

Curra Community Power Supply Update



February 2024

Ergon Energy Network is currently upgrading the electricity network supplying Curra Estate and the surrounding area to help improve the local power reliability.

The \$1.5 million electricity distribution network upgrade is significant, already requiring detailed design and planning to get to this point.

The upgrade will provide an additional powerline 'feeder tie' into the area, giving our crews more options for restoring or maintaining the electricity supply when there is an issue. This investment will also increase the network's capacity in the area.

We also have land in the area for future network infrastructure to support population growth.

We understand the community has experienced several unplanned power outages recently, largely due to the storm activity. Even storms that do not cause visible damage can trigger our protection equipment. Like a safety switch in a house, their role is to turn the power off when a fault is detected to keep the network and the community safe.

While electricity reliability is expected to improve once the project is complete, in the interim, Ergon Energy Network crews are ready to respond to any unplanned outages during the summer storm season as quickly and safely as possible.

We appreciate your patience in the weeks ahead as our crews and contractors undertake this work.

To do this work safely may require planned power outages. If your property is going to be impacted by the works, you will be notified in advance.

Weather permitting, we are expecting the project to be completed by the end of March.

If you have a question or would like to provide feedback on this project, email us at community@ergon.com.au



Works are underway to upgrade the power supply to the Curra community.

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Emergency (24/7)

**000 or
13 16 70**

To report life threatening emergencies like fallen powerlines or shocks & tingles.



Power Outages
(24/7)

13 22 96

If you have lost power or are experiencing electricity supply problems.



General Enquiries

13 74 66

For general enquiries, call from 7:00am to 5:00pm Monday - Friday, or call after hours for planned interruption enquiries.