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Introduction

The Orana Water Utility Alliance (OWUA) has engaged Access Environmental Planning (Access EP) to complete an assessment for town water supply bore(s) for four Local Government Areas (LGA), the Council areas assessed were: Warrumbungle, Central Darling, Warren and Walgett Shire Councils (Council). This project was initiated as a result of water shortages experienced during the recent drought, the need for water surety and expressed concern regarding the information available for each bore(s).

This report covers both Stage 1 and Stage 2 as requested by OWUA to present an in-depth assessment and risk rating for each bore. Access EP performed an assessment of the bore performance based on current information gathered from the councils, creating a risk assessment and ranking system to inform decision making on potential repairs and new infrastructure required.

Field visits were performed by Access EP staff in 2020 to gather further information regarding the accessibility of the site, condition of the bore and other issues. These observations further informed the risk ranking system of the bores. In addition to the field investigation, AHIMS and BioNet searches have been completed, giving an overview of the potential threatened species and the occurrence of Aboriginal heritage. Drawing attention to the potential impact work on these sites may have.

This risk ranking system has been based on: the date of construction, diameter of the bore, cementing method, geological strata, pump diameter and yield, water quality, bore casing and pump condition, drawdown data and long-term performance of the bore, monitoring regime for each bore and aquifer characteristics.

Stage 1 of this project included a review of current records obtained from council and the Office of Water to create an initial risk assessment based on this preliminary data. Stage 2 involved gathering more information from outside sources and undertaking site visits to generate a more thorough understanding of the condition of the bore and its order of priority for maintenance, repairs or replacement. This has added additional information to the initial risk assessment of each bore. Stage 3, in-depth field investigations, has not been addressed as the risk assessment and rating in this report will be used to inform what field measurements are required.

This report has been generated to give a thorough understanding of the current condition of water bores used by LGAs under OWUA. It also recommends maintenance and monitoring programs and advises on the urgency of repairs or replacement. It provides an understanding of correct and current maintenance programs that will ensure the longevity of the bore and surety of water supply.



Executive Summary

The proposal

Orana Water Utilities Alliance (OWUA) has commissioned Access Environmental Planning (Access EP) to undertake a bore condition assessment across four Local Government Areas (LGAs), including 15 towns with 31 individual bore sites.

This report provides results for Stage 1 and 2 of the project which includes a desktop study of all available records from the NSW Government and Councils on each bore, to provide an initial risk assessment of the bore. A field visit to each bore site was then undertaken and discussions with Council staff on any other bore information or performance records available followed by review and risk assessment.

The ultimate outcome is a series of recommendations on which bores are high risk and require further investigations including camera or downhole geophysical investigation of casing condition, chemical treatment for iron hydroxide and whether pump testing of bores performance is required.

Table 1: Bores selected by Councils for assessment.

Council/LGA	Bore Location	Number of bores to be assessed
Central Darling	Wilcannia	3
	Ivanhoe	2
Walgett	Walgett	2
	Lightning Ridge	2
	Burren Junction	1
	Rowena	1
	Carinda	1
Warren	Warren	6
	Nevertire	2
Warrumbungle	Coonabarabran	5
	Coolah	4
	Dunedoo	1
	Baradine	2
	Bugaldie	1
	Kenebri	1
		Total: 34

Generic Guide for Maintenance of all Bores

When exploring the options for maintenance and repairs of bores it has been taken into account the fact that many LGA's have not had the capacity, means or need to undertake these measures unless urgently required. Remote councils often experience staff shortages and high rates of staff turnover which causes minor maintenance work, like regular monitoring of a well functioning bore, to be overlooked until water shortages such as those experienced in the last four years, occur.

With the limiting factors taken into consideration, suggested maintenance regimes should streamline processes, ensure reliable records are kept and ensure water security. Many of bores the have been



recommended to have camera inspections performed. While this process has many positive attributes and can be informative about the condition of the well, it must be taken into consideration against the cost of new infrastructure. This will be a particular issue with older bores as they will often have undetected faults and the cost of a camera inspection will be comparable to constructing a new bore.

Priority should be given to transition all bore pumps within the OWUA, or at least within each LGA, to one reputable pump manufacturer as this will standardise and streamline the process when pump maintenance is required. A limiting factor faced within this project was the inability to access information about these bores. It would be in the interest of each council to develop a centralised cooperative for data collection regarding licensing and maintenance that is managed by one central entity and will ensure information is organised and accessible for future use.

For town water supplies a preventative maintenance monitoring schedule is recommended. The frequency of monitoring will depend on the specific council's ability to access alternative water supplies should the bore fail and whether the bore is pumping near the capacity of the aquifer. There is a generic guide on the monitoring process including the suggested frequency of monitoring for a town water bore. The actual frequency needs to be tailored to meet the needs of each individual bore.

Discussion

This report will give those responsible for the operation of bores an understanding of the importance of correct monitoring and regular assessment of pumps and column condition. These practices will maximise efficiency and longevity of bores.

In addition to the field investigation, AHIMS and BioNet searches have been completed, giving an overview of the potential threatened species and the occurrence of Aboriginal heritage. Drawing attention to the potential impact work on these sites may have. It has been found that no Aboriginal Heritage or potential threatened species will be impacted through any work.

Depending on bore design flow rate, drawdown and water quality should be monitored at regular intervals. Ideally these protocols should occur quarterly or at least annually. The monitoring can identify potential problems in bore performance and can help determine why the bore performance has deteriorated. It will also assist in the management and collection of more accurate records.

Glossary of Terms and Abbreviations

Term	Meaning
AHIMS	Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System
AHIP	Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit
BC	Act Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016
CEMP	Construction Environmental Management Plan
CLM	Act Crown Land Management Act 2016
CMP	Conservation Management Plan
DAWE	Department Agriculture, Water and the Environment
DPIE	Department of Planning, Industry and Environment
EEC	Endangered Ecological Community
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement



EMP Environmental Management Plan

EP&A Act Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

EP&A Reg Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000

EPA Environment Protection Authority

EPBC Act Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

EPI Environmental Planning Instrument
EPL Environment Protection Licence
FM Act Fisheries Management Act 1994

GAB Great Artesian Basin

ISEPP State Environmental Planning Policy Infrastructure 2007

KTP Key Threatening Processes
LEP Local Environmental Plan
LGA Local Government Area
MG/L Milligram per Litre

NES National Environmental Significance

NP&W Reg National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009

NP&W Act National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974
NRAR Natural Resources Access Regulator
NT Act Commonwealth Native Title Act 1993

POEO Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997

REF Review of Environmental Factors
REP Regional Environmental Plan
RF Act Rural Fires Act 1997

RO Reverse Osmosis

SCA State Conservation Area

SEPP State Environmental Planning Policy

SS Stainless Steel
SWL Standing Water Line
TfNSW Transport for NSW

TSR Travelling Stock Route (or Reserve)

WARR Act Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Act 2001

WHS Work Health and Safety Act 2011

WHS MaPS Act Work Health and Safety (Mines & Petroleum Sites) Act 2013 Note: DPIE Superseded Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH), July 2019

TfNSW Superseded Roads and Maritime Services (RMS), December 2019

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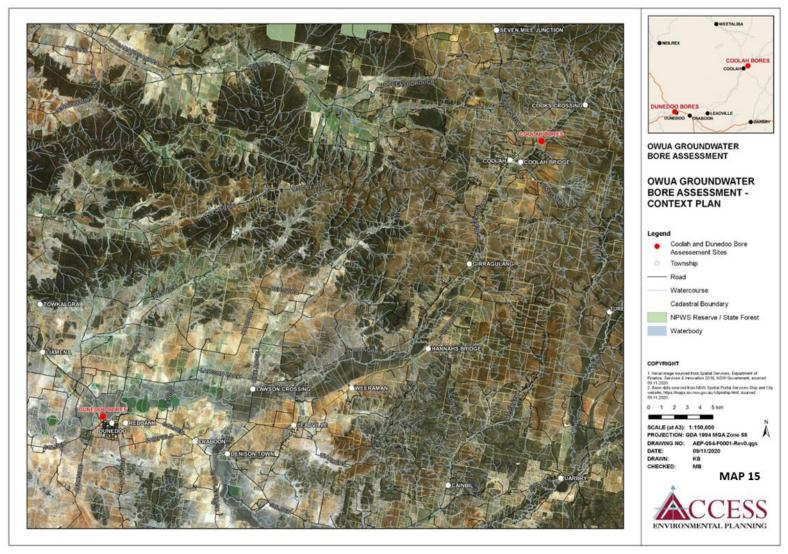


