

From strategy to impact.

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Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the Traditional Owners of this land and we pay our respect to their Elders past and present.

Gadigal people of the Eora nation









uses vibrant colour palettes, storytelling styles while keeping it culturally connected to family and community.

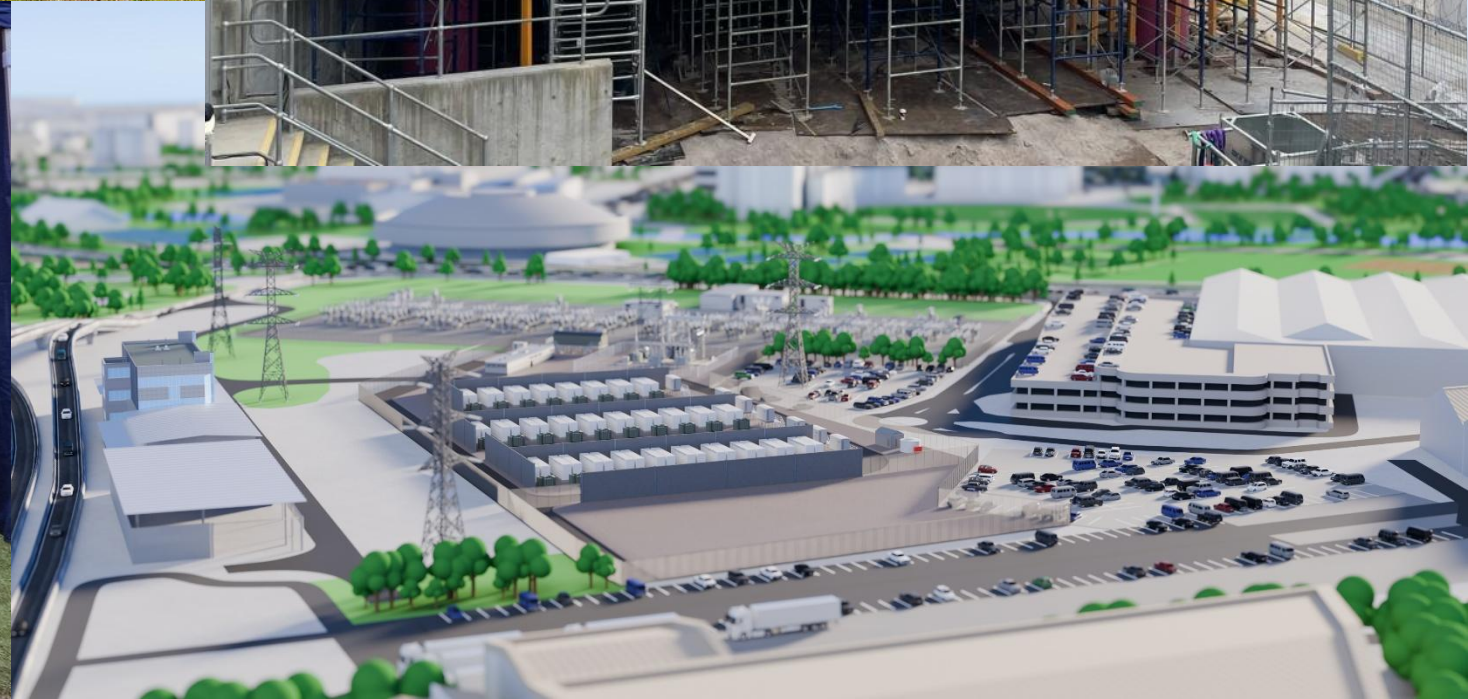
"This painting is a representation of our connection to the saltwater that surrounds our people continue to care for country."

"We as Aboriginal people know just how to care for country. Whether it be on land or waterways. We have been caring for country from the beginning of time and still continue this. It is vital to only take what you need so resources don't become exhausted."

Community batteries are uniquely placed to harness energy from the local community, allow them to be connected to the local network, improve network quality and support new loads like electric vehicles. Battery storage is a key enabler for a renewable energy system and can help provide clean and affordable energy for Australian households and businesses.

Ausgrid has received support from the Australian Renewable Energy Agency (ARENA) for the Community Battery Project as part of the Australian Renewable Energy Agency (ARENA) Community Batteries: Round 1.

