

Proposed upcoming work program – Narrabri Area (PEL 238)

Environmental Impact Statement (EIS):

- Santos submitted our detailed response to submissions (RTS) on the EIS to the Department of Planning and Environment (DPE) in April 2018.
- The RTS carefully considered the public submissions and confirmed the Project can be developed safely and sustainably.
- The RTS and the EIS is available on the DPE Major Projects site at www.majorprojects.planning.nsw.gov.au

Western Slopes Pipeline:

- APA Group is continuing preliminary studies to assess the Western Slopes Pipeline which would connect natural gas from the proposed Narrabri Gas Project to the Moomba-Sydney Pipeline.
- Further information on the Western Slopes Pipeline is available on APA's website. www.apa.com.au/about-apa/our-projects/western-slopes-pipeline/

Drilling of exploration core holes, workovers and decommissioning of wells:

- No activities planned for May.

Pilot wells:

- Bibblewindi East, Bibblewindi West, Dewhurst South and Tintfield pilot wells are on-line.
- Bibblewindi East will be off-line for approx. five days for routine maintenance in mid-May.

Leewood:

- The lucerne crop at Leewood is not currently being irrigated. Produced water is being stored in purpose built holding ponds.

Other work:

- Santos is assessing the feasibility of transporting more gas from the Bibblewindi East and Bibblewindi West pilot wells to the power station for electricity generation. If feasible this would reduce flaring.
- Applications to allow gas from pilot wells in PEL238 to be beneficially used in the Wilga

Park Power Station will be lodged with the NSW Government in coming weeks.

- Groundwater monitoring activities for Environmental Protection Licence compliance are ongoing.
- Rehabilitation is continuing at legacy sites, including revegetation activities at Bibblewindi.

Community:

- Community Site Visits are scheduled for the third Thursday of each month. To register for a site tour, contact 6792 9035 or email Energy.NSW@santos.com
- The next meeting of the Narrabri Gas Project Community Consultative Committee will be held on Tuesday 12 June 2018. Communiques and presentations from previous CCC meetings are available from www.narrabrigasproject.com.au/community/consultative-committee/
- Santos is a proud sponsor of the following events:
 - Narrabri Show
 - Eulah Creek Camp Oven Cooking Competition

Other:

- The Santos Annual General Meeting was held in Adelaide on 3 May 2018 with Santos Chairman Mr Keith Spence and Managing Director and CEO Mr Kevin Gallagher addressing the meeting. A copy of the AGM address is available from www.santos.com/media-centre/announcements/2018-annual-general-meeting-addresses/
- The Division of Resources and Geoscience releases regular newsletters and other communications with a subscription service available at www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/media-events/newsletters
- The NSW Environment Protection Authority participates in consultative committees including the Narrabri Gas Project Community Consultative Committee. The EPA monthly newsletter is available at www.epa.nsw.gov.au/licensing-and-regulation/gas-industry/gas-industry-in-nsw/community-involvement with a newsletter subscription function available on that page.