



Department of  
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Diversification

# Investing in Collie

Activating industry, jobs and  
local opportunities

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# Acknowledgement of Country

The Department of Energy and Economic Diversification acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of Collie, the Wiilman Noongar people, and their continuing connection to the land, waters and community. We pay our respects to all members of the community, their culture and to Elders past and present.

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Inside cover image: Arklow Trail Network, near Collie, Western Australia. Credit: Frances Andrijich

## Premier's Foreword

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Collie is a region built on strength and resilience. For generations, the town of Collie in our South West has powered Western Australian homes and industries, while contributing to the State's growth and economic success. Today, Collie is writing a new chapter, transforming into a hub for innovation, clean energy and sustainable development through a Just Transition, while creating opportunities for businesses and communities to thrive.

Attracting new investment to grow, diversify and decarbonise Western Australia's economy is a key priority for my government, and our world-leading approach will secure a strong energy future as the world accelerates efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Collie's transformation is at the centre of this shift, and this brings significant economic opportunities for its communities, industry, and Western Australians.

The Western Australian Government is ready to actively partner with industry to help support and drive major projects in Collie that foster innovation, create jobs and continue to build on the resilient supply chains for our State.

Collie is a premier investment destination, and one that is at the forefront of our State's economic future. With a skilled workforce, a community committed to growth and strong government support for its economic transition, the town holds significant industry opportunities across clean energy, advanced manufacturing, and mineral processing.

It's an ideal environment to deliver projects that not only achieve commercial success but drive regional development in Western Australia and offer sustainable jobs for generations to come.

Collie is already an established industrial hub, with excellent transport links and direct access to Western Australia's premier electricity transmission network. Significant State investment in land and infrastructure is unlocking opportunities for proponents ready to establish and grow in the region.

The Collie Investment Prospectus builds on that momentum. Developed in partnership with, industry and local agencies, it showcases the region's strengths, available land and tailored support programs designed to make investment seamless and successful.

Collie's transformation aligns with the State's broader economic vision. Through Diversify WA, we are building a resilient and dynamic economy. Through Future State, we are bringing Western Australia's most exciting investment opportunities together in one place. And through our Made in WA plan, we are supporting local innovation, attracting green industries and creating the jobs of the future.

Western Australia is on track to become a renewable energy powerhouse, and Collie is at the heart of that. With a vibrant community, stunning natural surrounds and strong government support, Collie is ready for investment. We invite you to explore the opportunities outlined in this prospectus and join us in shaping a sustainable and prosperous future for Western Australia.

**Hon Roger Cook MLA**

Premier; Minister for State Development;  
Trade and Investment; Economic  
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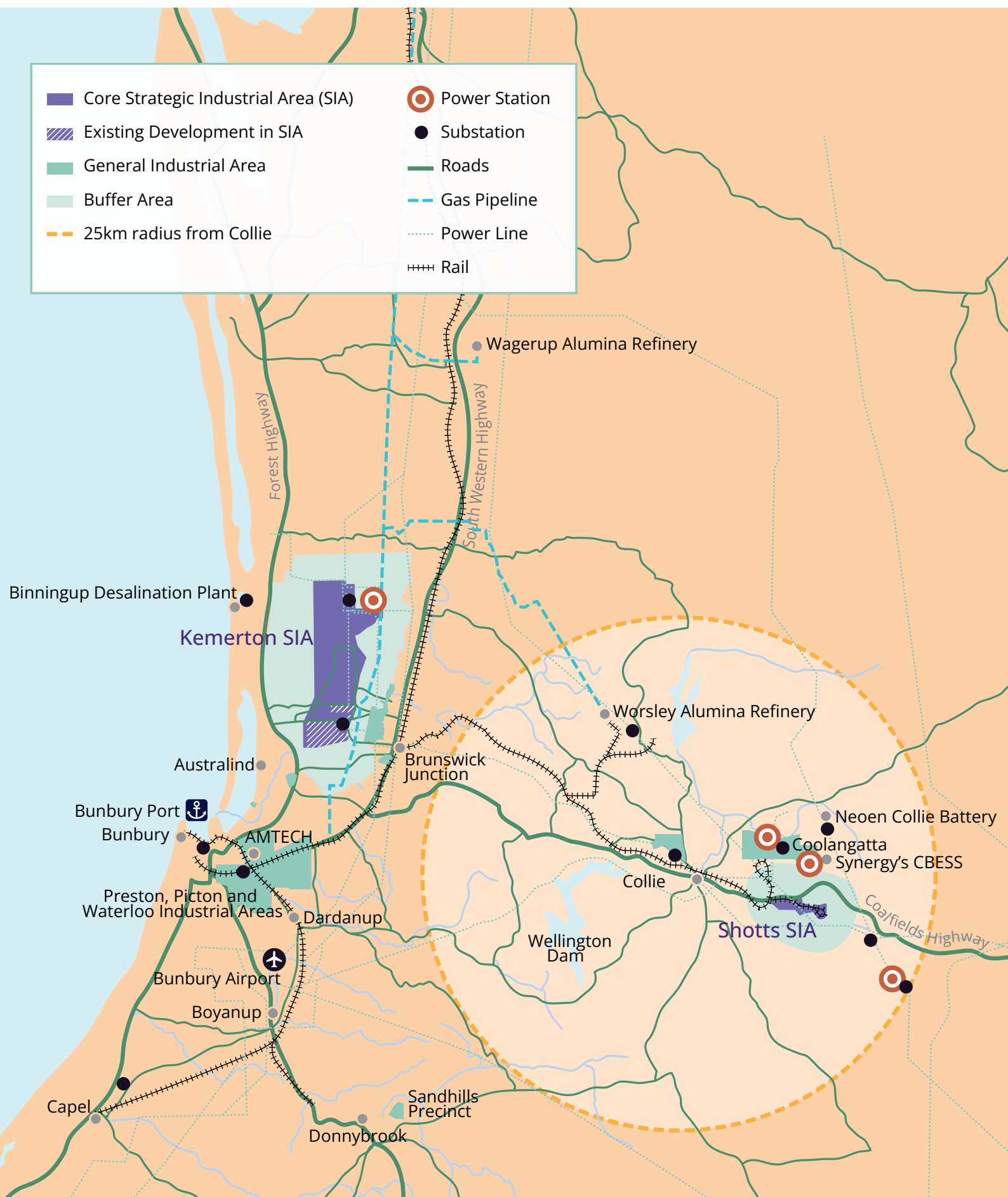
South32 rail transport in Collie, Western Australia. Credit: South32



