



Prominent Hill



Carrapateena

OZ Minerals

Project

- Mining Strategic and Tactical Commercial Programs

Value

- Confidential

Solution Required

- Air Charter Procurement – Tender
- Mining Village Services Contract Transition
- Bulk Haulage & Outback Road Maintenance Procurement

Services Provided

- Program Management
- Stakeholder Management
- Procurement RFX
- Contract Management
- Dispute Management

OZ Minerals engaged Audacian Pty Ltd to deliver specialised commercial consulting services for their mining operations. These services encompassed procurement, advising on contractual obligations, and the management of commercial disputes, all aimed at providing support services for the mining operations that minimised risk and maximised value.

Approach

From 2021 to 2023, Audacian provided pivotal support to OZ Minerals Commercial Mining team through a period of strategic transformation and operational advancement. Audacian offered a combination of expert knowledge and dedicated staff, tasked with enhancing strategic procurement processes and adeptly negotiating contracts for a multitude of mining support services.

During this period, Audacian's expertise was crucial in managing an Air Charter Tender program involving multiple sites, aimed at optimizing operational efficiencies. They adeptly handled the transition of Village Services, overseeing the successful demobilization and contract termination of the outgoing contractor and the smooth onboarding and implementation of a new one.

Audacian's active involvement in improving contract management practices provided essential support in several high-stakes contractual disputes, guiding stakeholders towards amicable and successful resolutions. In addition to dispute management, Audacian led the procurement processes for Bulk Haulage and the maintenance of Outback roads, ensuring a smooth transition aligned with stakeholder expectations.

Audacian's commitment extended beyond the initial project rollout; they provided ongoing support for maintaining contractual obligations and resolving disputes effectively. Their dedication to engaging stakeholders was a key aspect of their successful track record in delivering mining support services.