



MAC Rangers join Pluto Train 2 project

Preserving, protecting, and respecting the flora and fauna near Karratha

Karratha, Western Australia, 11 August 2022 — Bechtel has engaged the Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation (MAC) Rangers to support pest and vector management and fauna handling activities on Woodside’s Pluto Train 2 project.

Awarding this work to the MAC Ranger team has been a key part of Bechtel’s engagement with Indigenous businesses.

“The MAC Rangers bring a wealth of knowledge and experience with them and this, combined with their familiarity with the area, makes them an ideal partner for us,” Jo Winters, Bechtel’s social performance manager said. “We are looking forward to collaborating with the Rangers.”

The scope includes delivery of an integrated vector control program that achieves long-term, environmentally sound vector control, as well as the identification, capture, and relocation of both native and non-native fauna in accordance with the Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016.

Peter Jeffries, CEO of MAC, recognised the specialty skills his team brings to the project and the wide range of work they will be performing.

“Our team is qualified in fauna handling, including familiarity with the ecology of species and the ability to assess and manage fauna for release and rehabilitation,” Peter said.

“We are proud to be joining the Pluto Train 2 project alongside other Traditional Owner, Indigenous and local businesses.”

Woodside Pluto Train 2 site manager Chris Quinn welcomed Bechtel’s work with the MAC Ranger team, which supports Woodside’s commitment to providing opportunities for local and Indigenous enterprises.

“Woodside has had a long and very constructive relationship with MAC, and we acknowledge the expertise and cultural values the Rangers bring to this important work,” Chris said. “Woodside and our project partners are actively seeking to maximise both business and employment opportunities for the Karratha region.”

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Woodside has selected Bechtel to execute the engineering, procurement, construction and commissioning of a second LNG train (Pluto Train 2) at the existing Pluto LNG onshore facility. The contract includes the construction of supporting infrastructure, such as the Construction Accommodation Village (CAV) currently being delivered at the Gap Ridge Village site on Madigan Road.

Woodside is the largest energy producer listed on the ASX. Woodside has a global portfolio and is recognised for its world-class capabilities as an integrated upstream supplier of energy.

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Bechtel and Woodside are working to maximise local and Indigenous content as part of the delivery of Pluto Train 2. To date, close to 30 local and Indigenous businesses have been engaged either as subcontractors or sub-tier providers to subcontractors on the Project.

Recruitment for Project roles has now commenced. Registrations of Interest can be lodged on [Bechtel's construction craft professional portal](#). All roles are also advertised on [Bechtel's Job Portal](#).

Procurement activities have commenced. Suppliers interested in the Pluto Train 2 Project are encouraged to email PlutoTrain2@bechtel.com.