

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A MINING LICENCE

Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990 – Section 15(5)

Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) (Mineral Industries) Regulations 2019 – Regulation 22(1) and Schedule 1

1. Name and address of applicant(s):

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2. Contact details of applicant (for map and other information requests):

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3. Applicant's Website (see notes) Further information about this application is available:

www.amets.com.au/victoria-tenements/ and <https://resources.vic.gov.au/licensing-approvals/have-your-say>

4. Details of the application:

Application number: MIN008804

Locality of the land to which the application relates: 12km north-west of Navarre, 6km north-east of Morrl Morrl

Approximate area of the application (HA): 5 Hectares

Date of the application: 30 January 2026

Term the licences are applied for: 15 years

Outline of the proposed programs of work: Shaft sinking, underground development, extraction and offsite processing, drilling, rehabilitation

5. Objections and Comments:

Any person may object or comment to a licence being granted by:

- a. putting the objection or comment in writing; and
- b. including the grounds on which it is made

Objections or comments must be lodged within 21 days after the latest date on which the application was advertised and can be lodged online or posted to:

The Minister for Energy and Resources c/- Manager Licensing
Resources Victoria
PO Box 500, East Melbourne Victoria 8002

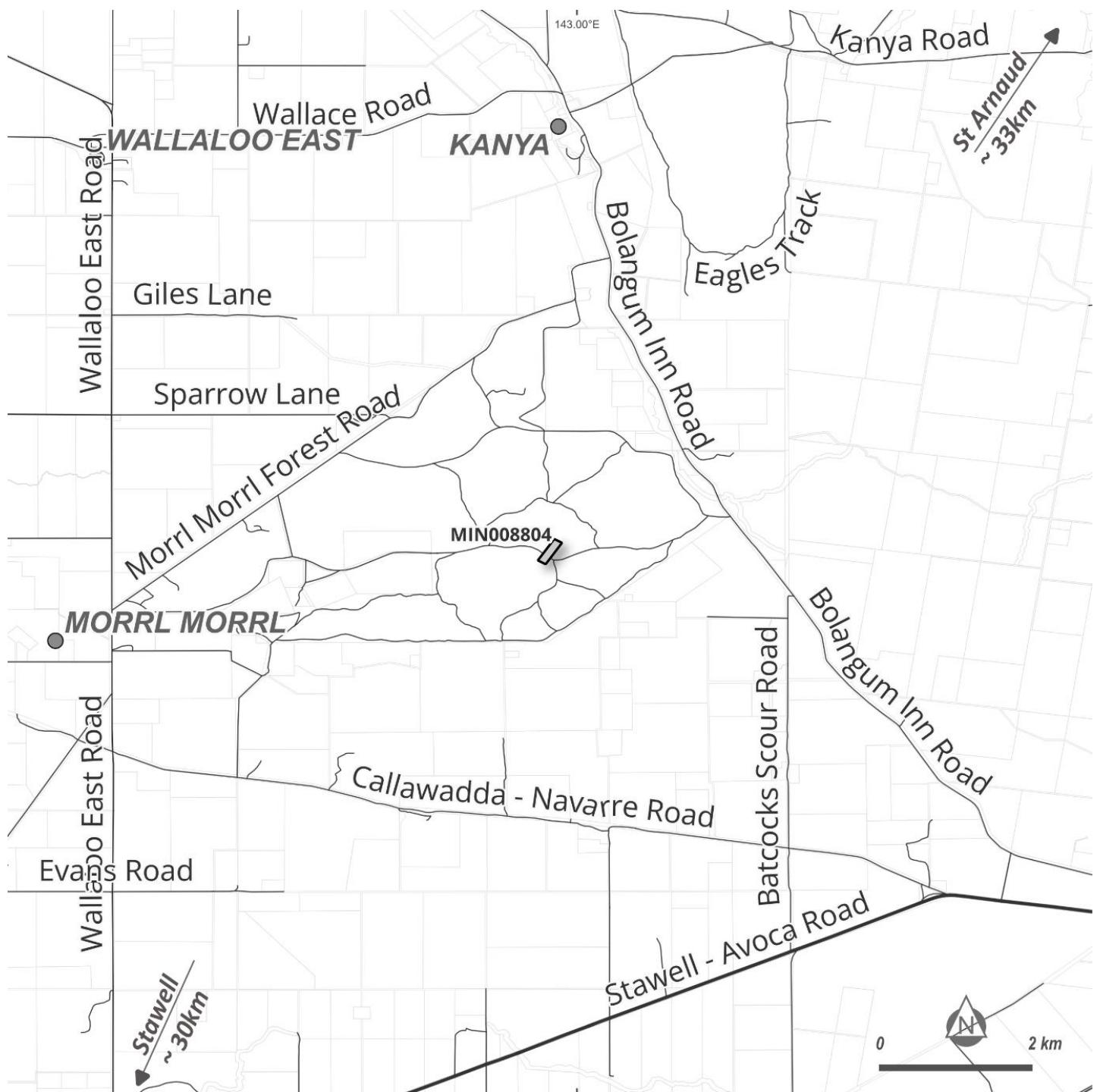
It is recommended that objections or comments are lodged online to ensure timely consideration:

