

Snapshot

2007-08

# In 2007-08 Grow West undertook a range of business opportunities and partnerships, including:

* Fine-tuned its business model and drafted a revised Business Plan.
* Secured $60,000 from partner organisations, $60,000 from corporate investment and $154,000 from the Australian Government’s Natural Heritage Trust.
* Ccorporate investment from Victoria Electricity and Aviva Australia Limited.
* Revegetation with locally indigenous species of approximately 80 hectares
* Establishment of approximately 70 hectares of farm forestry demonstration sites in the Rowsley Valley and Bacchus Marsh areas.
* Grow West Community Planting Day with over 100 volunteer attendees and over 3,500 trees established.
* Site of the launch of the Victorian Government’s Green Paper Land and biodiversity at a time of climate change.
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