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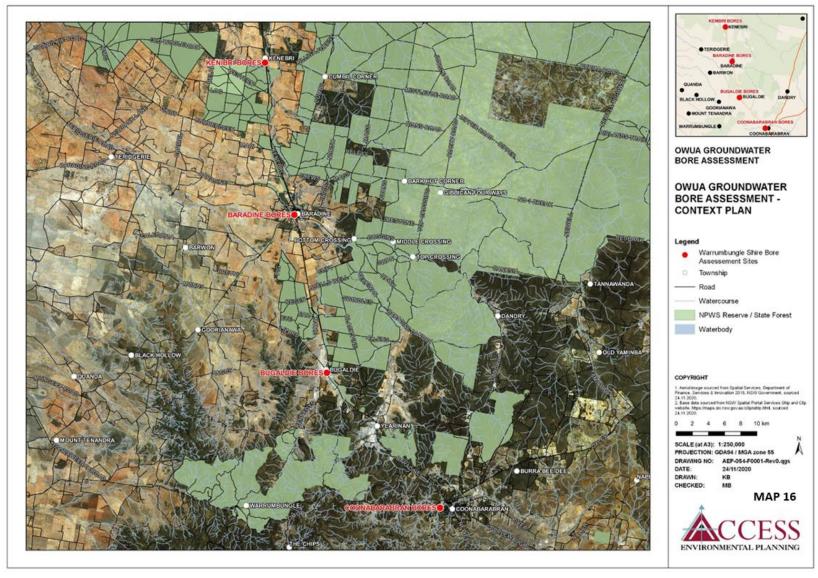
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Map 15: Warrumbungle Bore Sites

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Map 2: Coonabarabran, Kenebri and Bugaldie and Baradine

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Bore	Bore Number	Recommendation	Comments	Conclusion (risk rating)
Coonabarabran Bore 1 – Robertson Street		Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.		
Coonabarabran Bore 2 – Namoi Street South	GW00613	Camera inspection and pump test to monitor bore performance	Insufficient records, the bore is accessing sandstone	Moderate/high risk
Coonabarabran Bore 3 – Namoi Street North		Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.		
Coonabarabran Bore 4 – Namoi Street North		Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.		
Coonabarabran Bore 6, Water Plant		Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.		
Coolah Old bore	GW027577 80CA716940			
Coolah Town Wells	GW80090	Camera inspection recommended and consider a stage pump test to record bore performance.	Not enough information to make a full risk assessment. It is cased in sedimentary rock.	Low/moderate risk
Coolah back-up Well	GW026813 80CA716940			
Coolah Extra Well	GW059176			
Dunedoo Town Well	GW059164 80CA71638	A camera inspection on this bore and possibly a stage pump test and keep annual records of bore to monitor bore performance	There is a presence of a white material on the pump column (possibly calcium). The age of the bore may affect the performance of the bore.	Moderate risk
Baradine Bore Main Supply	GW273121	Recommend a camera inspection to ensure iron and manganese fouling is not occurring in the bore.	Bore is only 11 years old, good design, low risk.	Low risk
Baradine Back-up Bore	GW025187	Recommend Camera inspection and start performance records of bore.	Bore design is high risk but in sub artesian areas, reducing the risk rating.	Moderate risk
Bugaldie Bore				



Kenebri Bore	GW007716	Recommend camera inspection and start	This bore has had some sand problems in	High risk
	90CA833298	recording bore performance drawdown and yield	the past but has performed well	
			considering its age.	

The Coolah Town Well and the Baradine Main Supply Bore are considered low to low/moderate risk. This is due to the type of rock the bore has been drilled into and the young age of the bore. A camera inspection and pump test have been recommended to assess the condition of the bore and to ensure manganese and iron fouling is not occurring.

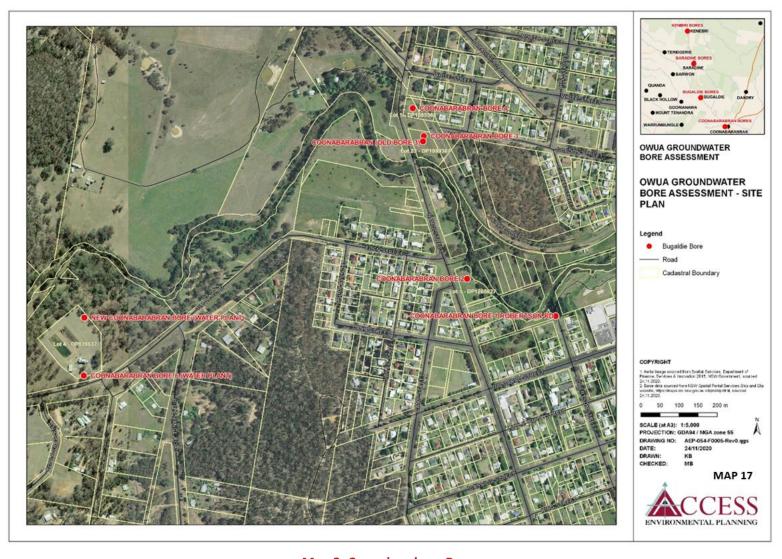
The Dunedoo Town Well and the Baradine Back-up Bore are moderate risk, due to the age of the bores and the possible presence of calcium. Camera inspections and regular monitoring programs are recommended for these bores.

Coonabarabran Bore 2 and the Kenebri Bore are considered moderate/high to high risk. This is due to the old age of the bores, the material the bores are constructed with and the construction methods. Camera inspection is recommended for these bores but, given their age, Council should weigh the costs of this against full replacement.

Access EP is unable to provide a risk rating for the remaining bores due to the lack of available information. Councils should refer to Appendix A and B when performing their own risk assessment for management of these bores.



Coonabarabran



Map 3: Coonabarabran Bores

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As information is available for only one bore in Coonabarabran, this is the only one that was risk assessed by Access EP. Appendix 4B shows information available from the Water NSW website for the Coonabarabran bore. Bore locations are shown in Map 17.A camera investigation is recommended to confirm the accuracy of information supplied by Water NSW.

Bore 1 - Robertson Street

This bore is located at the end of Robertson St, Coonabarabran. There is limited information available about this bore. The column was replaced 3 years ago and has not had issues since.

Recommendation

Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.27307800
	Longitude: 149.27447100
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	NA
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	NA
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	NA
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	NA
Type of pump column and diameter	Poly pipe
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	NA
Additional comments	Column is 3 years old













Figure 1 - Coonabarabran Robertson Street Bore



Bore 2 - Namoi St South

Bore Number: GW003613

This bore is located on the Castlereagh River, to the south of the Camp Street and Namoi Street intersection. It is 36.6 m deep and has been tested to yield 2-3 L/s. It is located on public land but is locked in a cage.

Recommendations

Bore is high risk due to age and the mild steel casing. Recommend a Camera inspection and pump test to monitor bore performance.

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.27224100
	Longitude: 149.27201000
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	2-3 L/s
Water Quality Data	Checked annually
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	Replaced pump 2 years ago
,	No problems since replacement
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	Checked periodically
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	20-30 m
Type of pump column and diameter	Poly pipe
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	NA
Additional comments	



Risk Assessment

Condition of casing	Good condition
well cap and slab	
Well age	82 years old, high risk
Well type	Low to moderate risk
Screen material	Assume slotted, high risk
Bore material	Moderate/high risk
Pump depth setting	20-30 meters
Bore cementing	No record
Water quality	No record
Iron level	No record
Salinity Level	No record
Relationship of pump	Moderately high risk, pump is in
depth setting and	slotted casing area
screen level to Iron	
Hydroxide potential	
Comments	Not enough records, the bore us
	accessing sandstone
Conclusion	Moderate/high risk
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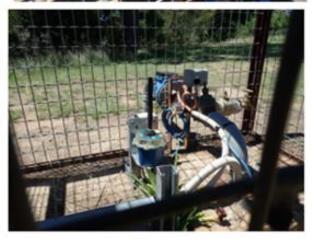


Figure 2 - Coonabarabran Namoi Street South Bore



bores.

Bore 3 – Namoi St North This bore is located on the northern side of the Castlereagh River, to the east of Namoi Street adjacent to the old bore. There is limited information about these

Recommendation

Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.

Field Inspection Data

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.26889100
	Longitude: 149.27073800
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	Checked annually
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	NA
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	PVC Casing
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	NA
Pump depth setting	NA
Type of pump column and diameter	NA
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	NA
Additional comments	









Figure 3: Coonabarabran Namoi St North Bore 3



Bore 4 - Namoi St North This bore is located further north on Namoi Street on Lot 1, DP 1085566 Coonabarabran. This bore does not yield much water and pumps a small amount of sand. Due to this it is used as a backup water supply.

Recommendation

Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.26823700
	Longitude: 149.27041700
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	Checked annually
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	Never had a problem – doesn't provide much water
	Water level about 6 meters above the pump
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	A little sand
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	NA
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible pump
Pump depth setting	
Type of pump column and diameter	Poly pipe
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	Low iron
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	Power is underground
Additional comments	











Figure 4 - Coonabarabran Namio St North Bore 4



Number 6, Water Plant The water plant is located on Timor Rd, 1.4 km west of the Coonabarabran town centre. It is the major water supply for Coonabarabran. This bore has had minimal issues after the pump replacement in 2015. There is limited information available on this bore.

Recommendation

Camera inspection to identify details about the bore.

Field Inspection Data

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.27471500
	Longitude: 149.26150700
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	Checked annually
Camera or previous geophysical	NA
investigations	
Any maintenance issues in the past	Pump replaced in 2015
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	Clean
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	Monitored as needed
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible pump
Pump depth setting	20 m
Type of pump column and diameter	Poly pipe
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	clean
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near	NA
the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	No overhead powerlines
Additional comments	Bore not in shed











Figure 5 - Coonabarabran Water Plant Bore



Coolah



Map 4: Coolah Bores

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The Coolah Bores are located on Town Wells Rd, off Coolah Creek Rd, 3.2km north-east of Coolah. They are located within a locked compound and are used for the town water supply. Due to there being four bores available to the council the risk of a water shortage due to a bore failure is minimal. The bores in use are in good, working order.

