

Riverina Water County Council Board

Following the Local Government Elections held 10 September 2016, the Constituent Councils of the County area have appointed the following Councillors to the Riverina Water County Council Board.

Wagga Wagga City Council

Clr. Yvonne Braid
Clr. Greg Conkey OAM
Clr. Paul Funnell (Deputy Chairperson)
Clr. Vanessa Keenan
Clr. Tim Koschel

Lockhart Shire Council

Clr. Greg Verdon, The Rock (Chairperson)

Greater Hume Shire Council

Clr. Doug Meyer OAM, Henty
Clr. Tony Quinn, Gerogery

Federation Council

Mr. Mike Eden (Administrator) until September 2017, represented by Mr. Ian Kreutzberger (former delegate from Urana Shire)



Chairperson, Clr. Greg Verdon and Deputy Chairperson, Paul Funnell.

Permanent Water Conservation Measure

Riverina Water established a Permanent Water Conservation Measure in 2009. This measure has been implemented to increase water use efficiency, by greatly reducing evaporation losses. Fixed sprinklers cannot be used between the hours of 10am and 5pm and applies to all customers.

Council has a responsibility to enforce conservation measures and water usage bans and may issue infringement notices under the powers of the NSW Local Government Act 1993. A minimum fine of \$247 may apply.

Access to Water Meter

In order for us to bill you correctly for your water usage, you'll need to provide clear access to your meter.

How you can help

- Keep surrounding plants trimmed
- Provide access to locked gates
- Ensure landscaping such as mulch, paving, rubbish is not covering the meter
- Secure unfriendly dogs



Having difficulties

Contact our staff on 02 69220608.

Let's make it safe for our meter readers



Customer Newsletter



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Major Projects

Southern Trunk Main and Rural Reservoir

Work is continuing on the Southern Trunk Main upgrade. Four sections of the main from the West Wagga Treatment Plant to Dunns Road have been completed. The next section will run from the railway line up to the new reservoir site. The project is expected to take several years to complete, including the construction of the new 5 ML rural reservoir. Budget: \$5.3 million.

Rural Reservoir

Pipeline construction has commenced to connect the future Rural Reservoir on Dunns Road to the Southern trunk main on Olympic Highway. Excavation works to construct the pad for the reservoir are expected to commence in January 2017. Budget \$1.3 million.

Marshalls Creek Foot Bridge

Marshalls Creek Bridge is nearing completion. The bridge will be for use of foot traffic only and will allow alternative access to Riverina Water in the event of any future floods. The pipelines across the bridge have also been constructed, and further works are progressing in connecting the pipe at either end of the bridge. Once the new RWCC WTP is up and running these pipelines will be commissioned. The new and improved Wiradjuri Walking Track has re-opened on the western side of the bridge. Budget: \$235,000.

Bomen Rising Main

Work is continuing on the Bomen Rising Main. This will give the ability to supplement supply to the North Wagga/Bomen area from the new Water Treatment Plant. The section along Hammond Avenue and Mason Street has been completed. Work is continuing along the northern side of the river. Budget: \$1.2 million.

New Urana Water Treatment Plant (WTP)

Installation of new flocculation tank has been completed. The access platform, gantry and stair case have been installed. Installation of temporary pipe connections between the existing pumps and filters and the new flocculation tank are in progress. The remainder of the upgrade work is planned for 2018/19. Budget: \$217,000.

Morundah Reservoir

The external pipework, meter and electrical installations have been completed and the reservoir was commissioned in November 2016. Budget: \$320,000.

Woomargama Reservoir

A new reservoir at Woomargama has been constructed, it replaces the old reservoir and it has improved access and remote monitoring. The external access and control system will be completed in early 2017. Budget: \$100,000.

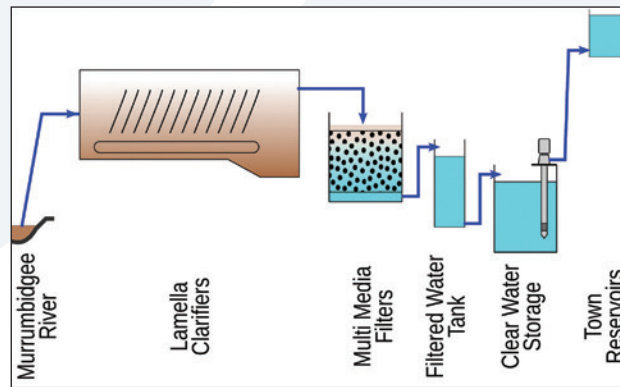
Replacement Low Level Reservoirs

RWCC is planning to replace the existing open air Low Level reservoir at Willans Hill in the 2017/18 financial year. A suitable site has been identified and design has commenced. Budget: \$7.07 million.

New Wagga Wagga Water Treatment Plant

In July 2015, UGL Engineering Pty Ltd (UGL) was awarded the contract to construct Riverina Water's 55ML/day river Water Treatment Plant. Work on the \$45 million dollar project is behind schedule due to the wet winter weather. The project is now expected to be completed in October 2017.

Water Treatment Plant Process



Lamella Clarifiers



The lamella clarifiers will remove most of the solids from the river water before filtration. The photo shows the frames that support the inclined plates being installed and still connected to the lifting slings. Some of the walkways and mechanical equipment have been installed.

Multi Media Filters



The filters will contain anthracite coal, sand and garnet to remove remaining solids from the water. The photo shows the access walkways have now been installed on the filter walls.

Filtered Water Tank



The photo shows that the disabled access lift has now been installed to provide access to the filter gallery, filtered water tank roof, control room and water quality testing area.

Clear Water Storage



The clear water storage tank is the last part of the water treatment process before the water is pumped into the distribution system. The photo shows that the concrete panels have been erected to form baffles. The access walkways have also been installed.