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How will battery storage affect Canberra's electricity grid?

Battery storage will play an increasing role in Canberra's electricity grid as we move towards electrifying our city and achieving net zero emissions by 2045. Renewable energy such as wind and solar energy make electricity that large-scale batteries can store. Batteries help support the electricity grid when the sun and wind can't.

What is the Big Canberra battery project?

The Big Canberra Battery project will deliver an ecosystem of batteries across the ACT to ensure that our electricity grid remains stable. The Big Canberra Battery project includes: The large-scale battery storage system in Williamsdale will deliver 250 megawatts (MW) of power, store renewable energy and support grid reliability.

How many megawatts will a battery deliver in Canberra?

The Government says the battery will deliver at least 250 megawatts of power, enough stored renewable energy to supply one-third of Canberra for two hours during peak demand.

Will Canberra's big Canberra battery keep the lights on?

"The Big Canberra Battery will keep the lights on while driving down emissions, giving Canberrans confidence that clean energy can meet our needs well into the future," said ACT Chief Minister, Andrew Barr.

Energy Storage is critical for ACT's 100% renewables and net-zero target. Helps to put downward pressure on electricity price paid by ACT consumers. Reduces the need for electricity network ...

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aims to deliver the next stage of the Big Canberra Battery by establishing a ...

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As heatwaves bake grids and storms knock out power lines, the Canberra reservoir serves as an energy insurance policy. During 2024's "Black Summer 2.0" bushfires, early-stage storage ...

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