For more information on Community Batteries, visit www.ausgrid.com.au/batteries



**“Never let a good
crisis go to waste”**

Winston Churchill



Ausgrid has a renewed vision, for our communities to have the power in a resilient, affordable and sustainable future.

Wired for good.TM



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Facilities

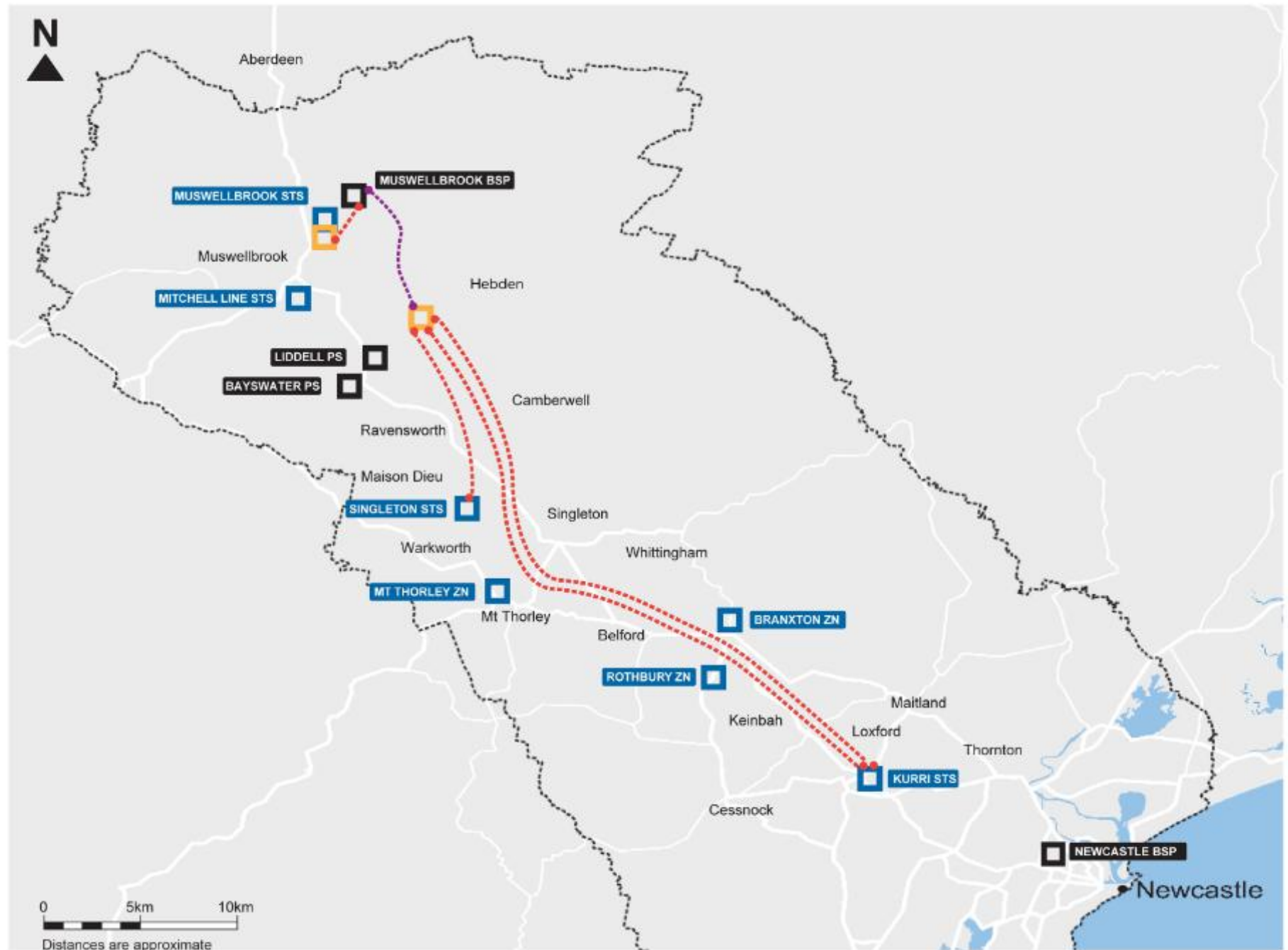
-  Existing Ausgrid Substation
-  Proposed New Substation
-  Existing Transgrid Substation or AGL Powerstation

