

Autumn 2025

Alcoa Anglesea Update



We've had a productive and safe start to the year as we continue momentum with rehabilitation activities across our former mine and power station sites.

While we have come a long way, we recognise there is still much to do to lock in the progress we have made. This year, we'll be focusing on:

Maintaining our track record

Consistent with our values and actions both during operation and since closure, we are committed to achieving zero injuries and maintaining full environmental compliance.

Completing the power station remediation

After undertaking a variety of remediation activities over several years under the oversight of an EPA-appointed auditor, we expect to achieve a significant milestone early in the year with the completion of environmental remediation works on the power station site.

Finalising the mine water filling strategy

Toward the end of 2024 we received feedback from Southern Rural Water (SRW) regarding our formal groundwater licence amendment application submitted to the regulator in July 2024.

Some clarifications were requested in order for Alcoa's application to be deemed 'complete', and before SRW can commence formal assessment of the application. We have been reviewing the feedback and are working towards providing the requested information in the coming weeks.

The amended application seeks 1.5 gigalitres per year for up to 10 years, a volume that represents less than 0.1 per cent of the aquifer's total groundwater content and 60 per cent less than the company's historical extraction rate.

Following an outcome of the application, we will be in a position to deliver a final Mine Rehabilitation and Closure Plan, bringing us closer to returning the site to the community.

Read more about the strategy and FAQs by visiting www.alcoa.com/australia/en/anglesea/mine-water-filling-strategy.

Delivering our mine maintenance and monitoring program

Our extensive mine maintenance and monitoring program is integral to achieving our objective of a safe, stable and sustainable landform.

This program includes weed management, erosion repairs, stability monitoring, water monitoring, and regular geotechnical and vegetation expert inspections – activities that are expected to continue for the next five to 10 years.

Exploring land use opportunities

Working through options for Alcoa freehold land use in line with the Alcoa Freehold Master Plan and the Anglesea Futures Land Use Framework.

Involving the community

If you have any feedback or questions for Alcoa, please do not hesitate to contact the team via angleseaps@alcoa.com.au.

To read more about our activities including previous updates, visit our website www.alcoa.com/australia/en/anglesea.