Coolah – Old Bore

Bore Number: GW027577 Licence Number: 80CA716940

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.81175000
	Longitude: 149.74324000
Date of Inspection	07/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	Capped / decommissioned
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	NA
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	NA
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	NA
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	NA
Pump depth setting	NA
Type of pump column and diameter	300mm (12")
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	Good accessibility to site. No overhead
	powerlines
Additional comments	







Figure 6 - Coolah Old Bore



Coolah Town Wells

Bore Number: GW800090

This bore was drilled in 1996 to a depth of 70.1 m. It is the major water supply for Coolah.

Recommendation

The bore is a low to moderate risk as it is cased in sedimentary rock. Unclear what is in the annulus if any material. A camera inspection is recommended and a stage test to record bore performance should be considered.

Field Inspection Details	
GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.81169900
	Longitude: 149.74299000
Date of Inspection	07/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	Appendix 4B
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	Flow is recorded
Water Quality Data	6 monthly quality test
	Sampling of raw water for turbidity
	Hard water
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	NA
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	NA
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	70 m
Type of pump column and diameter	Steel pipe
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	Screens located at 16-54 m
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow	Water table at 6 m
rate vs drawdown	Water level: off 13m
	on 4m
Site details including accessibility	Powerlines are an adequate distance away from bore
Additional comments	Commissioned November 1996



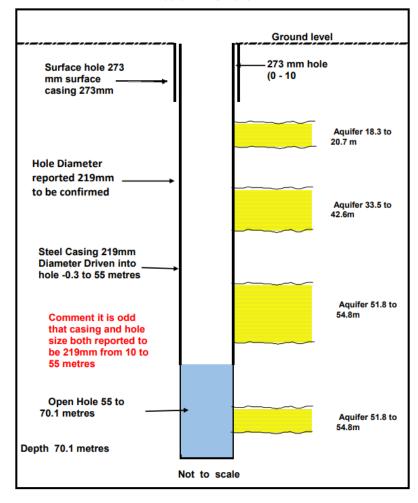
Risk Assessment

Condition of casing, well cap and slab	Unknown
Well age	24 years, low/moderate risk
Well type	Low risk
Screen type	Slotted casing, low/moderate risk
Bore material	Mild steel, moderate/high risk
Pump depth setting	NA
Bore cementing	No
Gravel pack or natural pack	Gravel pack, sedimentary rock
Water quality	No record
Iron level	No record
Salinity level	No record
Relationship between pump depth setting and screen lovel on Iron Hydroxide potential	No record
Comments	Not enough information to make a full risk assessment. A camera inspection is suggested
Conclusion	Low/moderate risk



BORE CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

GW800090 Coolah TWS Bore 2









Coolah Back-up Well

Bore Number: GW026813 Licence Number: 80CA716940

This bore was drilled in 1965 10 10.1 m and yields 12.63 L/s.

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.81165500
	Longitude: 149.74277800
Date of Inspection	07/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	Appendix 4B
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	NA
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	NA
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	NA
Any records of pumping problems	The gantry has been identified as needing to be replaced.
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	NA
Type of pump column and diameter	Steel pipe – 1800 mm
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	5 m water table
Additional comments	9 m to sandstone





Figure 7 - Coolah Back -up Well



Coolah – Extra Well

Bore Number: GW059176

This bore was drilled in 1963 to 11.5 m, with a standing water level at 4.5 metres.

GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.81157500
	Longitude: 149.74199800
Date of Inspection	07/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	NA
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	NA
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	NA
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	NA
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	NA
Pump depth setting	NA
Type of pump column and diameter	NA
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	NA
Additional comments	6 ft hole/well





Figure 8 - Coolah Extra Well



Dunedoo



Map 5: Dunedoo Bores

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Dunedoo Town Well Bore The Dunedoo Town Well Bore is located 600 m north of Balaro

Street in Dunedoo. The Old and New Bores are both utilised. It is monitored regularly resulting in few products. The New Bore was drilled in 1963 and yields 29.18 L/s. It was drilled to 50 m with the final depth of the bore being 38 m.

Bore Number: GW059164
Licence Number: 80CA716938
Recommendation

The bore is at moderate risk and due to its old age and a camera inspection is recommended, possibly in conjunction with a stage pump test, with retention of annual records to monitor bore performance over the long term.

one e l' i	L 17 L 22 04476500
GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -32.01176500
	Longitude: 149.38823600
Date of Inspection	07/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	Appendix 4B
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant	Draws down, flow
test	
Water Quality Data	Chlorine, pH & turbidity checked daily
	Liquid chlorine dosing changing to gas
Camera or previous geophysical	NA
investigations	
Any maintenance issues in the past	Had pump replaced in the past
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	No
Any monitoring program, maintenance	Flow, depth & water length checked daily
checks, frequency	
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	
Type of pump column and diameter	Steel pipe column
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled.	White film on new pump
Any red or brown ochre colour?	·
Details of pump and pump column diameter	Casing 342 mm
fittings	-
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near	NA
the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion	
issues with pump column	
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow	NA
rate vs drawdown	IVO
Site details including accessibility	Good clearance from powerlines
Site details including accessibility	Good clearance from powerimes
Additional comments	Switch between new and old bore monthly
	,



Risk Assessment and Bore Sketch

Condition of casing,	Bore is in a pit, corrosion of surface
well cap and slab	casing could be an issue
Well age	37 years, moderate risk
Well type	Low risk
Screen type	Telescopic screen, low/moderate
Bore material	Mild steel, moderate/high risk
Pump depth setting	No record
Bore cementing	No
Gravel pack or natural pack	Natural pack, moderate/high risk
Water quality	No record
Iron level	No record
Salinity level	No record
Relationship of pump depth setting and screen level to iron hydroxide potential	No record
Comments	There is a presence of a white material on the pump column (possibly calcium)
Conclusion	Moderate risk



BORE CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

GW059164 80CA716938 Dunedoo TWS Bore 1

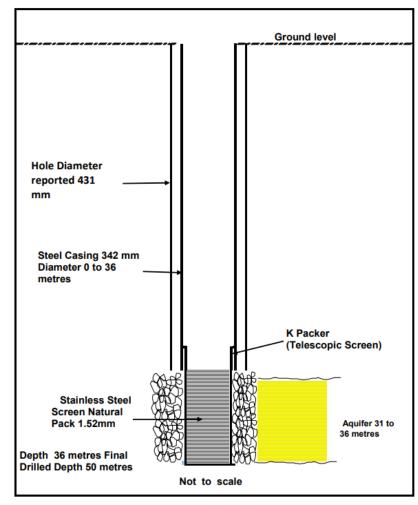












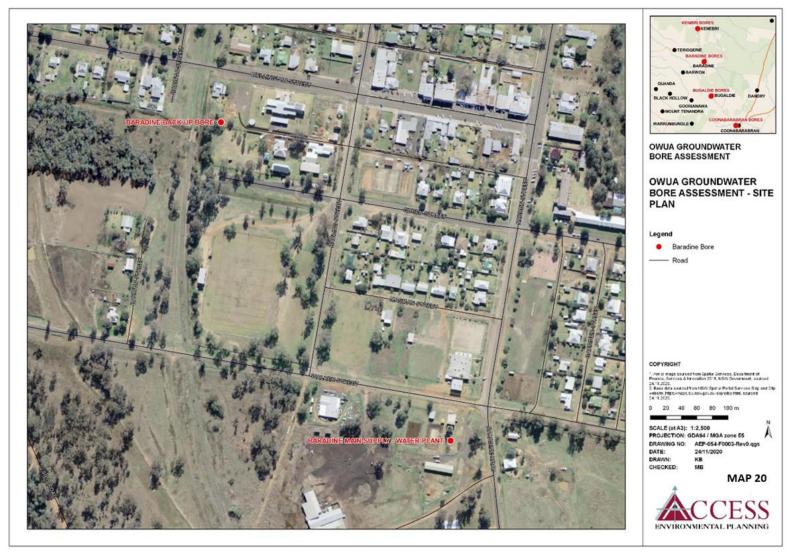




Figure 9 - Dunedoo Town Water Bore



Baradine



Map 6: Baradine Bores

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Baradine Main Supply

This bore is located on the corner of Walker St and Narren St. On the southern outskirts of Baradine. This is the major supply for Baradine. It was constructed in 2009 to a depth of 216 m.

Bore number: GW273121

Recommendation

Camera inspection recommended to ensure iron and manganese fouling is not occurring in the bore.

