Legislative Council Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations 13

Supplementary Information

Water Corporation

Hon Martin Aldridge MLC asked:

- I refer page 31 of the Water Corporation's Annual Report and the reference to the \$32 million Farmlands water supply project:
 - (a) What is the status of the Farmlands project;

Answer:

The Water Corporation is in the third year of the Farmlands Water Supply Improvement Project that commenced in 2016.

(b) Was the Farmlands project extended past its initial three-year operation schedule;

Answer:

Delivery of the Farmlands project will run for longer than originally proposed. Some elements of the project have taken more time and been more difficult than initially considered and initiatives to ensure involvement of local and Aboriginal contractors have taken additional time.

(c) If yes to (b), please provide detail of how it was extended;

Answer:

The \$32 million dollar project will take longer to complete than the initial target of three years. Additionally, Water Corporation has an ongoing requirement for a renewals program in the Farmlands area. The priorities within this will continue to be driven by the frequency of leaks and bursts, proactive condition and risk assessment, and community engagement. There are currently projects identified, in all years of the next Five Year Asset Investment Plan.

(d) Was there any additional budgeting beyond the \$32 million provided by the Water Corporation to complete the project; and

Answer:

The budget for the initial Farmlands project was \$32 million. However, ongoing investment in the Farmlands network to minimise water interruptions and water loss will continue beyond the completion of the original program.

(e) Provide a breakdown of replacements, repairs and maintenance activities by local government area over the duration of the project?

Answer:

Beverley

0.5 km of pipe banding

Bruce Rock

LD Main replace underlays at the following km marks - 11.5 km, 34.02 km, 34.61 km, 34.7 km, 34.98 km, 36.5 km, 37.14 km and 38.4 km; MS23 Extension 12.75 km to 13.25 km replacement; MS23 Extension 6.1 km mark underlay replacement; MS Main 45 km underlay replacement

Coolgardie

UC Main underlay replacements at the following km marks 46.05 km, 51.91 km, 55.46 km, 56.35 km, 58.51 km, 60.46 km, 60.69 km, 46.25 km; UC Main band and wrap underlays at 46.4 km, 46.47 km, 47.01 km and 48.89 km

Cunderdin

CS2B Extension replace 6.1 km to 7.1 km; BH1 Extension Irishtown Rd replace 2 km; BP5 Extension 15.3 km to 17 km replacement 1.2 km of pipe banding

Coolgardie

5 km of pipe banding

Corrigin

MS35 Extension replace 150mm main from 13.3 km to 16.6 km mark across salt lake;

MS35 Extension 19.8 km underlay replacement

Dalwallinu

CK68 Extension 6 km to 6.5 km replacement; CK Main 166 km mark underlay replacement; CK50 Extension 38.5 km underlay replacement

Dowerin

CK30 Extension 6.8 km to 11 km mark replacement; BP7 Extension 19 km to 19.8 km replacement; CK21 Extension 0.4 km to 2.4 km replacement; CK34 Extension 0.7 km to 5.6 km replacement; CK36 Offtake buried pipe replacement 7.2 km of pipe banding

Goomalling

9.8 kilometres of pipe banding

Kellerberrin

LD Main 4.98 km underlay & valve replacement;

KN3 Extension 6.8 km to 8 km replacement;

KN3A Extension 8 km to -12 km and 12 km to 16 km replacement;

KN6 Extension 0 km to 0.3 km renewal;

KS Main replace between 5.2 km to 7.7 km;

KN13 Extension 1.78 km to 3.92 km replacement

0.3 km of pipe banding

Koorda

Replacement of 1.2 km of 300mm main through Koorda town; CK40G Extension 16.4 km mark replace 40 metres of 178mm MSCL 3.7 km of pipe banding

Merredin

MK Main underlay replacements at the 1.8 km, 11.9 km and 35 km marks; NB Main underlay replacements at the 1.65 km, 2.15 km and 6.65 km marks; MN Main 3.7km underlay replacement;

MN Main replace underlays at 10.8 km, 18 km, 18.5 km and replace 18.7 km to 20.3 km;

LT Main offtake replacement

2.3 km of pipe banding

Mount Marshall

KN20 Extension 28.5 km and 29 km underlay replacements 0.3 km of pipe banding

Northam

BH Main 5.1 underlay replacement; BN Main 10 km to 10.4 km replacement 19.5 km of pipe banding

Quairading

1.8 km of pipe banding

Trayning

CK27N1 Extension replace 4.5 km to 6 km;

CK27M Extension replace underlays at 3.75 km, 5.1 km, 8.0 km marks and at the Scherzinger/Goldfields Roads crossing;

KN Main road underlay replacements at 49 km, 52.8 km and 57.7 km;

MK25 Extension replace from 9.7 km to 11.2 km;

KN14 Extension 0.45 km and 4.3 km underlay replacements

32.7 km of pipe banding

Wongan-Ballidu

CK Main 120.6 km underlay replacement

BP Main 123 km underlay replacement

4.7 km of pipe banding

Wyalkatchem

CK27G1 Extension replace 5.8 km to 6.8 km and underlays at 0.7km, 2.3 km, 3.6 km, 5.2 km and 5.8 km

<u>Yilgarn</u>

UA Main 24.9 km underlay replacement 0.1 km of pipe banding

York

BG Main 500m underlay replacement at 15.4 km; CE Main 14 km to 14.4 km replacement 6.3 km of pipe banding