Special Activation Precincts





Acknowledgement of country

We recognise that wherever we are, this was and always will be Aboriginal land. We pay our respects to our Aboriginal elders past, present and emerging. We recognise the significance of language, kinship and belonging within Aboriginal culture, and continue to work hard every day to create a better NSW for all Australians.

History of the SAP program



In July 2018, the NSW Government released A 20-Year Economic Vision for Regional NSW and announced the Regional NSW Investment Attraction Package. The Economic Vision sets the overall strategy to ensure regional NSW continues as a vibrant economy and supports population growth.

Alongside the 20-Year Vision, the NSW Government announced the first Special Activation Precinct, located in Parkes. Since July 2018, 6 SAPs have been announced.

A SAP is a dedicated area in a regional location identified by the NSW Government to become a thriving business hub. investors, support local industries and fuel economic development. This will ensure regional NSW is well placed to grow and meet future economic needs across a range of industries, including:

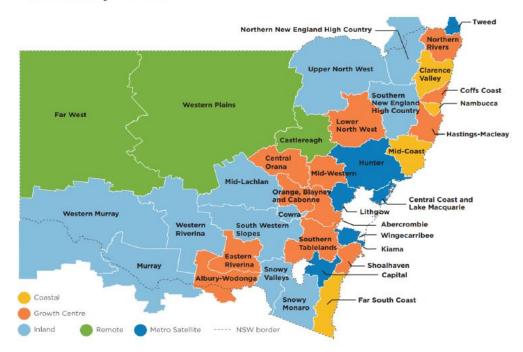
- freight and logistics
- defence
- advanced manufacturing
- renewable energy
- agribusiness
- tourism
- recycling and waste management
- critical minerals

Precincts will create jobs, attract businesses and

Functional Economic Regions (FERs), Regional Economic Development Strategies (REDS) and Engine Industries



A **FER** is an area containing a cohesive network of trade and commerce, with local commuting to jobs and shopping, and common access to services and community activities.



The **REDS** provide a strategy to drive regional NSW economies over the next 20 years.

REDS targets seven engine industries along with three emerging engine industries:



Emerging

SAP program components





Government-led studies

Fast track planning

Government-led development

Infrastructure investment

Business concierge

Current status





Focus industries include freight and logistics, advanced manufacturing, critical minerals, energy from waste, food processing and cold chain storage.

The Master Plan and the Activation Precincts SEPP finalised in June 2020 and now in delivery. Construction underway.



SNOWY MOUNTAINS

Focus on stimulating economic growth in the region by increasing tourism all year round, with a focus on non-winter tourism attractions.

The Master Plan was finalised in July 2022. Detailed project planning commencing.



WAGGA WAGGA

Focus industries include agribusiness, advanced manufacturing, renewable energy (including hydrogen) and freight and logistics.

The Master Plan and the Activation Precincts SEPP finalised in May 2021. Construction commencing.



WILLIAMTOWN

Focus on the national and international defence hub and grow education and training facilities that align with the skills of local industries.

Draft Master Plan exhibition completed. Submissions under review.



MOREE

Focus industries in value added agriculture, horticultural innovation and bioenergy.

The final Master Plan has been finalised. Final stage of design for enabling infrastructure.



NARRABRI

Focus on leveraging the Inland Rail and the Northern NSW Inland Port, and providing direct access to global and international markets.

Draft master plan exhibition late 2022.

The Planning Framework

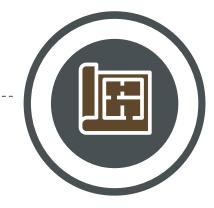


This ensures the right mechanisms are in place for a streamlined planning process and the effective delivery of Special Activation Precincts.



Planning Legislation

- Working within current planning legislation to streamline processes
- Makes it easier for investors to determine the correct planning pathway
- Provides certainty about the zoning and process for development



Master Plans

- Brings forward the upfront strategic planning that removes the need for industry to do this
- Provides precinct wide solutions that manages impacts
- Certainty for investors and the community about what type of development can happen where



Delivery Mechanisms

- A collaborative approach that supports innovation and best practice
- Provides detailed plans for development and government funded infrastructure
- Strategies for the protection of the environment, amenity and cultural heritage
- Monitoring and reporting

Wagga Precinct master plan



Industrial core

Rural landscape buffer

Riverina Intermodal Freight and Logistics Hub (RIFL)

Possible future expansion of rail siding infrastructure

Land to be reserved for heritage, culture and habitat

Future local road upgrade

←→→ Future upgrade of existing east - west boulevards

- Major road future upgrade proposed

Major road

←==⇒ Future infrastructure corridors

Approved solar farms (indicative)