Field Inspection Details

Tield inspection Details	
GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -30.95349300
	Longitude: 149.06805200
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	Appendix 4B
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	Iron and manganese tested daily
	Turbidity tested annually
	High iron and manganese
Camera or previous geophysical	NA
investigations	
Any maintenance issues in the past	No issues in 12 years
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	- Old bore collapsed
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	
Any monitoring program, maintenance	Running full-time - 10-12 hours/ day in summer
checks, frequency	- 4-5 hours/ day in winter
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	200 m
Type of pump column and diameter	Stainless steel welded
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	Has not been removed in 12 years
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	No sand
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion	NA
issues with pump column	
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	NA
Additional comments	



Risk Assessment and Bore Sketch

Condition of casing, well cap and slab	Low risk
Well age	11 years
Bore	No
Reconditioned	
Well Design	Low risk, cemented to 180 m and
	sub artesian
Screen material	Slotted casing, low risk
Bore material	Mild steel, low risk, cemented
Dissimilar metals	No
Bore cementing	Cemented to 180 m, surface casing,
	low risk
Water quality	No record
Iron level	No record, high in iron and
	manganese
Salinity level	No record
Relationship of pump depth setting and screen level to iron hydroxide potential	No record
Comments	Bore is only 11 years old, good
	design, low risk
Conclusion	Low risk

BORE CONSTRUCTION BORE # 273121

Burren Junction New Bore Water Treatment Plant

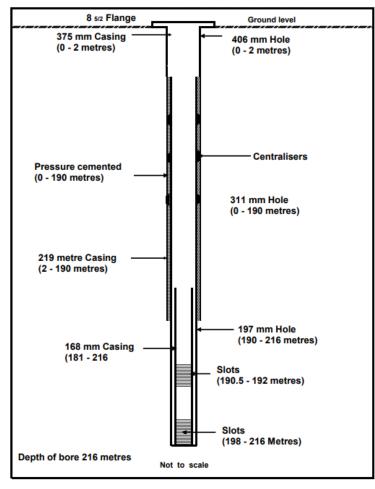






Figure 10 - Baradine Main Supply Bore



Baradine Back up Bore

This bore is located on lot 1 DP 177865 off Wellington Street. This is the back-up supply for the town and is not used often. It was drilled in 1968 to 220.9 m and yields 20.18 L/s.

Bore Number: GW025187

Recommendation

Recommend Camera inspection and start performance records of bore.

Condition of casing,	Bore in brick building and concrete
well cap and slab	slab
Well age	52 years
Bore	No
Reconditioned	
Well Design	High risk, cemented to 93 m only
	with a liner to 220 m
Screen material	Slotted casing, low risk
Bore material	Mild steel, moderate risk
5	
Dissimilar metals	No
Bore cementing	Only cemented surface casing to 93
	m
Water quality	No record
Iron level	No record
Salinity level	No record
Relationship of pump	No record
depth setting and	
screen level to iron	
hydroxide potential	
Comments	Bore design is high risk but in sub
	artesian areas, less risk
Conclusion	Moderate risk





Figure 11 - Baradine Back-up Bore



Bugaldie



Map 7: Bugaldie Bore

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Bugaldie Bore

This bore is the only water supply for Bugaldie. It is located on Lot 1 DP 417380, along Baradine Road. There have been no issues since the pump replacement 12 months ago.

Field Inspection Details

Tield hispection betails	
GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -31.12535400
	Longitude: 149.11087200
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	NA
	IVA
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant	NA
test	
Water Quality Data	Electrical conductivity, iron content and manganese
	tested annually
Camera or previous geophysical	NA
investigations	
Any maintenance issues in the past	Pump replaced twice in the last 12 years – worn out
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	No sand
Any monitoring program, maintenance	NA
checks, frequency	
Any records of pumping problems	NA
Type of pump	Submersible
Pump depth setting	1.5 HP
	7m approximately
Type of pump column and diameter	Poly pipe
Cleanliness of pump column when pulled.	Some iron, not a major issue
Any red or brown ochre colour?	Some iron, not a major issue
	NA
Details of pump and pump column diameter	NA
fittings	A14
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near	NA
the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion	
issues with pump column	
	N/A
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow	NA
rate vs drawdown	
Site details including accessibility	NA
Additional comments	

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Figure 12 - Bugaldie Bore



Kenebri Bore Kenebri



Map 8: Kenebri Bore

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This bore is located along Kenebri Road 800 m south of Wangmans Road. It is the only water source for this community but it only services a small number of homes. It was constructed in 1949 to a depth of 47.2 m and yields 1.23 L/s.

Bore number: GW007716 Licence Number: 90CA833298 Recommendation

This bore is high risk due to old age and old bore design. Recommend camera inspection and start recording bore performance drawdown and yield.

Field Inspection Data

Field Inspection Data	
GPS Coordinates	Latitude: -30.78077300
	Longitude: 149.02330400
Date of Inspection	14/10/2020
Original Form A or Drill log or Bore Sketch	Appendix 4b
Pump-test data available. Stage and constant test	NA
Water Quality Data	Iron, sand & algae
Camera or previous geophysical investigations	NA
Any maintenance issues in the past	New pump 4 years ago
Any records of pumping sand or turbid water	Some sand
Any monitoring program, maintenance checks, frequency	Annually for chemical & microbiology testing
Any records of pumping problems	Two pumps have been replaced due to contamination and sand No issues since
Type of pump	Submersible pump
Pump depth setting	40-50 m
Type of pump column and diameter	Poly pipe
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Cleanliness of pump column when pulled. Any red or brown ochre colour?	Iron & algae – manganese
Details of pump and pump column diameter fittings	NA
Any signs of pumping sand from bore	NA
Any examples of old pump column left near the bore indicating possible iron or corrosion issues with pump column	NA
Estimate of specific capacity of the well. Flow rate vs drawdown	NA
Site details including accessibility	Bore is in a shed
Additional comments	



Risk Assessment

Condition of casing,	Low risk, no obvious surface
well cap and slab	problems
Well age	71 years, high risk
Well type	Low/moderate risk
Screen type	Assume slotted casing and open
	hole bottom, 4 m
Bore material	Mild steel, moderate/high risk
Pump depth setting	No record
Bore cementing	No
Gravel pack or natural pack	Sedimentary rock
Water quality	Some comments on iron and sand,
	no data recorded
Iron level	No record
Salinity level	No record
Relationship of pump depth setting and screen level to iron hydroxide potential	No record
Comments	This bore has had some sand problems in the past
Conclusion	High risk





Figure 13 - Kenebri Bore



Conclusion

This project was undertaken by Access Environmental Planning on behalf the Orana Water Utility Alliance. A report covering Stage 1 and 2, of this project, has been presented with a full assessment of existing data and site information for each bore. Stage 1 incorporated a detailed review of available records for each bore, to understand their condition and analyse risk factors. Stage 2 involved site visits to each bore to gather more information and consolidate the risk estimation. Aggregation of all data resulted in a determination of risk rating and reflection on potential threat to water surety.

The site inspections were undertaken from October to December 2020. The LGA's visited include Central Darling, Walgett, Warren and the Warrumbungle. The field inspection allowed Access EP to gather information from Council staff that adds accuracy to the report.

The risk ranking given to each bore was determined by assessing the date of construction, diameter of the bore, cementing method, geological strata, pump diameter and yield, water quality, bore casing and pump condition, drawdown data, long-term performance and current monitoring regime. This system gave a ranking from low risk to high risk. Bores considered to be low risk are in good working order while those considered to be high risk require a large amount of maintenance or possibly replacement.

This report has been generated to give a thorough understanding of the current condition of water bores used by regional Councils. It also recommends maintenance and monitoring programs and advises on the urgency of repairs or replacement. It provides an understanding of correct and current maintenance programs that will ensure the longevity of the bore and surety of a water supply.

Thank you

The team at Access Environmental Planning would like to thank all Council staff for their cooperation during this process. The entire procedure was well received. We are appreciative of the help and support provided to us when collecting data and during on-site visits as this demonstrated a genuine commitment to this project and ensuring the presentation of a high-quality product. Without this ongoing support this project would not have been possible. It was a pleasure to work closely with Council staff and the level of professionalism demonstrates the commitment the LGA body has to their community.



