

Jeeralang Diesel Test Running

July 2022

The Jeeralang Power Station is located at Bonds Lane, Hazelwood North.

Jeeralang plays an essential role as a peaking power station providing electricity to the national grid during time of high demand or constrained supply.

The Jeeralang Power Station operates predominantly on gas and has provision to operate on diesel as a back-up fuel.

With uncertainty regarding ongoing gas supply for electricity generation, EnergyAustralia has sought Environment Protection Authority (EPA) approval to operate Jeeralang units on diesel fuel to conduct operational test runs and undertake stack emissions monitoring.

During July, EnergyAustralia will commence test firing on diesel to confirm operational readiness and allow for stack emissions testing. Stack emissions testing involves gathering data from the Jeeralang units when running on diesel for comparison with the parameters applicable to the site's operating licence.

During this testing period, the emissions from the stack will be more visible during diesel testing than when operating on gas.

The Diesel testing will occur infrequently, and over a period of no longer than 90 days. At the conclusion of the 90 day period a report will be provided to the EPA and we will seek feedback from residents.

Should you have any concerns or questions regarding this matter, please contact David Burt, Community Relations Lead on email community.yallourn@energyaustralia.com.au or by telephone **0407 503990**.