<https://rram-vic-gov.my.site.com/ObjectionSubmission>

Enquiries can be made by writing to the Manager Licensing at the above address or phoning Resources Victoria on 136 186.

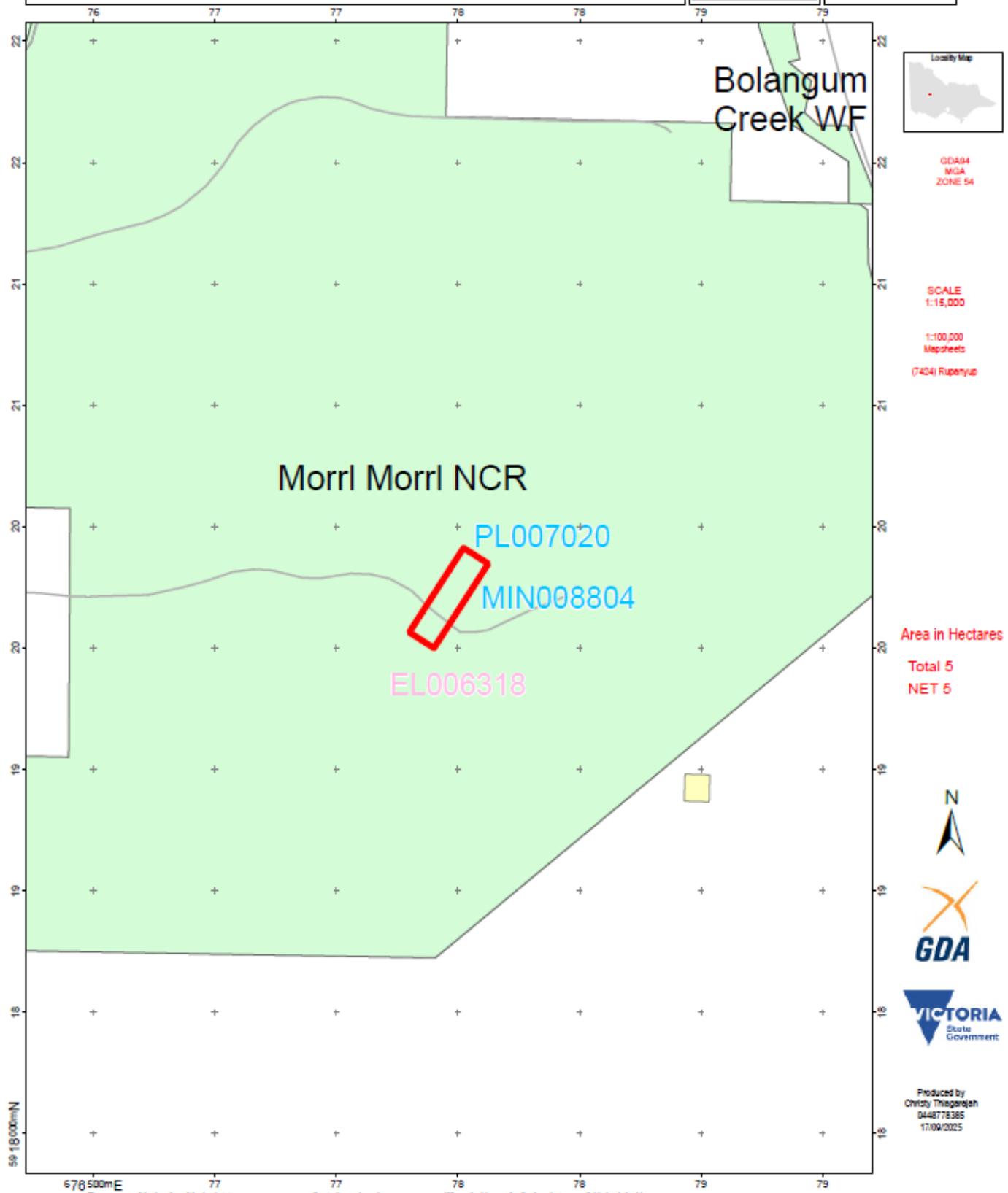
6. Other Statutory Requirements:

