



CAPABILITY STATEMENT ENVIRONMENT

QUADRANT RAIL CONSULTING EXISTS TO REDEFINE THE FUTURE OF YOUR PROJECT THROUGH INNOVATIVE RAIL OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANCY SOLUTIONS



Established in 2021, with rail operations at our core, we have evolved into a national consultancy, delivering innovative public transportation and environmental consulting services, supporting private companies and public authorities in the planning, assessment, delivery and ongoing management of their projects.

Our offices are conveniently located in Queensland and the Australian Capital Territory and our experts are here to assist our clients across multiple jurisdictions, nationally and internationally.

VALUES

INTEGRITY

We prioritise transparent and truthful communication in all interactions, fostering an environment built on trust. We take responsibility for our actions, delivering on promises, and learning from challenges to continually improve.

PASSION

We inspire and fuel a relentless enthusiasm for our mission, encouraging a dynamic and dedicated team that embraces challenges with creativity and perseverance.

COMMITMENT

We are unwavering in our dedication to excellence, demonstrating steadfast commitment to our goals, clients, our projects and our team, even in the face of challenges.





WE ARE EXPERIENCED

We are experts in environmental planning and impact assessment with experience navigating environmental regulations. No two projects are the same, and we are skilled at adapting to different jurisdictions and changing project requirements.

WE OFFER VALUE

We are a small boutique consultancy, and can provide value for your money, delivering efficient fit for purpose and high-quality services tailored to your project's needs.

WE ARE THOROUGH

Understanding the detail is a prerequisite to success. We pride ourselves on our very high attention to detail in all our communications, deliverables and planning and for these reasons, we are also valued for our project management and coordination skills.

WE ARE APPROACHABLE

We are approachable and value our relationships with our clients, stakeholders and the industries we work within. Our communication skills are strong, and we are skilled at adapting to our audience, presenting and translating the complex to a wide array of stakeholders.

WE ARE SUPPORTED

We are supported by our QRC colleagues, who are reputable leaders in rail and public transportation consulting, both nationally and internationally. We can draw on their strong business foundation for governance support and likewise, we can support our QRC Rail projects, value adding our environment and sustainability services in all phases.



SERVICES

We provide environmental planning, approvals and sustainability services and can assist our clients through all project phases, from scoping, assessment, approvals, construction and operation. We can work autonomously, embed in your team, lead or assist your existing environmental team.

KEY SERVICES

- Environmental constraints / scoping studies
- Environmental risk assessment
- Approvals pathways identification
- Environmental impact assessment across jurisdictions, including but not limited to:
 - Review of Environmental Factors
 - Statement of Environmental Effects
 - Environmental Impact Statement
 - Ecological Significance Opinion
- Environmental policy and strategy
- Regulatory and stakeholder engagement
- Environmental management plans
- Sustainability plans
- Infrastructure Sustainability Rating Scheme
- Post approval support / conditions compliance
- Tender support pricing, writing, environment strategy
- Development assessment for Local Government
- Project Management
- Peer review and expert advice





SERVICES

PHASES

Planning

- We apply our technical expertise and experience to develop solutions designed to obtain the necessary environmental approvals and enable informed investment decisions.
- ▶ We identify environmental constraints and risks early, as well as your necessary specialist environmental studies.

Design

- We understand that the design process is iterative and that a sustainable and approvable project involves collaboration, problem solving, evolution and improvement.
- We provide strategic direction and flexible ongoing input and advice in the design phase ensuring that our eventual impact assessment documentation is robust and comprehensive.
- We are more than just an environmental impact assessment report; we are part of the process.

Construction & Operation

- ▶ We provide environmental guidance and advice to internal stakeholders, to ensure compliance with conditions of approval and mitigation commitments.
- We prepare, implement and report on environmental management plans, liaise with your external stakeholders including government bodies and also the community if required.

SECTORS

We are not restricted in the sectors that we service, however following is a short list of our most recent project sectors.

- Transport & Infrastructure
- Renewable Energy
- Extractive Industry
- Urban Development and planning
- National Parks / recreation assets



OUR TEAM

Skye joined QRC in 2024 as Associate Director of Environment. Prior to joining QRC, Skye worked with Eco Logical Australia for five years as a Senior Environmental Consultant and prior to this, in Local Government roles as a Senior Environmental Planner. Skye is an experienced environmental consultant, with 15 years' experience in environmental planning, assessment, and management of a range of development types including transport and infrastructure projects, mineral resources, renewable energy and urban development and has worked across multiple jurisdictions and legislative frameworks, including the Australian Capital Territory, New South Wales, South Australia, Queensland and the Commonwealth.



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This breadth of experience allows Skye to readily interpret environmental planning legislation, assist and coordinate the environmental approvals process and provide peer review and advisory services. With strong project management and communication skills and an ability to present and translate complex technical information to a wide array of stakeholders, Skye is proficient in client management, building relationships and finding solutions in multidisciplinary project environments across all project phases, from scoping, assessment, approvals, construction and operation.





SUSTAINABILITY OUTCOMES

Quadrant Rail Consulting is committed to achieving sustainable outcomes in all of our projects, recognising the critical intersection between development and the operation of our society and environmental stewardship. We are unwavering in our commitment to deliver environmentally responsible solutions, fostering long-term resilience in all sectors we operate, and contributing positively to the clients and communities we serve. We aim to achieve our sustainability goals through integrating sustainability into our projects and providing Infrastructure Sustainability Accredited Professionals (ISAPs) to contribute to, and deliver IS ratings. We will be able to provide ISAP in 2024.