Appendix 4a: Additional Information for Bores

Bore Number	Licence Number	Date of Drilling	Drilling Method	Depth of Bore	Casing depth and material	Screen Depth and Type	Annular Material	Original SWL	Reported Yield
Coolah Town	Wells								
GW800090		14/01/1996	Rotary	70.1 m	0 – 55.5m Welded Steel	15.2 – 54.8 m	Gravel		
Coolah Old B	ore								
GW027577	80CA716940	01/02/1967		9.3 m	0 – 9.3 m Concrete cylinder		Cemented	5.2 m	18.95 L/s
Coolah Back-	up Well								
GW026813	80CA716940	01/04/1965	Hand Dug	10.1 m	0-10.1 m Concrete cylinder		Cemented	5.2 m	12.63 L/s
Coolah Extra	Well								
GW059176		01/12/1983	Rotary	11.5 m	0 – 9.5 m Welded steel	9.5–11.5 m Stainless steel	Gravel	4.5 m	
Dunedoo To	wn Water Bore (C	old)							
GW059164	80CA716938	01/12/1983	Rotary Mud	38 m	0 – 31 m Welded Steel	31 – 36 m Stainless steel	Gravel	8.6 m	29.18 L/s
Coonabarabi	ran – Namoi St So	uth							
GW003613		01/10/1938	Cable Tool	36.6 m	0 – 12.9 m -0.2 -12.9 m Threated steel			5.9 m	5.05 L/s
Baradine Ma	in Supply								
GW273121		19/09/2009	Rotary Mud	216 m	0-216 m Steel	190.5-192 m 198-216 m Gauze/mesh	Cemented		
Baradine Bad	kup bore		·				<u> </u>		
GW025187		01/07/1968	Rotary Mud	221 m	0-220.8 m Welded Steel	97.5-220.9 m	Cemented	28.8 m	20.18 L/s
Kenebri Bore	90CA833298	01/03/1949	Cable Tool	47.2 m	-0.5-43.4 m			21.3m	1.23 L/s
GM00//10	JULAOSSZIJO	01/05/1949	Capie 1001	47.2 111	Threaded steel			25.9 m	1.23 L/S



Appendix 4b: Work Summary Reports

WaterNSW Work Summary

GW003613

Authorised Purpose(s): Intended Purpose(s): PUBLIC/MUNICIPL

Work Type: Bore - GAB Work Status: Supply Obtained Construct.Method: Cable Tool Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Completion Date: 01/10/1938

Contractor Name: (None) Driller: Assistant Driller:

Property:

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

County Form A: GOWEN Parish Cadastre COONABARRABRAN 7030//1002143

CMA Map: 8735-S Region: 80 - Macquarie-Western River Basin: 420 - CASTLEREAGH RIVER Grid Zone:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) Elevation Source: Unknown

GS Map: -Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC.MAP

Construction

ive depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack;

	PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers									
Hole Pipe Component Type From To Outside Inside Interval Details							Details			
		'			(m)	(m)	Diameter	Diameter		
							(mm)	(mm)		
	1	1	Casing	Threaded Steel	-0.20	12.90	203			Suspended in Clamps

Water Bearing Zones

		To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type		Yield (L/s)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
-	15.80	23.40	7.60	(Unknown)	5.90	5.05		

Drillers Log

From (m)		Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	0.91	0.91	Soil	Soil	
0.91	7.92	7.01	Sand Silt	Sand	

7.92	21.95	14.03	Sandstone Water Supply	Sandstone	
	23.16	1.21	Gravel Water Supply	Gravel	
23.16	23.47	0.31	Hard Water Supply	Unknown	
23.47	26.21	2.74	Shale	Shale	
26.21	35.05	8.84	Shale Sticky	Shale	
35.05	36.58	1.53	Driller	Unknown	

01/11/1983: COONABARABRAN TWS

*** End of GW003613 ***



GW027577

Licence: 80CA716940 Licence Status: EXPIRED

Authorised Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPLY Intended Purpose(s): PUBLIC/MUNICIPL

Work Type: Well Work Status: Construct.Method:

Owner Type: Local Govt

Final Depth: 9.30 m Drilled Depth: 9.30 m Commenced Date: Completion Date: 01/02/1967

Contractor Name: (None) Driller: Assistant Driller:

> Property: COOLAH T W S NSW Standing Water Level (m): Salinity Description: GWMA: 019 - COOLABURRAGUNDY -TALBRAGER VALLEY GW Zone: -Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

County Parish Cadastre BOOYAMURNA BOOYAMURNA

125 Whole Lot 1//653078

Region: 80 - Macquarie-Western CMA Map: 8834-3N

River Basin: 421 - MACQUARIE RIVER Area/District: Grid Zone: Scale:

Northing: 6477184.000 Easting: 759568.000 Latitude: 31°48'41.4"S Longitude: 149°44'31.2"E Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) Elevation Source: (Unknown)

GS Map: -Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC.MAP MGA Zone: 55

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

He	ole	Pipe	Component	Туре		To (m)		Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
Г	1	1	Casing	Concrete Cylnder	-1.50	9.30	1829			Seated on Bottom

Water Bearing Zones

	To (m)	Thickness (m)			D.D.L. (m)	(L/s)	Hole Depth (m)	Salinity (mg/L)
5.20	9.30	4.10	Unconsolidated	5.20		18.95		

Drillers Log

From			Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
(m)	(m)	(m)			
0.00	3.66	3.66	Loam Basaltic	Loam	
3.66	9.30	5.64	Gravel Basaltic River Water Supply	Gravel	

01/11/1983: PUBLIC ROADS BETWEEN PORTION 125 & 126 20/07/1984: COOLAH TWS

*** End of GW027577 ***



GW800090

Licence Status: Licence:

Authorised Purpose(s): Intended Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPLY

Work Type: Bore Work Status: Construct.Method: Rotary Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Completion Date: 14/01/1996 Final Depth: 70.10 m Drilled Depth: 70.10 m

Contractor Name: Watermin Drillers Pty Ltd Driller: Ernest Maxwell Jones

Assistant Driller:

Property: (m): GWMA: Salinity Description: Good GW Zone:

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

Cadastre CLOSED ROAD BORDE County Form A: BLIGH Parish BOOYAMURNA

Licensed:

CMA Map: 8834-3N

River Basin: - Unknown Area/District: Grid Zone: Scale:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) Elevation Source: Unknown Northing: 6477152.000 Easting: 759594.000 Latitude: 31°48'42.4"S Longitude: 149°44'32.2"E

GS Map: -MGA Zone: 55 Coordinate Source: Map Interpre

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented: S-Sumo: CE-Centralisers

Region: 80 - Macquarie-Western

Hole	Pipe	Component	Туре	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1		Hole	Hole	0.00	10.00	273			Rotary Air
1		Hole	Hole	10.00	70.10	219			Rotary Air
1		Annulus	Waterworn/Rounded	0.00	55.00				
1	1	Casing	Steel	-0.30	55.50	219			Driven into Hole, Welded
1	1	Casing	Steel	0.00	10.30	273			Driven into Hole, Welded
1	1	Opening	Slots	15.20	54.80	219		1	Steel, SL: 457.0mm, A: 2.00mm

Water Bearing Zones

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	Hole Depth (m)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
18.30	27.40	9.10	Unknown			27.40		
33.50	42.60	9.10	Unknown			42.60		
51.80	54.80	3.00	Unknown			54.80		
62.50	65.50	3.00	Unknown			65.50		

Drillers Log

	From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
ı	0.00	1.50	1.50	Black soil	Unknown	
ı	1.50	6.10	4.60	Red clays	Unknown	
1	6.10	8.50	2.40	Sand & gravel	Unknown	
ı	8.50	10.00	1.50	Yellow clays & boulders	Unknown	
1	10.00	70.10	60.10	Sandstone	Unknown	

^{***} End of GW800090 ***

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GW026813

Licence: 80CA716940 Licence Status: EXPIRED

Authorised Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPLY Intended Purpose(s): PUBLIC/MUNICIPL

Work Type: Well
Work Status:
Construct.Method: Hand Dug
Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Final Depth: 10.10 m
Completion Date: 01/04/1965 Prilled Depth: 10.10 m

Contractor Name: (None)
Driller:
Assistant Driller:

Property: COOLAH T W S NSW

GWMA: 019 - COOLABURRAGUNDY - TALBRAGER VALLEY

GW Zone: - Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

 County
 Parish
 Cadastre

 Form A: BLIGH
 BOOYAMURNA
 99999

 Licensed: BLIGH
 BOOYAMURNA
 Whole Lot 1//653078

Region: 80 - Macquarie-Western CMA Map: 8834-3N

River Basin: 421 - MACQUARIE RIVER Grid Zone: Scale Area/District:

 Elevation:
 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
 Northing:
 6477152.000
 Latitude:
 31°48'42.4°S

 Elevation Source:
 (Unknown)
 Easting:
 759620.000
 Longitude:
 149°44'33.2°E

GS Map: - MGA Zone: 55 Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC.MAP

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

| Hole | Pipe | Component | Type | From (m) | To (m) | Outside Diameter (mm) | Diameter (mm) | Diameter (mm) | Seated on Bottom

Water Bearing Zones

		9							
From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)		S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	()	Hole Depth (m)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
5.20	9.80	4.60	Unconsolidated	5.20		12.63			

Drillers Log

		-9			
From	То	Thickness	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
(m)	(m)	(m)			
0.00	2.44	2.44	Soil Black	Soil	
2.44	9.75	7.31	Gravel Basaltic River Water Supply	Gravel	
9.75	10.06	0.31	Sandstone	Sandstone	

Remarks

12/10/1987: ROADSIDE ADJ TO PORTION 125 12/10/1987: COOLAH TWS

*** End of GW026813 ***

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GW059176

Licence: Licence Status:

Authorised Purpose(s): Intended Purpose(s): PUBLIC/MUNICIPL

Work Type: Bore Work Status: Construct.Method: Rotary Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Completion Date: 01/12/1983 Final Depth: 11.50 m Drilled Depth: 11.50 m

Contractor Name: (None)

Driller:

Assistant Driller:

Property: Standing Water Level GWMA: Salinity Description: GW Zone: Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

County Parish Cadastre BOOYAMURNA Form A: BLIGH

Licensed:

CMA Map: 8834-3N

Region: 80 - Macquarie-Western River Basin: 421 - MACQUARIE RIVER

Grid Zone:

Scale:

Area/District:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) Elevation Source: (Unknown)