- a. Subject to other statutory requirements being satisfied, a mining licence, if granted, entitles the holder of the licence to carry out mining on the relevant land, explore for minerals, construct any facilities specified in the licence and do anything else that is incidental to that mining.
- b. Further information regarding the statutory requirements that must be complied with prior to work being undertaken on a licence, including landowner and occupier consent requirements, is available at: <https://resources.vic.gov.au/community-and-land-use>.



PLAN OF AREA MIN008804

■ Unavailable for Searching or Exploration or Mining MRSDA 1990 Sec 6. Includes National, State & Wilderness Parks and Reference Areas.
■ Exempted from being subject to Exploration &/or Mining Licenses. MRSDA 1990 Sec 7. May be revoked by notice in the Govt Gazette.
■ Restricted Crown Land. Schedule 3 of MRSDA 1990. Consent required to do work on the land.
■ Other Crown Land
■ Commonwealth Land. Subject to Commonwealth legislation.



Work Program

Year 1-14

- Underground Mining Development hand-held mining methods (pneumatic machine and pusher-leg)
- Underground materials handling by vacuum lift.
- Extracted Rock to be tipped directly into small tipper trucks and removed for off-site processing
- Overburden stored for backfill
- Progressive rehabilitation

Year 14-15

- As operations conclude fixed infrastructure will be dismantled, and removed
- Final site rehabilitation will be completed in preparation for licence relinquishment.

Environment Strategy

All rehabilitation will be carried out as soon as is practicable after exploration activities have taken place and in line with the current Guidelines for environmental management in exploration and mining.

Owen Coote and Glenn Connor will ensure all staff and contractors are aware of all site-specific environmental sensitivities, such as weeds and endangered flora and fauna and will act accordingly.

Owen Coote and Glenn Connor are committed to minimising or where possible avoiding environmental impact and will work in accordance with the Guidelines as determined by the Victorian Government and will facilitate effective rehabilitation of all disturbed areas.

No wetlands, waterways or lakes will be impacted by mining activities.

Resources Victoria Regulatory Operations have conducted recent site visits and are satisfied with the operations.

Community Engagement Plan

Owen Coote and Glenn Connor have been operating for six years, and have well developed relationships with landowners in the area.

In general terms, the licensee's community engagement plan is broadly based on the following:

Identify individuals or groups which may be impacted by the operations on the licence. This would involve the compilation of a list of adjacent landowners, persons living on or in the vicinity of the licence and other community groups which may be impacted by the operations.

Owen Coote and Glenn Connor are committed to identifying and communicating with its stakeholders, particularly local landowners and occupiers who may be directly or indirectly affected by mining activities.

Owen Coote and Glenn Connor have been operating locally and already have good-standing with the landowner and neighbouring properties which they build on with ongoing open communication.

Owen Coote and Glenn Connor are mindful of the need to maintain exceptionally good community relations and to ensure that the channels of communication between the licence holder and the

community in which it operates are kept open. All discussion with the community is based on mutual trust and respect.

Any contact or complaint will be noted in a complaints book, and the licensee will promptly make suitable arrangements to contact the complainant. Where possible, the matter would be settled between the two parties, but the local Inspector or the Mining Warden may be requested to assist in resolving any issue or mediating on the matter. Such interaction with the community will be used to identify any issues that may be arising from the operations on the licence and will attempt to accommodate the views of the stakeholders in dealing with any such issues.

The community is welcomed for their interest and input into ensuring that there are minimum adverse effects to the amenity of the area, or the impact on the expectation of the community for the peaceful enjoyment of their local environment.