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This map is indicative only.

# Collie: the strategic opportunity

Collie, long recognised as the centre of Western Australia's electricity generation, is evolving from its coal-mining legacy into a modern hub for low-carbon industries. Backed by nearly \$700 million in State Government investment and strong community support, the town and Government's commitment to a Just Transition for Collie offers a unique ecosystem for companies aligned with Western Australia's economic transformation into a renewable energy superpower.

To accelerate Collie's industry transition, we are seeking projects in four high growth sectors:



## Green Manufacturing

Leverage Western Australia's Made in WA objectives to produce low-emissions products.



## Minerals Processing

Transform a range of Western Australia's abundant minerals into high value battery and other industrial materials.



## Industries Requiring Renewable Energy

Utilise Collie's position as the hub of the South West Interconnected System (SWIS) to gain direct connection to Western Australia's primary electricity network during its rapid decarbonisation.



## Clean Energy Industries

Leverage Western Australia's goal to be a leader in the transition to net zero by developing clean energy technologies and projects including renewable energy and renewable fuels manufacturing.







# The place to invest

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Collie is your strategic gateway to Western Australia's diversifying and decarbonising economy providing the foundation for commercial success.

Collie possesses unique attributes and advantages that make it an optimal location for investment:

- » **Established Workforce Capability:** Leverage a skilled workforce of 4,500
- » **Unrivalled Power Access:** Gain direct connection to Western Australia's primary electricity network
- » **De-risked Land Development:** Move faster with project-ready land being established by Government
- » **Global Connectivity:** Reach international markets via Port of Bunbury and high capacity digital infrastructure
- » **Supportive political and business environment**

## Established Workforce Capability

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Collie boasts a skilled local workforce of 4,500, with decades of experience in mining, fabrication and energy generation. The skilled workforce includes process plant operators, fabrication, sheet-metal workers, welders, mechanical fitters, automotive technicians, electrical and instrument technicians and engineering and others.

With experience in supporting large mining and energy operations, Collie is also rich in support services, with an established Light Industrial Area and many established businesses in town offering administrative, logistic and maintenance services.

The Western Australian Government is focused on ensuring the workforce's existing skills can be further developed and tailored to ensure Collie is well placed to meet the needs of new industries. This includes an investment

of more than \$25.9 million to upskill and reskill in preparation for future demand, and funding is available to help new industries train transitioning workers. Government support for the development of a dedicated job-matching app will allow local businesses to advertise positions, connecting directly with the Collie workforce.

South Regional TAFE (Technical and Further Education) is the premier training provider in the South West region, offering a broad range of trade qualifications, including electrical, building and construction, and engineering. A new training facility in Collie is designed to support transitioning workers prepare for new industry opportunities and will deliver high-risk ticketed training along with a wide range of industry-leading qualifications and skill sets.

Education providers and industry are developing training opportunities through organisations such as the Collie Education and Trades Alliance.

## Collie Transitions New Training Facilities

Construction of a new training facility in Collie's light industrial area is underway, with completion anticipated for mid-2026. The facility will complement the existing South Regional TAFE Collie Campus and provide impacted workers and the broader community with access to training opportunities tailored to the evolving needs of the region.

The location of the new training facility offers strategic linkages to local industries and proximity to other training facilities including the Department of Fire and Emergency Services Koolinup Emergency Services Centre.

The bulk of this increase will be driven by the electrification of established minerals and metals industries and growing household demand for energy. As a result, Collie and the broader South West region is benefitting from significant investment in transmission infrastructure, renewable energy and storage projects.

A future-ready transmission network will ensure future industries are capable of decarbonising, expanding their operations, and reducing energy costs.

To support future demand from industry, the Western Australian Government has established PoweringWA to coordinate the delivery of new electricity infrastructure at the pace needed for decarbonisation. More than \$1.6 billion has been invested in expanding and enhancing transmission infrastructure in the SWIS, including \$133 million towards planning for new lines, reinforcements and upgrades around key industrial areas including Collie.