Northing: 6477150.000 Easting: 759699.000

Latitude: 31°48'42.4"S Longitude: 149°44'36.2"E

GS Map: -MGA Zone: 55 Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC,MAP

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Туре		(m)		Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1		Annulus	Waterworn/Rounded	8.50	11.50	500			Ungraded
1	1	Casing	Welded Steel	0.00	9.50	300			Seated
1	1	Opening	Screen	9.50	11.50	300		1	Stainless Steel

Water Bearing Zones

	From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	(L/s)	Hole Depth (m)	Salinity (mg/L)
- [7.00	11.50	4.50	Unconsolidated	4.50			

Drillers Log

From (m)	(m) (m)		Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	3.60	3.60	Loam Basaltic	Loam	
3.60	11.50	7.90	Gravel Basaltic River Water Bearing	Gravel	

Remarks

09/03/1987: CLOSED ROAD BETWEEN PORTIONS 125 & 126

09/03/1987: COOLAH TWS

*** End of GW059176 ***

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GW059164

Licence: 80CA716938 Licence Status: CURRENT

Authorised Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPLY Intended Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPL

Standing Water Level 8.600

Salinity Description:

Work Type: Bore

Work Status: Supply Obtained Construct.Method: Rotary Mud Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Final Depth: 38.00 m Completion Date: 01/12/1983 Drilled Depth: 50.00 m

Contractor Name: (None)

Driller: Assistant Driller:

> Property: DUNEDOO T W S Whiteley St DUNEDOO 2844 NSW GWMA: 019 - COOLABURRAGUNDY -

TALBRAGER VALLEY

GW Zone: - Yield (L/s): 29.180

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

 County
 Parish
 Cadastre

 Form A:
 LINCOLN
 BOLARO
 7009//93529

 Licensed:
 LINCOLN
 BOLARO
 Whole Lot

 7009//93529
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Region: 80 - Macquarie-Western CMA Map: 8733-N

River Basin: 421 - MACQUARIE RIVER Grid Zone: Scale:

Area/District:

 Elevation:
 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
 Northing:
 6455743.000
 Latitude:
 32°00′43.1°S

 Elevation Source:
 Unknown
 Easting:
 725608.000
 Longitude:
 149°23′18.7°E

GS Map: - MGA Zone: 55 Coordinate Source: GIS - Geogra

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel

Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Туре	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1		Annulus	Waterworn/Rounded	0.00	38.00	431			Graded
1		Backfill	Backfill	38.00	50.00				
1	1	Casing	Welded Steel	0.00	31.00	342			Seated
1	1	Opening	Screen	31.00	36.00	275		1	Stainless Steel, A: 1,52mm

Water Bearing Zones

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)		S.W.L. (m)	1 10 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	(L/s)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
31.00	36.00	5.00	Unconsolidated	8.60		29.18		

Drillers Log

From (m)		Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	1.00	1.00	Driller	(Unknown)	
1.00	4.00	3.00	Clay Red	Clay	



4.00	13.00	9.00	Clay Grey	Clay
13.00	14.00	1.00	Clay Grey Some Fine Sand	Clay
14.00	18.00	4.00	Clay Grey Some Coarse Sand	Clay
18.00	21.00	3.00	Clay Orange	Clay
21.00	26.00	5.00	Clay Orange Some Fine Sand	Clay
26.00	29.00	3.00	Clay Yellow	Clay
29.00	30.00	1.00	Clay Yellow, Sand White Medium	Clay
30.00	32.00	2.00	Sand White Medium Water Supply, some	Sand
			Clay	
32.00	36.00	4.00	Sand White Medium Clean Water Supply	Sand
36.00	37.00	1.00	Clay White Sandy	Clay
37.00	38.00	1.00	Clay White, Sand Yellow	Clay
38.00	39.00	1.00	Sand Yellow Medium, Clay Yellow	Sand
39.00	45.00	6.00	Clay White	Clay
45.00	48.00	3.00	Clay White, Sand Bands	Clay
48.00	50.00	2.00	Clay Yellow Sandy	Clay
50.00	50.01	0.01	Shale	Shale

Remarks

09/03/1987: DUNEDOO TOWN WATER SUPPLY.
23/07/2012: Nat Carling, 23-July-2012; Updated coordinates, as provided by water licensing. Also updated cadastre (was entered as TS&CR 49654).

*** End of GW059164 ***

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GW025187

Licence Status:

Authorised Purpose(s): Intended Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPL

Work Type: Bore - GAB Work Status: Supply Obtained Construct.Method: Rotary Mud Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Completion Date: 01/07/1968 Final Depth: 220.90 m Drilled Depth: 221.00 m

Contractor Name: (None) Driller: Assistant Driller:

> Property: Standing Water Level 28.800 (m): Salinity Description: Yield (L/s): 20.180 GWMA: GW Zone:

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

County Form A: BARADINE Parish BARADINE Cadastre RD ADJ 2/22/758051

CMA Map: 8736-S

Grid Zone:

River Basin: 419 - NAMOI RIVER Area/District:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) Elevation Source: Unknown

Region: 90 - Barwon

Northing: 6574148.000 Easting: 697025.000

Latitude: 30°56'58.9"S Longitude: 149°03'45.1"E

GS Map: -MGA Zone: 55 Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC.MAP

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack;

Hole	Pipe	Component	Туре	From	To	Outside	Inside	Interval	Details
'	•			(m)	(m)	Diameter	Diameter		
						(mm)	(mm)		
1	1	Casing	Welded Steel, Pressure	0.00	97.20	203			Cemented
			Cemented						
1	1	Casing	Welded Steel, Pressure	0.00	97.20	203			
			Cemented						
1	1	Casing	Welded Steel	95.80	220.80	152			
1	1	Opening	Slote - Vertical	07.50	220 00	152		4	A: 3.17mm

Water Bearing Zones

	From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)			Yield (L/s)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
-[22.50	97.40	74.90	(Unknown)				
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97.50 220.90 123.40 (Unknown) 28.80 20.18

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From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	33.52	33.52	Conglomerate Nominal	Conglomerate	
33.52	102.10		Sandstone Nominal Water Supply, and sand, rock, hard bands, water supply	Sandstone	
102.10	211.83	109.73	Shale Grey Nominal Water Supply, Sandstone Sand Rock, Hard Bands	Shale	
211.83	220.98	9.15	Sandstone Water Supply	Sandstone	

Remarks

04/02/1976: AQUIFER DEPTHS SUSPECT.
20/07/1984: ADJ LOT 2 SECT 22 BARADINE.
20/07/1984: BARADINIE TWS.
14/05/2008: Nat Carling, 14-May-2008: Adjusted cadastre, previously entered Lot/DP was 'SEC 22'.
29/08/2011: Karla Abbs, 29-Aug-2011: Removed duplicates from drillers log

*** End of GW025187 ***



GW007716

Licence: 90CA833298 Licence Status: CURRENT

Authorised Purpose(s): TOWN WATER SUPPLY Intended Purpose(s): PUBLIC/MUNICIPL

Work Type: Bore Work Status: Construct.Method: Cable Tool Owner Type: Local Govt

Commenced Date: Completion Date: 01/03/1949 Final Depth: 47.20 m Drilled Depth: 47.20 m

Contractor Name: (None) Driller:

Assistant Driller:

Property: N/A WARRUMBUNGLE SHIRE COUNCIL P O BOX 191 COONABARABRAN 2357 NSW GWMA: 023 - MISCELLANEOUS ALLUVIUM OF THE BARWON REGION

Salinity Description: Fresh GW Zone: 013 -

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

County Form A: BARADINE

Yield (L/s):

Standing Water Level

Cadastre L16 (16) Whole Lot 16//750294 Licensed: BARADINE MILLER

Scale:

CMA Map: 8736-S Region: 90 - Barwon River Basin: 419 - NAMOI RIVER Area/District: Grid Zone:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) Elevation Source: (Unknown) Northing: 6592988.000 Easting: 693571.000

Latitude: 30°46'49.4"S Longitude: 149°01'22.2"E GS Map: -MGA Zone: 55 Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC.MAP

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Ho	le P	Pipe	Component	Туре			Outside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
	1	1	Casing	Threaded Steel	-0.50	43.40	152		Suspended in Clamps

Water Bearing Zones

	From (m)		Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	Yield (L/s)		Salinity (mg/L)
Π	21.30	21.60	0.30	Unconsolidated	21.30		0.03		
П	42.60	43.50	0.90	Unconsolidated	25.90		1.20		

Drillers Log

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From	То	Thickness	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments								
(m)	(m)	(m)											

0.00	1.52	1.52	Loam Sandy	Loam	
1.52	21.33	19.81	Clay Yellow Sandy	Clay	
21.33	21.64	0.31	Sand Fine Water Supply	Sand	
21.64	42.67	21.03	Clay Yellow Sandy	Clay	
42.67	43.58	0.91	Clay Sandy Nodular Water Supply	Clay	
43.58	47.24	3.66	Sand Yellow Clay	Sand	

Remarks

24/11/1981: KENEBRI WATER SUPPLY

*** End of GW007716 ***

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Appendix 4c: AHIMS Report for Warrumbungle Shire Council Bores

Coonabarabran Bores 1, 2, 3 &4

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -31.2781, 149.2632 - Lat, Long To: -31.2628, 149.2873 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

The context area of your search is shown in the map below. Please note that the map does not accurately display the exact boundaries of the search as defined in the paragraph above. The map is to be used for general reference purposes only.



