

SANTOS UPDATE – March 2014

Proposed upcoming work program – Narrabri Area

Time frames are indicative as schedules are dependent on factors such as approval times, weather and rig availability.

Decommissioning of wells:

- There are no plug and abandon activities planned for March

Workovers:

- A workover program will commence at the end of March 2014 with activity planned for Dewhurst 22 to Dewhurst 25 and Dewhurst 6 well sites
- The workover rig is used to install and/or maintain pumps on existing wells

Drilling of exploration core holes:

- There are no core hole activities planned for March

Pilot wells:

- Drilling continues on the Dewhurst 26 – 29 well sets
- Rig will be drilling at Dewhurst 27 throughout March

Leewood

- Leewood civil works complete waiting on final trim for liner installation
- Cell one liner installation continues, delayed slightly due to wet weather
- Cell one temporary pumps and inlet manifolds installation underway
- The Bibblewindi to Leewood flowline is commissioned and ready for service

Pilliga rehabilitation:

- Irrigation continues as part of the rehabilitation of the Bohena and Bibblewindi sites in the Pilliga

Other work:

- Pre-commissioning work at the Bibblewindi water transfer station is complete
- Tintsfield pilot remains on-line
- Bibblewindi West pilot has been brought on-line
- Partial rehabilitation of recently drilled Dewhurst sites is progressing as drilling is completed at each site
- Work continues on the Dewhurst Northern and Southern flowlines

Site visits:

- The Community Site Tour scheduled for 20 February was cancelled due to wet weather
- The next scheduled community site visit will take place on 20 March. If you are interested in attending or would like more information, please call Lesley Anderson on 6792 9035 or email lesley.anderson@santos.com

Community:

- Santos has sponsored Nosh on the Namoi and the Narrabri Blue Boars 50th Anniversary event
- Santos' organised a Clean Up Australia Day initiative on Sunday March 2 with community volunteers and Santos staff assisting in clean up at Cameron Reserve and Narrabri Lake
- Welcome to Angela Smith who has joined us as a cadet in the Community Engagement team

Other:

- Intermittent protest action in operational areas
- The next meeting of the Santos Community Committee on CSG for the Narrabri Shire will be held on Tuesday March 12
- The Commonwealth House of Representatives Environment Committee will conduct an inquiry into streamlining environmental regulation, 'green tape', and one stop shops for environmental assessments and approvals. Submission period closes on Friday 11 April, 2014. Terms of reference and additional information can be found at:
http://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/House_of_Representatives_Committees?url=environment/greentape/index.htm