## Unrivalled Power Access

The Collie region is the hub of Western Australia's main electricity network – the South West Interconnected System (SWIS). This proximity provides projects with direct connection to Western Australia's primary electricity network while it is undergoing rapid decarbonisation.

The region has excellent wind and solar resources and is seeing the development of a number of renewable energy projects in and around the region, providing an opportunity for new industry to increasingly access renewable energy.

Demand for renewable energy is anticipated to grow across the SWIS in coming years.

## De-risked Land Development

Move faster with project-ready land being established by the Western Australian Government at the Coolangatta Industrial Estate, supported by over \$130 million in government-funded common user infrastructure, providing a capital efficient and expedited pathway to development.

Collie provides a range of industrial land options to support projects of all sizes:

- » Coolangatta Industrial Estate
- » Collie Light Industrial Area
- » Shotts Strategic Industrial Area.



## Coolangatta Industrial Estate

With an area of around 1,400 hectares of both developed and undeveloped areas, the Coolangatta Industrial Estate is in the heart of Collie's energy generation hub and has access to existing transmission infrastructure.

Through DevelopmentWA, the Western Australian Government is developing Stage 1

of additional industrial land, providing more than 100 hectares of general industrial land available for new industry opportunities.

The Western Australian Government is also investing over \$130 million in common user power, water and transport infrastructure for the Estate, to ensure that the area meets the needs of industry now and into the future.



## WesTrac Technology Training Centre

The WesTrac Technology Training Centre (W TTC) in Collie is the first of its kind in the Southern Hemisphere, delivering training courses (non-accredited) to technicians and operators of autonomous and remotely operated equipment, such as haul trucks used in the mining industry.

The W TTC is a purpose-built facility sitting on 18 hectares of land. Training is available for a Cat 789D Autonomous Haul Truck, Cat D10 Next Gen Track type tractor, Car Wheel Loader (equipped with MineStar Terrain) and Site Aware Vehicles.

The training provided utilises a virtual mine model that includes haul roads, calibration and dump/load points – all designed to provide a safe and effective training ground to equip technicians with the skills they need now and into the future (read more about technology careers at WesTrac. [westrac.com.au/careers](https://westrac.com.au/careers)).

## Collie Light Industrial Area

The Collie Light Industrial Area, which is located within the Collie townsite, presents a strategic opportunity for businesses that support and service the expanding industrial sector in Collie and surrounding regions.

The industrial area offers fully serviced lots ranging from 2,000 square metres to 1.5 hectares, with underground power, water, sewerage and telecommunications.

Already home to a range of service-based enterprises, the estate has recently attracted significant investment, including pilot plants for Magnium Australia and International Graphite, as well as a commercial expansion by Quantum Filtration Medium.

More information is available at:  
[developmentwa.com.au](https://developmentwa.com.au)



Quantum Filtration Medium Facility

## Quantum Filtration Medium

Quantum Filtration Medium is a global leader in the manufacture of water treatment products for the removal of heavy metals and toxic materials in ground water for industrial process and municipal drinking water purposes. Quantum Filtration Medium's unique technology has opened new opportunities in water treatment markets around the world.

Quantum Filtration Medium received \$2 million in funding from the Western Australian Government to build a new state-of-the-art manufacturing facility in the Collie Light Industrial Area. The facility was completed in 2024, enabling Quantum Filtration Medium to significantly expand capacity from 5,000 metric tonnes per annum up to 25,000 metric tonnes per annum and expand into new industries including agriculture and pharmaceutical.

The expansion has seen Quantum Filtration Medium export its product to more than 100 countries across the Indian subcontinent, Africa, Asia and Europe, and continue work with Austrade and Invest and Trade WA to win new export contracts.



