

Have your say on Aussie Recycling Greenacre facility upgrades

Community Notification December 2023

About Aussie Skips Recycling

Aussie Skips Recycling Greenacre is a waste handling and transfer facility. Aussie Skips Recycling is an Australian, family-owned, waste management company, which is part of a larger parent company, Aussie Industries. Aussie Industries’ activities include the operation of a collection infrastructure business (Aussie Skips) and two resource recovery facilities - one in Strathfield South and the Site at Greenacre, NSW. Aussie Industries is an important local employer and contributor to social and economic outcomes in Sydney’s south-west.

Currently the materials received at the site are ‘Soil’ and ‘Asphalt and concrete’. Storage and recycling of soil is currently Aussie Recycling Greenacre’s core business. These materials are sourced from a variety of civil and construction locations, mostly from the Greater Sydney Region.

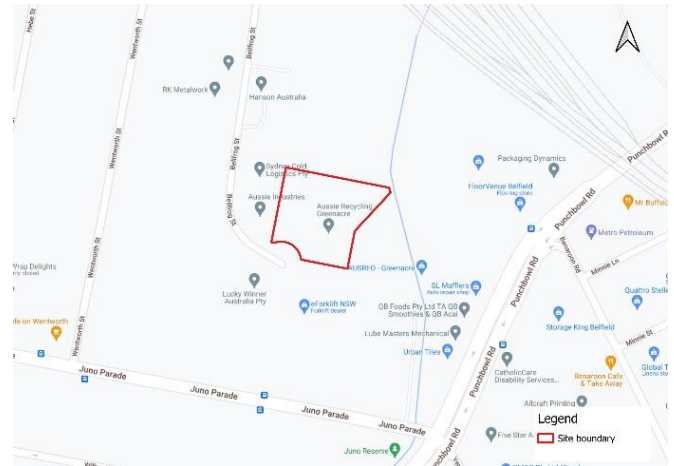
Key features of the proposal

Aussie Recycling is looking to increase the scale of their current waste handling and transfer facility. The proposed development looks to:

1. Increase total throughput from its current 199,000 T per year to 250,000 T per year.
2. Increase the authorised amount from 8,000 T to 14,000 T at any one time.
3. Addition of fixed concrete crushing plant inside the existing warehouse.
4. Acceptance of Potential Acid Sulfate Soils (PASS) and Actual Acid Sulfate Soils (AASS) for treatment and reuse.
5. Addition of a fixed soil processing plant (trommel).
6. Installation of mitigation infrastructure to minimise environmental and community impact.

The location of the proposal

Aussie Skips Recycling facility is located at 13 Bellfrog St, Greenacre, NSW 2190.



Environmental Impact Assessment

It is important that we take the opportunity to highlight key environmental matters and the assessment proposed to address each topic that interest regarding the proposal.

An environmental impact assessment will be undertaken to identify potential impacts on the environment and community as a consequence of the upgrade of the waste resource recovery facility. We will be undertaking studies assessing:

- noise and vibration;
- air quality;
- waste management on site;
- soil and water;
- biodiversity;
- traffic and transport;
- hazard, fire and incident management; and
- visual impacts.

These studies will be undertaken by suitably qualified specialists and will determine the potential project impacts, develop management and monitoring plans designed to reduce the impacts on the environment and community.

Why is the project proposed

Globally, there has been a shift in the managing waste and the utilisation of valuable recycled materials. This has placed increasing pressure of rapid growing cities like Sydney to improve how waste is managed and the capacity for recycling. This particularly prevalent in the context of waste disposal, as nearby landfills are quickly reaching capacity, there is an increase demand and need to create sustainable and viable waste recycling centres.

The NSW government is determined to make the most of resources for significant economic, social, and environmental benefits. The planned facility plays a crucial role in achieving the government's goals to increase waste diversion from landfills. It's not just about waste – it's a boost for innovation, growth, and job creation, all while lessening the impact on the environment. This straightforward approach reflects a practical strategy for a more sustainable and prosperous future.

Have your say

Aussie Recycling are committed to engage with the community and welcome feedback or questions relating to the Proposal.

We will be holding an online community information session on **8 December 2023**, to discuss the outcomes of the environmental impact assessment. To register for this session, please email, call or respond through the QR code.

This consultation and feedback provide will provide first-hand insights into what the community value and how you expect the project be managed.

Date : Friday 8 December 2023

Time : 10 am

Where : online

RSVP : by Friday 8 December 9 am

Contact us

Scan the QR code below to access the online community portal. Inside, you'll find further details about the proposed development, including how to register for the upcoming community consultation and feedback workshop.



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You can also directly contact and provide your thoughts and feedback on:

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Your participation is crucial, and we look forward to hearing your thoughts!