

Enervest are proposing a new Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) located in Cooroy, Queensland.

The **Cooroy BESS** will enhance community resilience and contribute to a sustainable future by supporting grid stabilisation and integrated energy management.



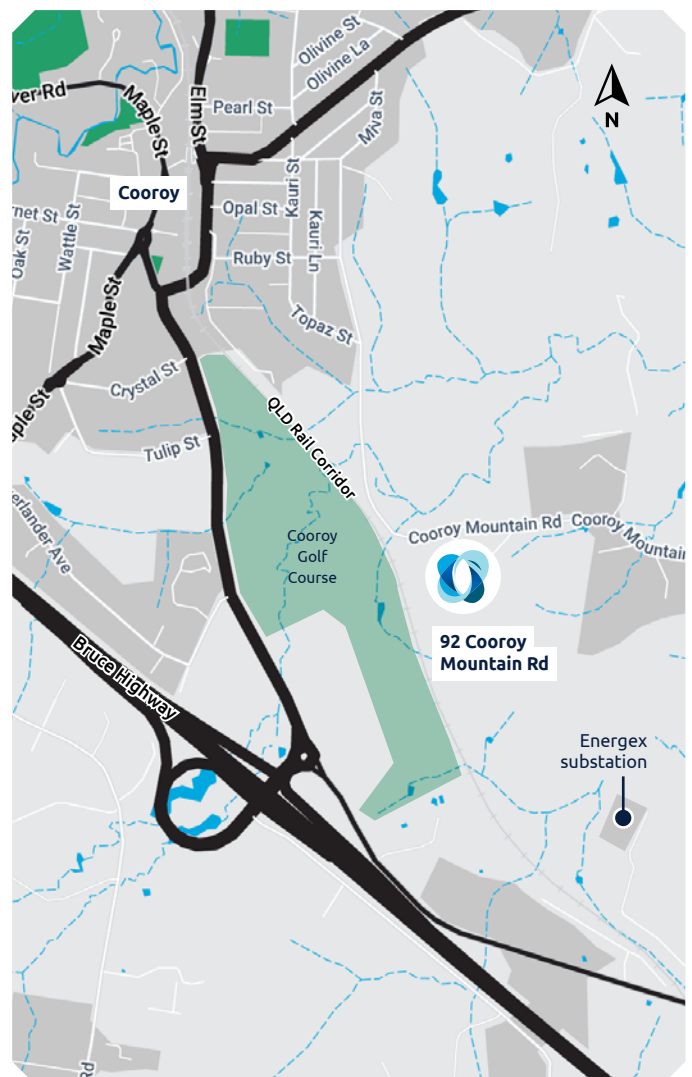
Enervest is an Australian-owned and operated company specialising in energy storage projects. Enervest was founded in 2008 and provides engineering and operational services for Australia's decarbonisation journey. Enervest has a national presence, working alongside local communities and industry partners to develop projects that provide an overall positive impact on both the environment and the community.

About the Cooroy BESS

The proposed Cooroy BESS will be located at **92 Cooroy Mountain Road, Cooroy, Queensland**, and will connect to the existing Energex substation, located off Nandroya Road, Cooroy.

Once operational, the Cooroy BESS will provide the network with a battery storage capacity of up to 200 Megawatt-hours, ensuring a reliable electricity supply by storing excess energy from the grid during periods of low demand and discharging this stored energy during times of peak demand.

The proposed development will occupy a relatively compact footprint and will be set back from the site boundary on Cooroy Mountain Road, minimising visual impacts to surrounding areas and the local community. The site borders an existing substation which enables the BESS to be connected to the Queensland electricity grid with minimal environmental disturbance.



Project timing and approvals

The project is in its early planning and approvals stages. Over the coming months, we will be engaging with key stakeholders, Traditional Owners and the local community as we pursue a Ministerial Infrastructure Designation (MID) and conduct technical investigations to advance the project.

A MID facilitates the delivery of community supporting infrastructure, such as BESS projects, and provides an alternative process to lodging a development application with the local Council. The process includes input from the local Council, key stakeholders, Traditional Owners and surrounding community and considers the range of potential impacts that might arise such as traffic, environment, community and amenity impacts.

Project Timeline



Community benefits

Through fostering open and inclusive partnerships, Enervest aims to implement initiatives that address local needs and build long-term positive relationships within the local community.



As the project progresses, we will be developing a Community Benefits Program in consultation with local Council and the community.

Enervest are dedicated to local spend and job creation. Where possible, we aim to prioritise local suppliers and contractors, ensuring that a significant portion of our project's budget is spent within the community. We estimate that this project will create approximately 80 jobs at the peak of construction.

Get involved

Over the coming months, we will undertake engagement activities with the local community, including community information sessions to introduce the project and to gather feedback.

Your feedback will be important in shaping the Cooroy BESS and we are dedicated to working with the local community and key stakeholders to develop meaningful community benefits that directly enhances the community's well-being, sustainability and resilience.

To find out more, share your feedback and register for project updates, please visit our website:

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