## Shotts Strategic Industrial Area

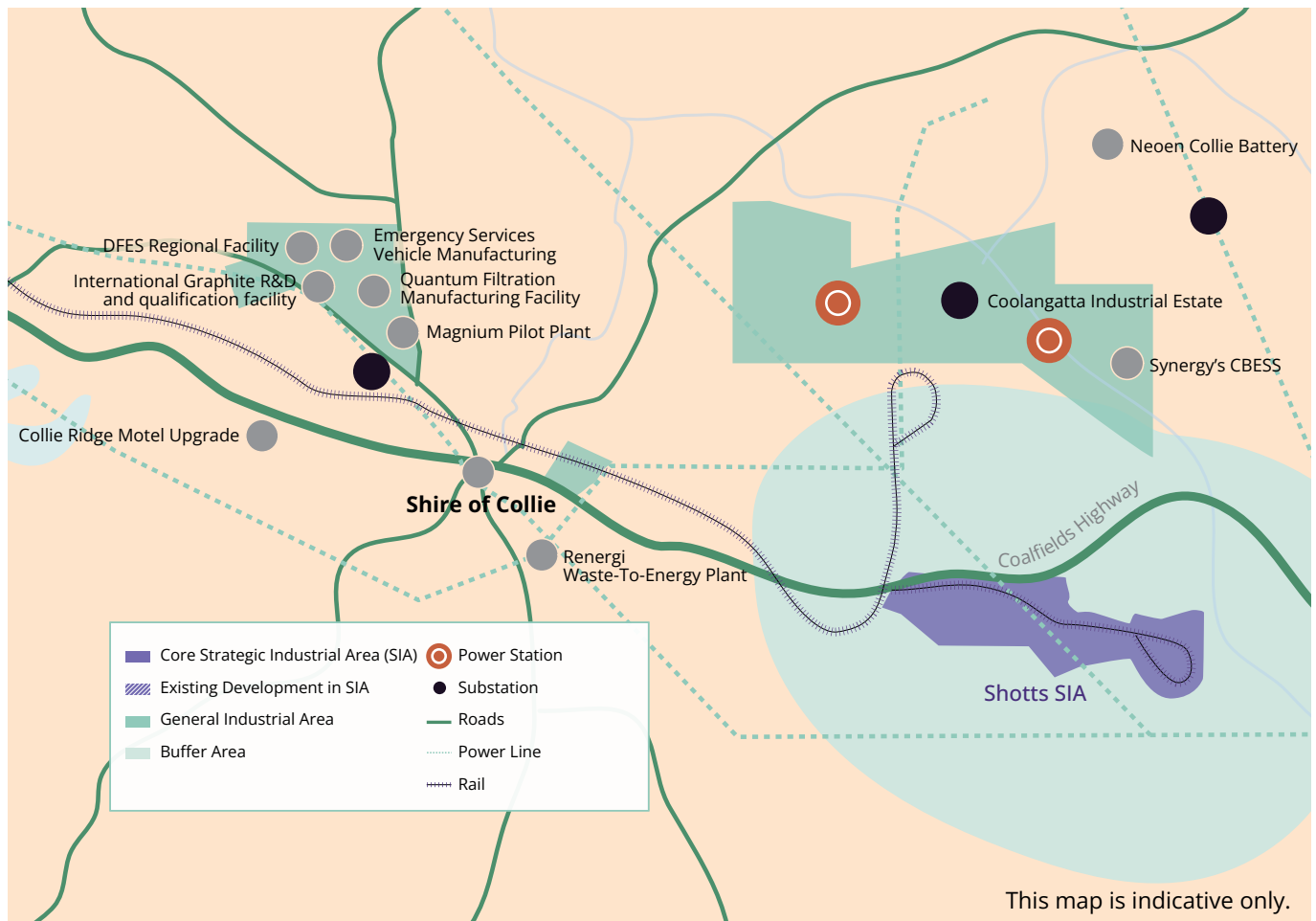
The Shotts Strategic Industrial Area (SIA) is a prospective SIA that forms part of Western Australia's industrial land network, offering long-term potential for industrial development. Strategically located within seven kilometres of the Collie townsite and adjacent to key transport infrastructure, the Shotts SIA provides a platform for future industrial activity.

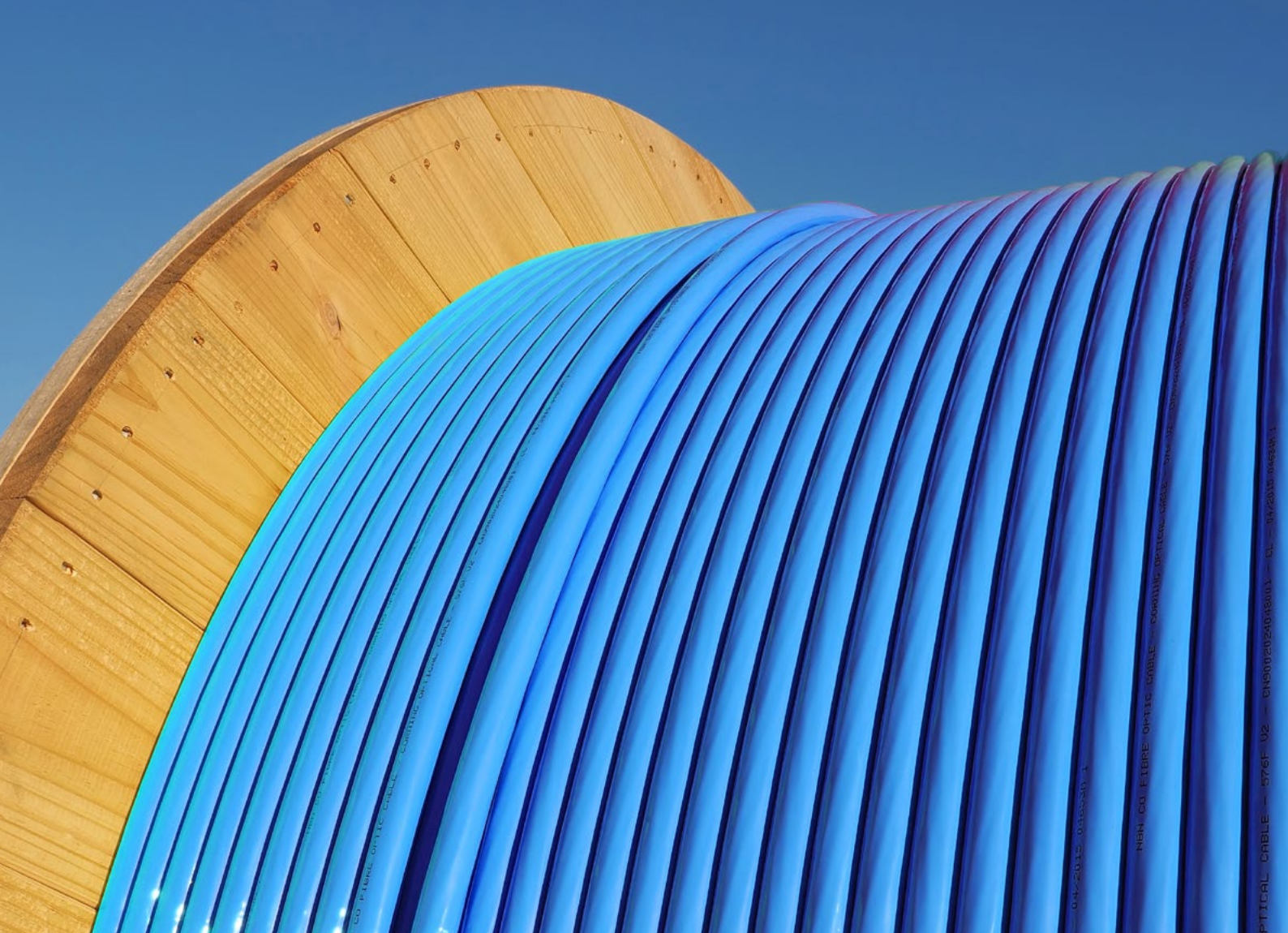
While development opportunities exist, the site presents a range of complexities that require careful coordination and engagement with industry partners. Structured planning, infrastructure considerations, and evolving market conditions mean that activation will