Potential commercial nodes

Railway

Road



Wagga Precinct proposed development



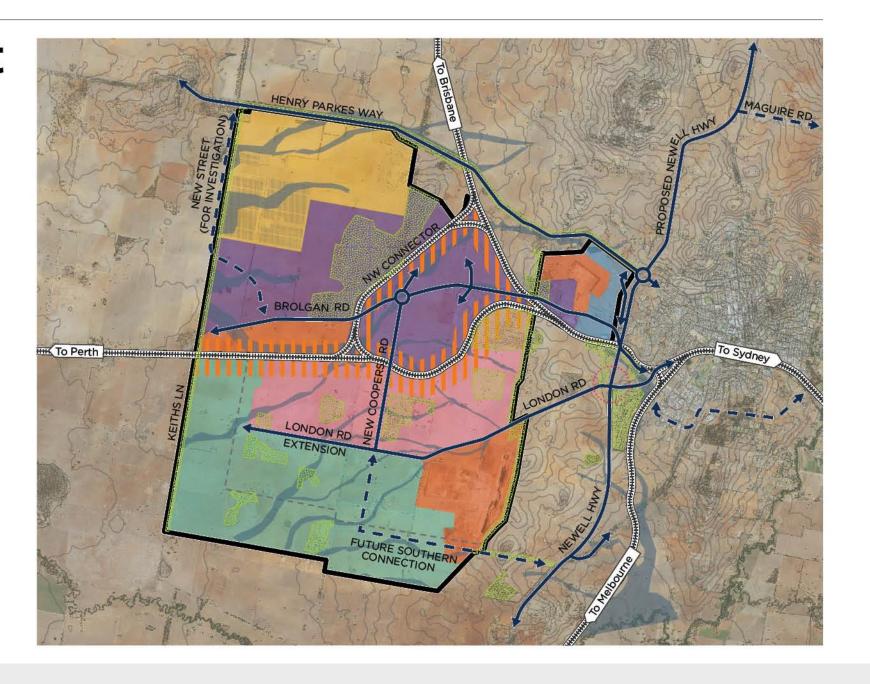


Parkes precinct master plan

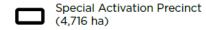


Future upgrade (for investigation by

TfNSW)



Moree Precinct master plan



Moree Regional Airport

Railway Station

Railway

Road

River/Creek

Proposed East West Connector (Strategic Corridor)

← Proposed Road

NE Rail Bypass

NE Intermodal Loop

Proposed intermodal sites

Aboriginal Heritage sites

Air Transport

Rural Activity

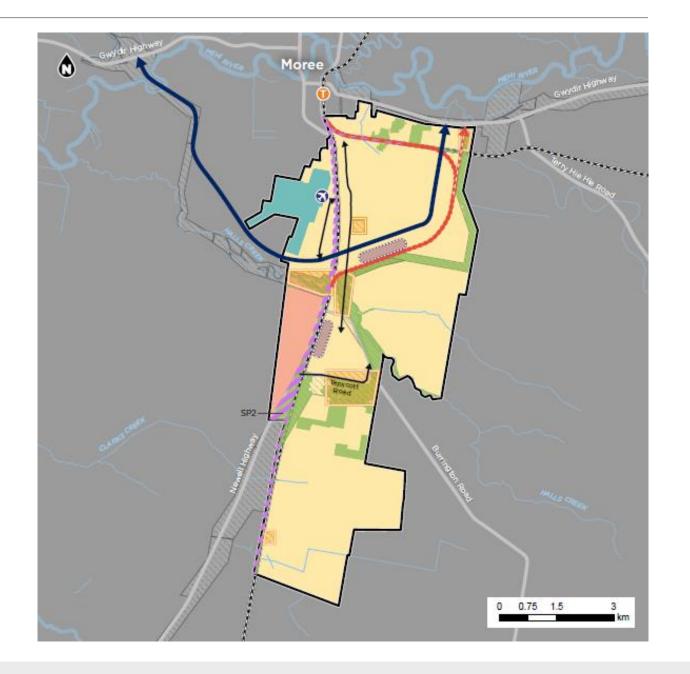
Regional Enterprise

Special Purpose Infrastructure

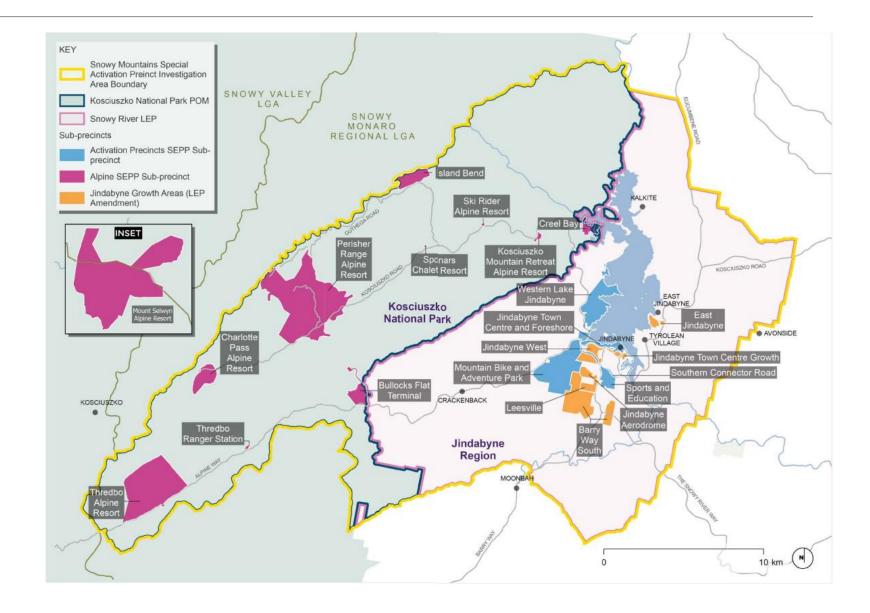
Areas of environmental value

Travelling Stock Reserves

Travelling Stock Reserves proposed relocation



Snowy Mountains master plan



Williamtown master plan

Williamtown SAP boundary
(395 hectares)

RAAF Base Williamtown and
Newcastle Airport

Waterway

Waterbody

Roads

Hunter Wetlands National Park

Tilligery State Conservation Area

Heritage or green space

Newcastle Airport
Local heritage item
Aboriginal Keeping Place

Proposed unapproved taxiway

Aboriginal Keeping Place Northern catchment

New access road Regional enterprise zone

Future alignment of Nelson Bay Road Flood mitigation-shallow flood storage

Access points

Proposed road

Environmental protection area

Runway and taxiways

SP2 Infrastructure

Western catchment

Eastern catchment



Special Activation Precincts - Video



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