

Project Overview

South Gippsland Water will shortly begin works to replace a section of the water transfer pipeline which runs between the Korumburra Water Treatment Plant and the township, along Warragul Road, Korumburra.

Commencing in mid-November, a 500 meter long section of pipe will be replaced. The section of pipeline to be replaced is some 60 years old and has been the subject of a number of bursts and leaks over recent years.

An existing 300mm cement pipe will be replaced with a 375mm polyethylene pipe. Given its location and key role in the delivery of water, these works are considered major works and of a high priority to ensure reliable water services to Korumburra.



Timing

Mid-November 2017 to Mid-February 2018

Location





Works will be conducted along the road reserve and nature strips of Warragul Road. Works will start at the top of the hill working down 500 metres towards the intersection of Warragul Road and Station Street.

Affecting properties numbered 3 to 65 Warragul Road Korumburra.

Pipeline Construction

Construction works will involve open trenches to lay the majority of the pipeline with a short section to be directionally drilled under the road. A number of large pits will be required at key valve and tapping locations. Property owners in the immediate vicinity will be consulted and kept up to date through-out construction, including any planned service disruption or impacts to their properties.

Key:

-  New Water Transfer Main alignment
-  Existing Water Transfer Main alignment
-  Directional drill under road
-  Location of large holes/pits to be excavated



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Planned construction works for November & December 2017

- Directional drilling under Warragul Road (North West end of the site) to enable the pipeline to cross under Warragul Road.
- Pipeline trench excavation will begin from the North West end of the Street and will move its way down the hill towards Burra Foods. During this time there will be periods of inconvenience to each property as construction requires an open trench through driveways. All open trenches will be backfilled at the earliest convenience, until this time temporary access to properties will be provided.
- Contact will be attempted with each property before open trenching through the driveway to enable the removal of cars for the property owners convenience. Please contact Project Supervisor Nathan McRae 03 5682 0458 who can discuss any concerns you may have.
- Temporary fencing/barricades will be used for trenches that are left open overnight or unattended through the day.

- Materials will be delivered to site and will be stored in a nearby paddock at the North West end of the street.
- Construction works will cease for a short period between Christmas and New Years Day, resuming in January 2018.

Contractor

South Gippsland Water has contracted the service of Kelcon Pty Ltd to assist with the delivery of this project. The project is being managed by South Gippsland Water, should you have any queries or concerns please feel free to contact the Project Supervisor.

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