be progressive and directly informed by stakeholder collaboration. This measured approach balances readiness and complexity with flexibility, ensuring the area remains a prospect for future growth.

The Shotts SIA is positioned to support industrial activation when market and infrastructure conditions align. Potential investors and stakeholders can view the Shotts SIA as an adaptable site that preserves optionality while contributing to Western Australia's broader industrial and economic objectives, where future development will be shaped in partnership with industry.

More information is available at: [siawa.com.au](https://siawa.com.au).





## Global Connectivity

The deep-water Port of Bunbury, located only 60 kilometres by road, offers access to import and export facilities for a diverse range of commodities.

The Port offers seven active berths and provides leases for port related industries and access to port infrastructure and facilities.

Collie is also strategically located on the Coalfields Highway, linking the Wheatbelt and Great Southern regions to the South West Highway, providing excellent road and rail connections with nearby mining and agricultural regions.

Collie's access to Western Australia's freight network also allows for direct rail connection

to the Western Trade Coast, home to Western Australia's premier metropolitan located heavy industrial precinct and the location of Western Australia's future container port.

Telstra's Aura Network, formerly known as the Intercity Fibre Network, is one of the most advanced fibre networks ever built in Australia, providing a high-capacity digital highway connecting major cities and regional hubs, supporting cloud computing, Artificial Intelligence, Internet of Things, and edge technologies.

Built with a Dual Fibre Architecture, the network features two cables; an Express 'Pink' Fibre with direct connection to capital cities and a Foundation 'Blue' Fibre to connect rural and regional areas along the route with on and off ramps every ~five kilometres to connect into towns including Collie.



## Supportive Political and Business Environment

Collie's Just Transition is a collaboration between community, industry, unions, the Collie Chamber of Commerce and Industry, as well as State and Local Government.

These stakeholders come together to create a solutions-focussed, supportive environment open to innovation and new ideas.

The Shire of Collie and community welcomes interest from new industry, with the Shire able to provide advice and support on development applications, land options and opportunities within Collie.

The Collie Chamber of Commerce and Industry can provide advice on local services and suppliers.

The South West Development Commission drives regional economic development and through its Local Content Advisors, provides support to facilitate the growth of regional business capability through connecting businesses with procurement opportunities.

### Key Contacts

Shire of Collie: [collie.wa.gov.au](https://collie.wa.gov.au)

Collie Chamber of Commerce and

Industry: [colliehub.com.au](https://colliehub.com.au)

South West Development

Commission: [swdc.wa.gov.au](https://swdc.wa.gov.au)



Jodie Hanns MLA, Premier Roger Cook, Clive Hawkes, James Glaskin and Hon Reece Whitby at Quantum Filtration Medium opening in Collie, Western Australia. Credit: Liet Photography

# How we support your investment success

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The Western Australian Government is actively supporting industry efforts to establish projects in Collie and accelerate Collie's diversification and decarbonisation and the creation of new local jobs. Support available to proponents includes:

- » Front Door Investment Service
- » Streamlined Approvals
- » Funding Opportunities

## Front Door Investment Service

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Invest and Trade Western Australia (ITWA) is the Western Australian Government's 'front door' to doing business in Western Australia. ITWA supports international investors considering establishing or expanding operations in Western Australia including the Collie region.

ITWA, along with partner agencies with lead responsibilities for the State's priority sectors, support local businesses to access new markets and scale operations. Comprised of the Perth Hub and an international presence in 17 locations across six regional hubs, the ITWA network is well placed to collectively facilitate investment into the State and assist local industry to access new export markets.