A search of the Office of the Environment and Heritage AHIMS Web Services (Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System) has shown that:

- 1 Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.
- 0 Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *



If your search shows Aboriginal sites or places what should you do?

- You must do an extensive search if AHIMS has shown that there are Aboriginal sites or places recorded in the search area.
- If you are checking AHIMS as a part of your due diligence, refer to the next steps of the Due Diligence Code of practice.
- You can get further information about Aboriginal places by looking at the gazettal notice that declared it.
 Aboriginal places gazetted after 2001 are available on the NSW Government Gazette
 (http://www.nsw.gov.au/gazette) website. Gazettal notices published prior to 2001 can be obtained from Office of Environment and Heritage's Aboriginal Heritage Information Unit upon request

Important information about your AHIMS search

- The information derived from the AHIMS search is only to be used for the purpose for which it was requested.
 It is not be made available to the public.
- AHIMS records information about Aboriginal sites that have been provided to Office of Environment and Heritage and Aboriginal places that have been declared by the Minister;
- Information recorded on AHIMS may vary in its accuracy and may not be up to date .Location details are
 recorded as grid references and it is important to note that there may be errors or omissions in these
 recordings,
- Some parts of New South Wales have not been investigated in detail and there may be fewer records of Aboriginal sites in those areas. These areas may contain Aboriginal sites which are not recorded on AHIMS.
- Aboriginal objects are protected under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 even if they are not recorded as a site on AHIMS.
- This search can form part of your due diligence and remains valid for 12 months.



Coonabarabran Bore 6, Water Plant

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -31.2821, 149.2504 - Lat, Long To: -31.2669, 149.2746 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

The context area of your search is shown in the map below. Please note that the map does not accurately display the exact boundaries of the search as defined in the paragraph above. The map is to be used for general reference purposes only.



A search of the Office of the Environment and Heritage AHIMS Web Services (Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System) has shown that:

- 1 Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.
- 2 Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *

	ID	Aboriginal Place Name
	73	Happy Valley Fringe Camp
	64	Nandi Common
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Coolah Old Bore, Town Wells, Back-up Well & Extra Well

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -31.8161, 149.7378 - Lat, Long To: -31.8064, 149.7532 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

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0 Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.

O Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *



Dunedoo Town Well Bore

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -32.017, 149.3787 - Lat, Long To: -32.0062, 149.3959 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

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A search of the Office of the Environment and Heritage AHIMS Web Services (Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System) has shown that:

- 0 Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.
- O Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *

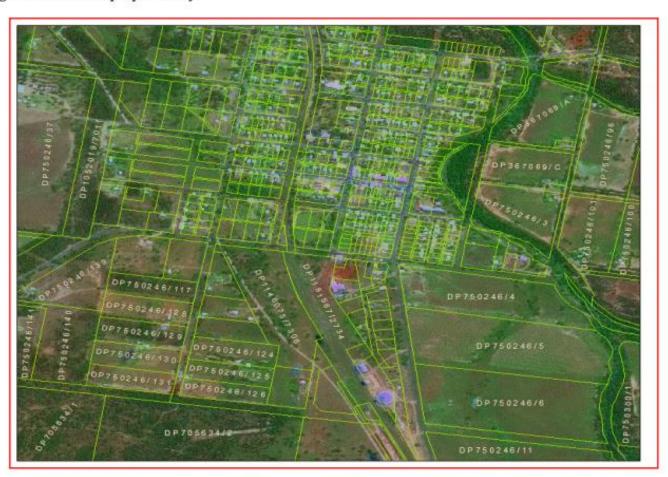


Baradine Main Supply Bore & Back-up Bore

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -30.9598, 149.0544 - Lat, Long To: -30.9451, 149.0776 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

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O Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *



Bugaldie Bore

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -31.1285, 149.1065 - Lat, Long To: -31.1237, 149.114 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

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A search of the Office of the Environment and Heritage AHIMS Web Services (Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System) has shown that:

- 0 Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.
- O Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *



Kenebri Bore

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Lat, Long From: -30.786, 149.0183 - Lat, Long To: -30.7794, 149.0288 with a Buffer of 50 meters, conducted by Michaela Burns on 18 November 2020.

The context area of your search is shown in the map below. Please note that the map does not accurately display the exact boundaries of the search as defined in the paragraph above. The map is to be used for general reference purposes only.



A search of the Office of the Environment and Heritage AHIMS Web Services (Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System) has shown that:

0 Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.

0 Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *



Appendix 4d: BioNet Atlas of NSW Wildlife search results

Coonabarabran Bore 1, 2,3 and 4 & Bore 6 (Water Plant)

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	NSW status	Comm. status
Animalia	Aves	Ardeidae	Ixobrychus flavicollis	Black Bittern	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Accipitridae	Haliaeetus leucogaster	White-bellied Sea- Eagle	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Accipitridae	^^Lophoictinia isura	Square-tailed Kite	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Cacatuidae	^Calyptorhynchus Iathami	Glossy Black- Cockatoo	V,P,2	
Animalia	Aves	Cacatuidae	^Lophochroa leadbeateri	Major Mitchell's Cockatoo	V,P,2	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	Glossopsitta pusilla	Little Lorikeet	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	^^Neophema pulchella	Turquoise Parrot	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	^^Polytelis swainsonii	Superb Parrot	V,P,3	V
Animalia	Aves	Climacteridae	Climacteris picumnus victoriae	Brown Treecreeper (eastern subspecies)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Acanthizidae	Chthonicola sagittata	Speckled Warbler	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Meliphagidae	Anthochaera phrygia	Regent Honeyeater	E4A,P	CE
Animalia	Aves	Pomatostomidae	Pomatostomus temporalis temporalis	Grey-crowned Babbler (eastern subspecies)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Neosittidae	Daphoenositta chrysoptera	Varied Sittella	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Artamidae	Artamus cyanopterus cyanopterus	Dusky Woodswallow	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Petroicidae	Melanodryas cucullata cucullata	Hooded Robin (south-eastern form)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Petroicidae	Petroica boodang	Scarlet Robin	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Phascolarctidae	Phascolarctos cinereus	Koala	V,P	V
Animalia	Mammalia	Petauridae	Petaurus norfolcensis	Squirrel Glider	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Vespertilionidae	Chalinolobus dwyeri	Large-eared Pied Bat	V,P	V
Animalia	Mammalia	Vespertilionidae	Chalinolobus picatus	Little Pied Bat	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Vespertilionidae	Nyctophilus corbeni	Corben's Long-eared Bat	V,P	V



Plantae	Flora	Myrtaceae	Homoranthus prolixus	Granite	V	V
				Homoranthus		

Coolah Old Bore, Town Wells, Back-up Well & Extra Well

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	NSW status	Comm. status
Animalia	Aves	Accipitridae	Hieraaetus morphnoides	Little Eagle	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	Glossopsitta pusilla	Little Lorikeet	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	^^Polytelis swainsonii	Superb Parrot	V,P,3	V
Animalia	Aves	Strigidae	^^Ninox connivens	Barking Owl	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Climacteridae	Climacteris picumnus	Brown Treecreeper	V,P	
			victoriae	(eastern subspecies)		
Animalia	Mammalia	Dasyuridae	Dasyurus maculatus	Spotted-tailed Quoll	V,P	E
Animalia	Mammalia	Petauridae	Petaurus norfolcensis	Squirrel Glider	V,P	

Dunedoo Town Well Bore

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	NSW status	Comm. status
Animalia	Aves	Falconidae	Falco subniger	Black Falcon	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Petauridae	Petaurus norfolcensis	Squirrel Glider	V,P	

Baradine Main Supply & Back-up Bore

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	NSW status	Comm. status
Animalia	Aves	Phaethontidae	Phaethon rubricauda	Red-tailed Tropicbird	V,P	C,J
Animalia	Aves	Apodidae	Hirundapus caudacutus	White-throated Needletail	Р	V,C,J,K



Animalia	Aves	Ciconiidae	Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus	Black-necked Stork	E1,P	
Animalia	Aves	Accipitridae	Circus assimilis	Spotted Harrier	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Accipitridae	Hieraaetus morphnoides	Little Eagle	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Accipitridae	^^Lophoictinia isura	Square-tailed Kite	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Otididae	Ardeotis australis	Australian Bustard	E1,P	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	Glossopsitta pusilla	Little Lorikeet	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	^^Polytelis swainsonii	Superb Parrot	V,P,3	V
Animalia	Aves	Strigidae	^^Ninox connivens	Barking Owl	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Climacteridae	Climacteris picumnus victoriae	Brown Treecreeper (eastern subspecies)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Acanthizidae	Chthonicola sagittata	Speckled Warbler	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Pomatostomidae	Pomatostomus temporalis temporalis	Grey-crowned Babbler (eastern subspecies)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Neosittidae	Daphoenositta chrysoptera	Varied Sittella	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Estrildidae	Stagonopleura guttata	Diamond Firetail	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Phascolarctidae	Phascolarctos cinereus	Koala	V,P	V
Animalia	Mammalia	Macropodidae	Macropus dorsalis	Black-striped Wallaby	E1,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Pteropodidae	Pteropus poliocephalus	Grey-headed Flying-fox	V,P	V
Animalia	Mammalia	Emballonuridae	Saccolaimus flaviventris	Yellow-bellied Sheathtail-bat	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Vespertilionidae	Chalinolobus picatus	Little Pied Bat	V,P	
Plantae	Flora	Apocynaceae	Tylophora linearis		V	Е
Plantae	Flora	Fabaceae (Faboideae)	Swainsona murrayana	Slender Darling Pea	V	V

