nursery. Any irrigation on the site will use treated recycled water.



### How can I get more information?

The UQ Sustainability website will be kept up to date with information as the project progresses.

[sustainability.uq.edu.au/warwick-solar-farm](http://sustainability.uq.edu.au/warwick-solar-farm)



### How can I provide feedback during construction?

Lendlease can be contacted directly regarding construction-related matters via the project hotline **1800 717 383** or by email [warricksolarfarm@lendlease.com](mailto:warricksolarfarm@lendlease.com).

For general enquiries, email [warricksolar@uq.edu.au](mailto:warricksolar@uq.edu.au).



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