## Streamlined Approvals

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The Department of Energy and Economic Diversification offers cross-Government facilitation of project approvals to help navigate Western Australia's approvals process efficiently and effectively.

The Department can also assist with the identification and facilitation of access to suitable industrial land in Collie's Light, General and Strategic industrial areas.

## Funding Opportunities

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Assistance can be provided to identify relevant Western Australian and Australian Government funding opportunities when they become available.

To specifically support industry attraction to Collie, the Western Australian Government has also launched the \$230 million Collie Industrial Transition Fund to help activate industrial land and provide grants to companies seeking to establish operations in Collie.



## The Collie Industrial Transition Fund

- » The \$230 million Collie Industrial Transition Fund is targeted at attracting large-scale industrial projects that can provide long-term, sustainable jobs in Collie.
- » The Collie Industrial Transition Fund aims to attract new and emerging industries to Collie through grant funding and through the development of project-ready land for proponents.

For more about registering your interest and eligibility criteria, visit: [Collie Industrial Transition Fund](#).

## Australian Government Grants and Support

Through Austrade and the Net Zero Economy Authority, the Australian Government supports industry and investment through a range of grants and programs aligned to the Collie focus industries including green metals, critical minerals processing, low carbon liquid fuels and other clean energy technologies. Details of the grant options can be found at [Grant Connect](#).

In addition, a range of agencies and Special Investment Vehicles are available to eligible organisations such as the Australian Renewable Energy Agency (ARENA), National Reconstruction Fund (NRF), Clean Energy Finance Corporation and Export Finance Australia. Details on these programs and other support offered can be found in [Australia's NDC Investment Blueprint](#).

## National Reconstruction Fund

- » The Australian Government has established the National Reconstruction Fund Corporation (NRFC) to support seven priority areas of the Australian economy: resources; transport; medical science; defence capability; renewable and low emissions technology; agriculture, forestry and fisheries; and enabling capabilities.
- » The NRFC can provide finance in the form of debt, equity and guarantees to support Australian projects that drive high-value industry transformation. The NRFC is investing \$15 billion for the Australian Government, to diversify and transform Australia's industry and economy.

To find out more, visit: [nrf.gov.au](https://nrf.gov.au).

# Transition with momentum

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Collie is already demonstrating its capacity to host complex, sustainable future-facing industries, with a number of projects set to scale alongside the region's decarbonisation.

The development of these projects also provide numerous investment opportunities which will actively support supply chains and industrial symbiosis.

## Green Manufacturing

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Western Australia features abundant renewable energy resources across the South West region, making Collie the natural choice to manufacture low or zero-carbon products as well as other energy-intensive manufacturing, processing and circular-economy industries.

Home to operators with extensive experience in servicing heavy industries, the Collie region has significant manufacturing capability in

engineering, fabrication, welding, electrical and civil services, and the potential to expand into new industries.

With several industrial and manufacturing projects in the area, Collie is well positioned for industries that benefit from materials re-use, recycling or remanufacturing.

The Western Australian Government recognises the evolving landscape for manufacturing, with an increased use and focus on automation.



## Collie Steel Mill

Green Steel of Western Australia (GSWA) proposes to deliver a modern Collie Steel Mill — an electric arc furnace steel mill to process scrap steel into steel re-enforcing bars for local consumption and export. The plant will be based on proven technology by Danieli who has established 37 mills globally, demonstrating the effective and efficient nature of the plant. The green manufacturing facility is both energy intensive and energy-efficient with a significantly lower operating cost compared to traditional steel making.

As part of the Western Australian Government's commitments to Collie's Just Transition, GSWA has received \$2.7 million in funding to support a bankable feasibility study for the mill.

The Collie Steel Mill presents an opportunity to establish Western Australia's first green steel

mill while directly supporting the State's Made in WA objectives. The project enables locally produced, low-emissions steel to be supplied across Western Australia's construction sector, supporting residential, commercial and infrastructure projects. It also catalyses downstream manufacturing and industrial clustering opportunities in Collie. By recycling Western Australian scrap domestically, the project reduces reliance on imported steel and minimises the export of scrap metal, strengthening local supply chains, circular-economy outcomes and sovereign industrial capability.

The Collie Steel Mill project requires industrial gas facilities and will produce steelmaking slag that can feed into further production processes.

To find out more, visit: [greensteelwa.com.au](https://greensteelwa.com.au).



Artist impression of GSWA Facility in Collie, Western Australia

## Minerals Processing

Western Australia's South West region is a significant contributor to the State's mining and mineral processing industries. It hosts Greenbushes, the world's largest hard-rock lithium mine, and is a major source of bauxite and mineral sands.

As the location of the State's lithium hydroxide, alumina and titanium dioxide processing facilities, the South West is the centre of the State's major mineral processing industries. Future opportunities include rare earth processing and midstream battery chemical manufacturing.

The Western Australian Government's Battery and Critical Minerals Strategy, released in May 2024, outlines the State's vision to develop our value-adding battery and critical minerals industries, supporting future clean energy in Western Australia.

