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## ElectraNet NTx Issues

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Eudunda Community Business and Tourism submission to ENet NTx South.pdf;

Hi Tony,

Thank you for taking the time to visit and reach out to our community personally.

I really hope that your passion and drive can help us with our concerns for not just this current project, but all future projects through our community.

Mary Morris has been integral in networking and data collection of our concerns regarding this specific project. I have attached a copy of our response to ElectraNet's NTx Project team, which is very detailed with our many concerns that have been grouped into similar categories.

With your comments about needing feedback/complaints to be sent through to yourself, we have copious amounts of responses to a survey Mary Morris organised. We would be happy to provide you some information, but we would have to sanitise the data to prevent sensitive information being distributed. What I would need is for some guidance on how you would like the information to be collated.

In response to your comments regarding the fact sheets, potentially the attached document may help guide you on areas that would benefit for better clarity and future fact sheets. I would appreciate if you could add me to any mailing lists so I can promptly share the fact sheets with our community, as they become available.

As per our discussion today, could you please look at how the current project process can be changed, as the engagement process comes before the information providing process which is causing huge issues for landowners to make educated choices about how this would affect their lives/businesses. This is one of my biggest sticking points, as how can you engage in proper due diligence as a business owner (which these farmers are) without all the facts. This makes it inherently risky for all landholders involved.

Currently we are relying on information from other states because ElectraNet has failed to provide specific information on how this would impact farmers ability to utilise their land. In some cases (when they can actually get a response), they have spoken to different representatives and received different answers from each.

I would specifically like to know more detail about what the process should look like, what information we should legally be provided, etc. I am particularly angry about the offhand comments I've been told that others have received from the ElectraNet staff. Some examples are that ElectraNet will just do a forcible acquisition of their land. Another comment is about how ElectraNet will just have environmental protections lifted, do the work, and then have the protections reinstated. As though the environmental damage they will do is not even a consideration, just another hurdle to get their project done. These comments come across as arrogant and dismissive, which is why you had so many people getting angry today.

In response to Mary Morris's comment about our council not helping, while I understand that they have some limitations, the residents have been quite vocal about their issues and have felt that much of their comments have fallen on deaf ears. Collaboration at every level of government has been difficult and felt like screaming into the void. We want information, we want to know how we can engage and what we need to say to make ourselves heard.

Regarding the complaint form on the AEIC website, can I suggest that you make the PDF a form that can be filled out? Not everyone can afford a Microsoft software package or can understand how to work technology sufficiently to find a work around to open and edit the Word document.

Regarding the comments by others about the windfarms productivity, can I suggest the possibility of a dashboard that show which towers are active and, if they aren't, why the aren't? A similar example would be SAPN's power outages map. Like you said, there many reasons why they aren't running, but most people do not understand how a windfarm works in detail. My partner works in the mechanical engineering field, so I get to hear it in detail and understand better than most...

Thank you for your time today and I hope that we can collaborate moving forward to make this as painless as possible.

Kind regards,

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**Subject:** ATTENTION Tony Mahar Fw: Submission from ECBAT regarding the NTx South

Hi Tony

Thanks for attending the Eudunda Forum today.

Please find attached the Eudunda Community Business and Tourism submission to the NTx.

We look forward to ongoing engagement with you to resolve concerns experienced with the community engagement by ElectraNet and Goyder Council re the NTx.

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**Subject:** Submission from ECBAT regarding the NTx South

Please see attached Submission regarding the NTx South Corridor on behalf of the Eudunda Community Business and Tourism Committee NTx Sub Committee

Mary Morris and Sarah Binns