Bugaldie Bore

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	NSW status	Comm. status
Animalia	Aves	Cacatuidae	^Calyptorhynchus lathami	Glossy Black-Cockatoo	V,P,2	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	^^Polytelis swainsonii	Superb Parrot	V,P,3	V
Animalia	Aves	Strigidae	^^Ninox connivens	Barking Owl	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Acanthizidae	Chthonicola sagittata	Speckled Warbler	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Meliphagidae	Epthianura albifrons	White-fronted Chat	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Pomatostomidae	Pomatostomus temporalis temporalis	Grey-crowned Babbler (eastern subspecies)	V,P	



Animalia	Aves	Neosittidae	Daphoenositta chrysoptera	Varied Sittella	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Estrildidae	Stagonopleura guttata	Diamond Firetail	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Phascolarctidae	Phascolarctos cinereus	Koala	V,P	V
Animalia	Mammalia	Petauridae	Petaurus norfolcensis	Squirrel Glider	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Emballonuridae	Saccolaimus flaviventris	Yellow-bellied Sheathtail- bat	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Vespertilionidae	Chalinolobus picatus	Little Pied Bat	V,P	

Kenebri Bore

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	NSW status	Comm. status
Animalia	Reptilia	Elapidae	Hoplocephalus bitorquatus	Pale-headed Snake	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Ciconiidae	Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus	Black-necked Stork	E1,P	
Animalia	Aves	Psittacidae	^^Neophema pulchella	Turquoise Parrot	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Strigidae	^^Ninox connivens	Barking Owl	V,P,3	
Animalia	Aves	Climacteridae	Climacteris picumnus victoriae	Brown Treecreeper (eastern subspecies)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Acanthizidae	Chthonicola sagittata	Speckled Warbler	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Meliphagidae	Grantiella picta	Painted Honeyeater	V,P	V
Animalia	Aves	Pomatostomidae	Pomatostomus temporalis temporalis	Grey-crowned Babbler (eastern subspecies)	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Neosittidae	Daphoenositta chrysoptera	Varied Sittella	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Artamidae	Artamus cyanopterus cyanopterus	Dusky Woodswallow	V,P	
Animalia	Aves	Estrildidae	Stagonopleura guttata	Diamond Firetail	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Phascolarctidae	Phascolarctos cinereus	Koala	V,P	V
Animalia	Mammalia	Petauridae	Petaurus norfolcensis	Squirrel Glider	V,P	
Animalia	Mammalia	Muridae	Pseudomys pilligaensis	Pilliga Mouse	V,P	V



NSW status

1 Sensitivity Class 1 (Sensitive Species Data Policy)
2 Sensitivity Class 2 (Sensitive Species Data Policy)
3 Sensitivity Class 3 (Sensitive Species Data Policy)
CH Critical Habitat (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E1 Endangered (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E2 Endangered (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E3 Endangered Ecological Community (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E4 Presumed Extinct (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E4 Presumed Extinct (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E4 Critically Endangered (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
E4B Critically Endangered Ecological Community (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
FCE Critically Endangered Fish (Fisheries Management Act 1994)
FE Endangered Fish (Fisheries Management Act 1994)
FEC Endangered Ecological Community of Fish (Fisheries Management Act 1994)
FFKTP Key Threatening Process of Fish (Fisheries Management Act 1994)
FV Vulnerable Fish (Fisheries Management Act 1994)
FV Vulnerable Fish (Fisheries Management Act 1994)

KTP Key Threatening Process (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
P Protected (National Parks & Wildlife Act 1974)
V Vulnerable (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)
V2 Vulnerable (Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016)

Commonwealth status

C Listed on China Australia Migratory Bird Agreement
CD Conservation Dependent (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)
CE Critically Endangered (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)
E Endangered (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)
J Listed on Japan Australia Migratory Bird Agreement
K Listed on Republic of Korea Australia Migratory Bird Agreement
KTP Key Threatening Process (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)
V Vulnerable (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)
XW Extinct (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)
XW Extinct in the Wild (Commonwealth EPBC Act 1999)



Appendix A: Risk Assessment for Shallow Water Bore Design

	Low Risk	Low-Moderate Risk	Moderate-High Risk	High Risk
Condition of Casing well	No holes or cracks. Cap	No defects visible. Well vented but not	No holes or cracks visible.	Holes or cracks visible. Cap
cap and slab	tightly secured. Secured	screened. Slab is present	Cap loose. No slab present	loose or missing. Can hear
	vent. Slab is present			water running
Well Age	Less than 20 years	21 to 40 years old	41 to 60 years old	More than 60 years old
Well Type	Drilled in accordance with min drilling standards	Drilled not necessarily to standard	Drive point sand spear	Hand dug well
Screen Material	Stainless steel 316	Stainless steel	PVC slotted	Mild steel slotted casing.
				Bronze
Bore Material	SS361	PVC	Mild steel	Mild steel with dissimilar
				metals
Dissimilar metals				
Pump depth setting			Pump in screen	Pump below screen
Bore Cementing				
Gravel pack or natural				
pack				
Water Quality				
Iron Level	<100 mg/L	100-300 mg/L	300-1000 mg/L	>1000 mg/L
Salinity Level	<400 mg/L	400-700 mg/L	700-1000 mg/L	>1000 mg/L
Relationship of pump				
depth setting and screen				
level to iron hydroxide potential				



Appendix B: Risk Assessment for Artesian Constructed Bore

	Low Risk	Low-Moderate Risk	Moderate-High Risk	High Risk
Condition of Casing well	No holes or cracks. Cap	No defects visible. Well vented but not	No holes or cracks visible.	Holes or cracks visible. Cap
cap and slab	tightly secured. Secured	screened. Slab is present	Cap loose. No slab present	loose or missing. Can hear
	vent. Slab is present			water running
Well Age	Less than 40 years old	40 to 70 years old	71 to 100 years old	More than 100 years old
Bore Reconditioned	Reconditioned less than	20 to 30 years	30 to 50 years	Greater than 50 years ago
	20 years ago			
Well Type	Drilled in accordance with	Drilled not necessarily to standard	Drive point sand spear	Hand dug well
	min drilling standards			
Screen Material	Slotted casing plasma oxy	Slotted casing oxy cut	Perforated casing	Open hole
	cut		downhole	
Bore Material	Stainless steel	Mild steel casing		PVC Casing
Dissimilar metals				
Bore Cementing	Surface casing cemented.	No surface casing. Inner casing Perkins	Old style cementing pumped	No cementing
	Perkins method inside out	method	or poured from top	
Water Quality				
Iron Level	<100 mg/L	100-300 mg/L	300-1000 mg/L	>1000 mg/L
Salinity Level	<700 mg/L	700-1200 mg/L	1200-2000 mg/L	>2000 mg/L
Relationship of pump depth setting and screen level to iron hydroxide potential				



Appendix C: Generic guide for the monitoring process and suggested frequency of monitoring for town water bores

It is recommended that for town water supplies that preventative maintenance is undertaken. The frequency of this monitoring will depend on the specific town and its access to alternative water supplies should the bore fail and if the bore is pumping to the capacity of the aquifer. The table below provides a generic guide on monitoring and the suggested frequency of monitoring for a town water bore. The actual frequency needs to be tailored to meet the individual bore.

Category	Specific Activity	Schedule/Frequency	
Physical inspection	Borehole colour video	A minimum 5-year interval or at pump service intervals. If the bore is high risk or has a specific problem, such as iron hydroxide, this should occur more frequently, ideally annually or biannually.	
	Surface facility inspection, inspect sampling points and clean as needed	Monthly or whenever the site is visited	
	Examination of withdrawn components	As needed (at lease pump test annually, if not withdrawing pump annually)	
Hydraulic Performance	Well discharge rate and pressure	Weekly or monthly (recommended automatic data collection)	
	Drawdown- take concurrently with well discharge measurements	Weekly or monthly (recommended installation of pressure transducer automatic recording)	
	Conduct graphical analysis to determine pump performance	Quarterly	
	Higher yielding bore conduct a 3 or 4 stage step test to determine bore efficiency (bores greater then 10 litres per second)	Minimum annual frequency or possibly biannual	
Electric Power	System and motor voltage, current and resistance, phase imbalance	Weekly and at various pump configurations, recommend installation of alarms to existing monitors.	
Physio-chemistry	Inorganic parameters	Annual measurement prior to the treatment of the water for evaluation	
	Suspended particulate matter	Manually at testing or bore	
	Turbidity	Manually at testing of bore. If there is a problem install inline monitoring as turbidity will change depending on time of pumping	

This table has been adapted from: Sustainable Wells Maintenance, Problem Prevention and Rehabilitation, Stuart A Smith Allen E Comeskey CRC Press 2009.