### International Graphite

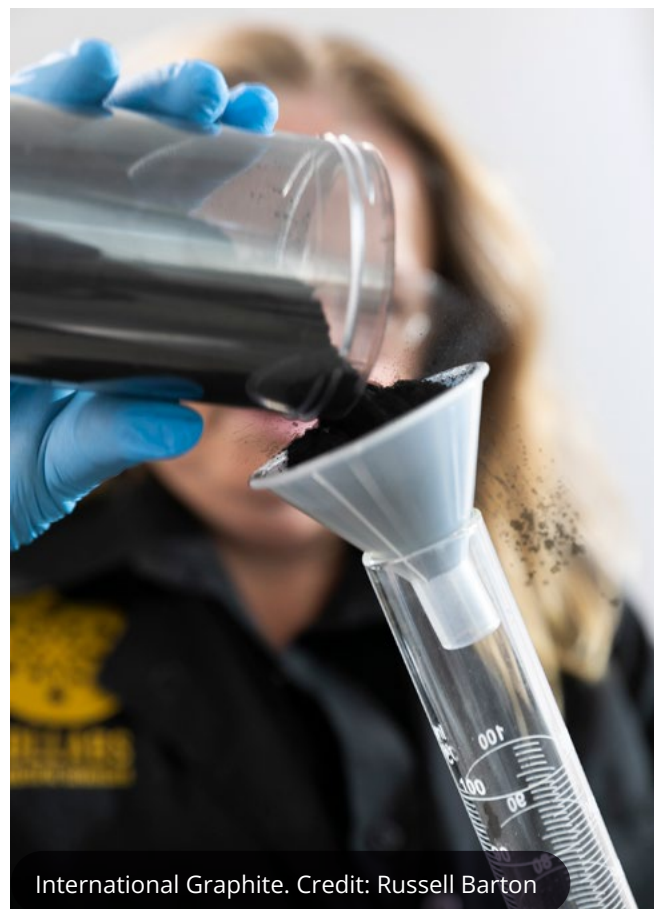
Collie is home to Australia's first graphite micronising plant, thanks to Western Australian company International Graphite establishing a pilot scale facility in the Collie Light Industrial Area.

Supported by \$2 million in funding from the Western Australian Government, the facility produces graphite products for customer acceptance testing, enabling International Graphite to develop a customer base in established industrial markets and gain valuable operating experience. Micronised graphite is used for a wide range of industrial products, such as lubricants and conductive materials. It is also the first stage in the processing of active anode material for battery technologies.

A commercial graphite micronising plant, also in the Collie Light Industrial Area, is in pre-construction supported by a further \$4.5 million from the Western Australian Government.

International Graphite is working to develop a fully integrated mine-to-market graphite business that will ultimately produce advanced battery anode graphite materials in Collie using feedstock from the company's 100% owned Springdale graphite resource, near Hopetoun in Western Australia. The Western Australian Government has provided \$2 million to progress feasibility studies for the advanced downstream processing facility. As International Graphite progresses their mine-to-market strategy, opportunities are emerging in the supply chain in particular industrial chemicals and reagents.

To find out more, visit:  
[internationalgraphite.com.au](https://internationalgraphite.com.au).



International Graphite. Credit: Russell Barton





Magnium Australia in Collie, Western Australia

## Industries Requiring Renewable Energy

The Western Australian Government is advancing its vision to make Western Australia a renewable energy powerhouse. With its central location within the South West Interconnected System (SWIS) and proximity to high-quality solar and wind resources, the Collie region is ideally suited to energy intensive industry seeking access to renewable energy.

Western Australia is set to play a leading role in global decarbonisation, backed by our abundant critical minerals, world-class renewable resources and skilled workforce.

### Magnium Australia

Magnium Australia is pioneering the world's cleanest process to produce net-zero magnesium metal, the lightest structural metal. Magnium aims to develop a commercial scale magnesium metal refinery in Collie to

produce low emissions magnesium metal critical to decarbonise aluminium alloying and the transport sector.

Magnium is uniquely positioned to capture a share of this growing market by offering a reliable and diversified source of sustainable, premium product.

The Western Australian Government has provided funding of \$7.5 million to support Magnium to develop an 800 tonnes per annum pilot plant in the Collie Light Industrial Area.

A further \$2 million in funding support from the Western Australian Government is helping Magnium complete a detailed feasibility study for the commercial magnesium metal refinery within the Coolangatta Industrial Estate.

Magnium's commercial scale magnesium refinery will require industrial gas facilities and consistent supplies of carbon.

To find out more, visit: [magnium.com.au](https://magnium.com.au).

## Clean Energy Industries

The Collie region is already home to several battery storage projects and has capacity to support battery industry development opportunities across the whole value chain, in particular, emerging downstream activities such as battery manufacturing, assembly, maintenance and recycling.

Leveraging its position in the South West, the opportunity in Collie to support renewable energy and renewable fuel manufacturing provides a unique opportunity to industry looking to establish here.

### Synergy

Synergy is Western Australia's largest provider of electricity and has played an important role in the Collie community for more than 60 years, powering homes and providing jobs. As the energy landscape evolves, Synergy continues to play a key role in Collie's future through the Collie Battery Energy Storage System (CBESS), which forms part of the Western Australian Government's Decarbonisation Plan, with battery energy storage systems being a key part of the energy

transition. CBESS stores energy from various sources on the grid, such as renewable energy (solar power or wind energy), and is then discharged when demand for electricity peaks, usually in the evening. Synergy's CBESS will provide 500 megawatts (MW) of power for up to four hours with 2000 megawatt-hours (MWh) of energy storage, meaning it will be able to power 785,000 homes for four hours.

