

Thunderbird

Mineral Sands



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PUBLIC ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

The Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) has set the level of assessment for the Thunderbird mineral sands proposal as Public Environmental Review (PER). The project is a “Controlled Action” under the Commonwealth EPBC Act and will be assessed under the Bilateral Agreement between the Commonwealth and Western Australia.

The Thunderbird PER has been prepared by Sheffield to examine the environmental effects associated with the proposed Thunderbird mineral sands development. The PER describes the proposal, examines the likely environmental effects and proposes environmental management procedures.

Sheffield has submitted the draft Thunderbird PER to the OEPA (Office of the Environmental Protection Authority), the administrative arm of the EPA and is anticipating release of the document for public review.

“We hope to reach local groups, individuals, experts and community organisations with an interest in flora, fauna, water, environment, conservation and rehabilitation. Should you like to discuss the development of our Environmental Management Plans, by sharing your experience, insights, concerns or advice, then we encourage you to contact us. We would be pleased to engage with you”. KPervan@sheffieldresources.com.au

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGAGEMENT & CONSULTATION

Date/Time	Event
Derby – Council Chambers, 68 Clarendon St Wednesday December 7	
9.30 – 12.00	Coffee and chat by appointment
1.15 – 2.00	PER Consultation
2.00 – 4.00	Coffee and chat by appointment
4.00 – 4.45	Environment Q & A
5.00 – 5.45	PER Consultation
Broome – Bizspace Hub 1, 41 Carnarvon St Tuesday December 13	
8.30 – 11.30	Coffee and chat by appointment
12.00 – 12.45	PER Consultation
1.00 – 1.45	Environment Q & A
4.00 – 4.45	PER Consultation
5.00 – 6.00	PER Consultation

Sheffield invites your involvement in the Thunderbird Public Environmental Review. On the back of a vigorous stakeholder engagement program, a series of events are planned for the community

To register your attendance or make an appointment, contact Sue Weir 08 6555 8777 or sweir@sheffieldresources.com.au



THUNDERBIRD PROJECT

The Thunderbird Mineral Sands Project, located between Broome and Derby, is being developed by Western Australian company Sheffield Resources Limited.

Thunderbird is a large-scale, mineral sands mining and processing project with low environmental impacts and long term economic and community benefits.

Sheffield is undertaking a Bankable Feasibility Study and Public Environmental Review (PER) of Thunderbird, scheduled for completion in 2017. Start of construction is planned to follow immediately thereafter with first exports through the ports of Derby/Broome targeted for 2019.

Sheffield believes that Thunderbird can help transform the community through the creation of 140 permanent and many indirect local jobs. Income would stay in the region supporting families, business, cultural values and lifestyle.

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