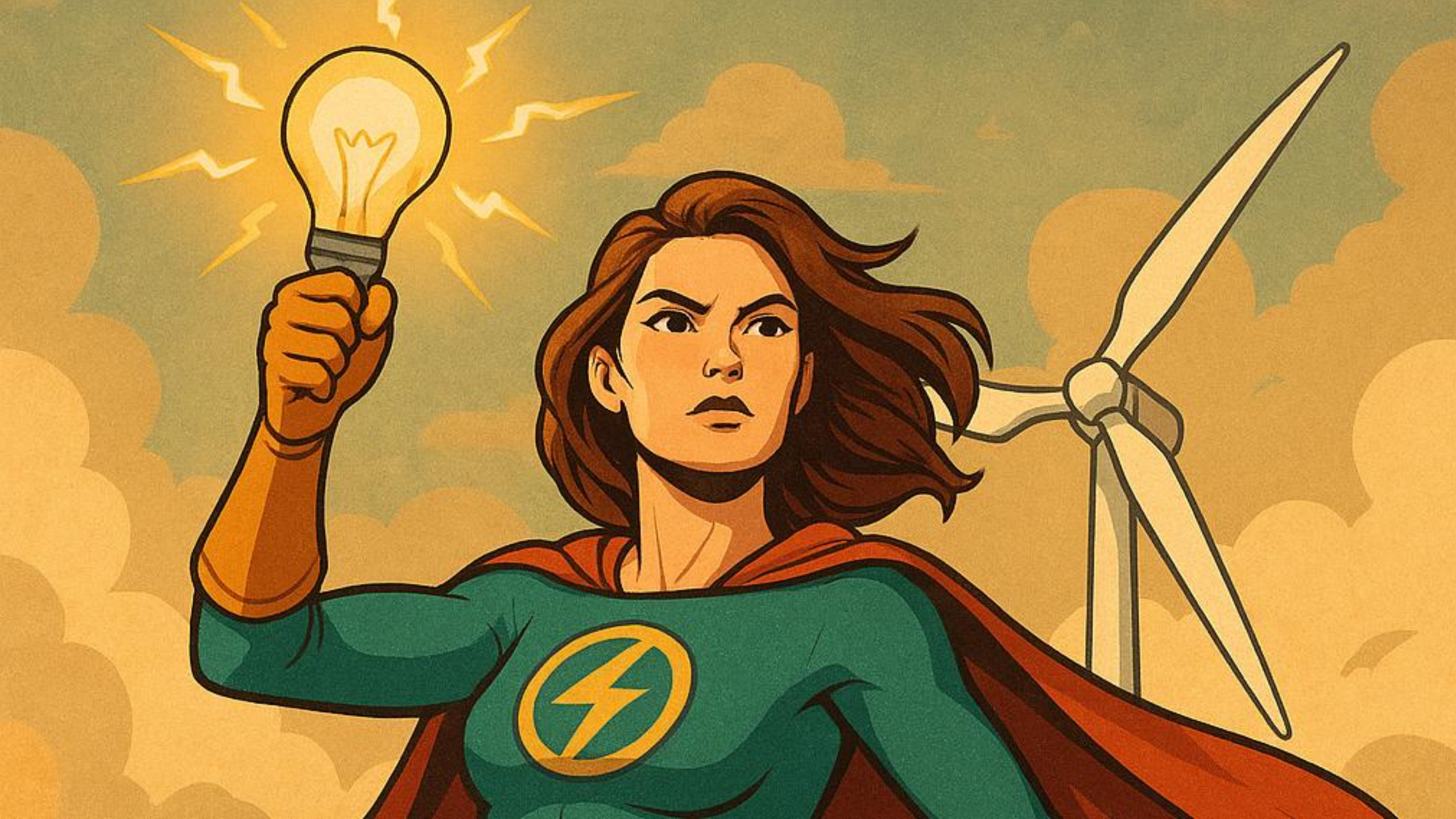
Connections

-  Proposed power line corridor to be rebuilt
-  Proposed communications cable to be installed within power line corridor