### Neoen

Collie Battery is Neoen's first four-hour-long battery and the company's first major project in Western Australia. The project has development approval for 1 gigawatt (GW) / 4 gigawatt hours (GWh). Collie Battery was built in stages: Stage 1, sized at 219 megawatts (MW) / 877 megawatt hours (MWh), has been operating since October 2024. Stage 2, sized at 341 MW / 1,363 MWh, has been operating since July 2025.

Neoen's Collie Battery can provide short-term storage to support electricity supply peak times, easing pressure on the grid. It can charge and discharge 20% of the average demand in Western Australia's South West Interconnected System (SWIS).



Synergy CBESS. Credit: Synergy







# A great place to live and work

A thriving town in the heart of Western Australia's South West region, Collie is a great place to live, work, do business and explore.

The picturesque Collie region boasts an attractive natural environment, historic town centre and a connected local community.

Collie is strategically and conveniently located 60 kilometres east of the regional port city of Bunbury and 200 kilometres south of Perth.

Collie is a major regional centre with a range of community services including early education, primary schools, a secondary school and a tertiary trade school. Key health care facilities include medical centres, physiotherapy and chiropractic services, dentists and a hospital, with a recent \$14.7 million upgrade.

The town has a variety of sporting and recreational facilities including a 50-metre outdoor heated public swimming pool and a wide range of sporting clubs. Collie is home to world-class accredited mountain bike trails and facilities.

Stunning natural assets offer a variety of recreational activities in the region for locals and tourists, with several parks and waterways, including Wellington National Park, Lake Kepwari, Black Diamond and Stockton Lakes.

## Collie Tourism Prospectus

The Western Australian Government's investment in Collie has included more than \$40 million towards supporting tourism initiatives and infrastructure — which has contributed to visitor numbers in Collie increasing by more than 73% since investment commenced.

Investing in tourism has not only strengthened the local economy but also enhanced its reputation as an attractive place to live, work and play.

The Western Australian Government's Collie Tourism Prospectus highlights this successful investment and encourages new businesses to become a part of Collie's tourism evolution.

View the Collie Tourism Prospectus online at:  
[wa.gov.au/government/publications/collie-tourism-prospectus](https://wa.gov.au/government/publications/collie-tourism-prospectus).



# Focal point of a global Just Transition

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Collie is recognised internationally as being at the forefront of the Just Transition process and is a leading example on the world stage in delivering a transition collaboratively, with a strong community-led approach.

The global economy is taking active steps to move away from carbon intensive industries, to reduce the impacts of climate change and achieve net zero emissions by 2050.

As the world moves to renewable forms of energy generation, industries are increasingly seeking green energy supply and opportunities to value-add through circular economies.

The Western Australian Government is actively supporting the diversification of Collie's economy and has committed to a Just Transition for Collie. As an internationally endorsed framework, a Just Transition recognises impacted workers and communities and supports the transition away from emissions-intensive industries such as coal.

Powering Western Australia for almost 130 years through coal mining and coal-fired power stations, Collie's coal-related industries employ over 1,300 workers and contractors.

Supporting Collie's Just Transition since 2019, the Western Australian Government has:

- » Committed nearly \$700 million to support Collie's Just Transition.
- » Allocated \$16.9 million of the \$700 million to support Collie's transitioning workforce into new opportunities through the Collie Jobs and Skills Centre and other dedicated training and career support initiatives.
- » Committed to the 80% reduction of Synergy's carbon emissions by 2030 with the phasing out of coal-fired power.
- » Retired Muja Power Station Stages A, B and C Unit 5 and supported impacted workers.
- » Supported emerging industries with new technologies to establish in Collie.

In addition, through the Australian Government's Net Zero Economy Authority, Collie is identified as a priority region for its ability to support the net zero transition.

# Where to start

The Western Australian Government welcomes enquiries from businesses that can contribute to the economic diversification of Collie. Contact our Collie Delivery Unit and Invest and Trade Western Australia teams:

## Collie Delivery Unit

Committed to the diversification of Collie's local economy, the Western Australian Government's Collie Delivery Unit can assist businesses seeking to bring their ideas for Collie to fruition. For significant proposals, there may be opportunities for State Government funding support, such as from the Collie Industrial Transition Fund.

Department of the Premier and Cabinet  
A: 63 Throssell Street, Collie WA 6225  
T: (08) 9734 2322  
E: [collie@dpc.wa.gov.au](mailto:collie@dpc.wa.gov.au)

## Invest and Trade Western Australia

Invest and Trade Western Australia is the front door to assist investors and businesses to engage with established industries and gather critical information to make it easier than ever to do business in, and with, Western Australia.

Department of Energy & Economic  
Diversification  
A: Level 11, 1 William Street, Perth WA 6000  
T: +61 (08) 6277 3000  
E: [investandtrade@jtsi.wa.gov.au](mailto:investandtrade@jtsi.wa.gov.au)

## Learn More

For more information on Collie and the WA Government's commitment to enhancing and diversifying the local economy, or to read more about the latest developments of the transition, scan the QR code.







International Graphite

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