Boundaries

-  HCC REZ Boundary





Hunter Central Coast Renewable Energy Zone





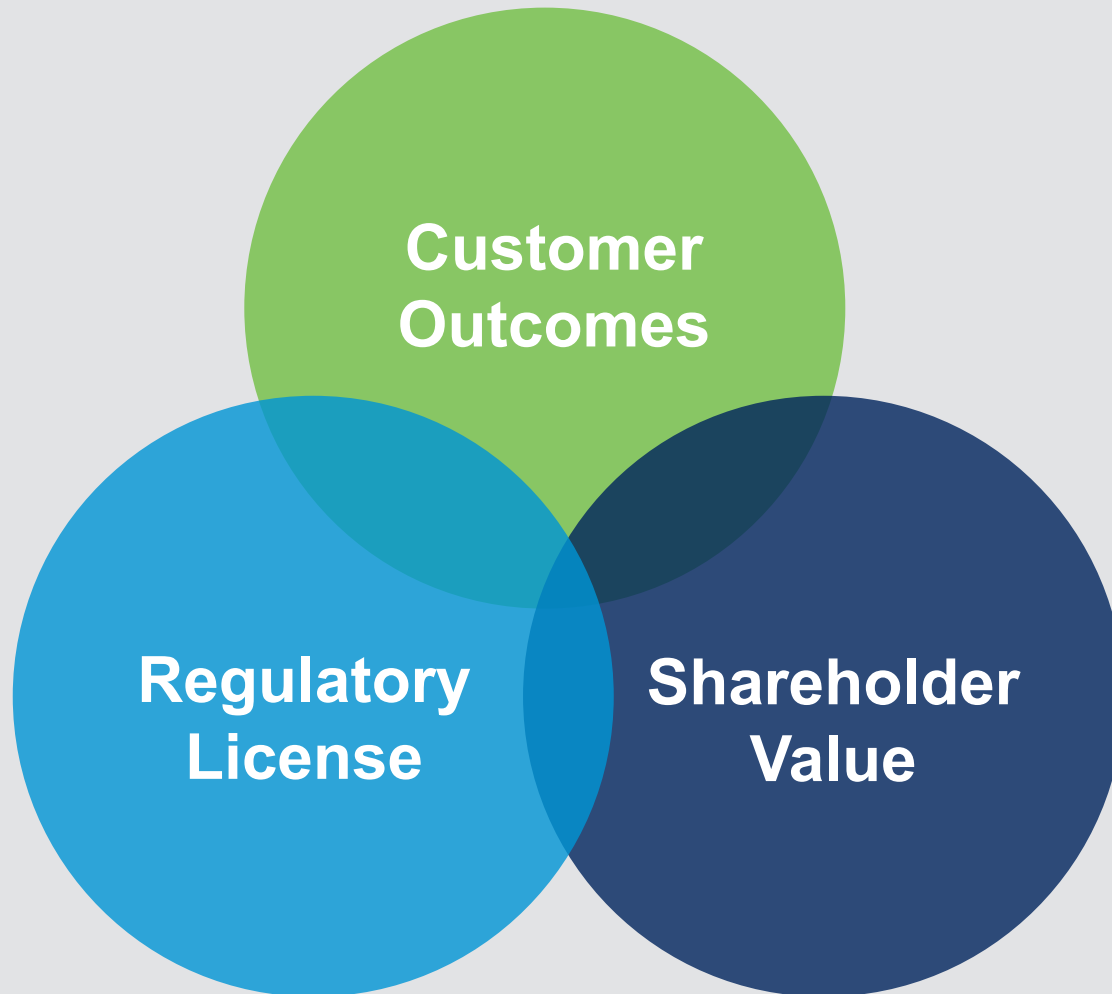
Image courtesy
Artist Keira Graham



What's your leadership legacy?

Appendix

Our focus is on creating social value



Customer Outcomes

Greater access to clean energy for all customer groups and lower bills

Regulatory License

High asset utilisation and low cost, reliable service to customers

Shareholder Value

Additional returns and support for sustainable growth