

SANTOS UPDATE – August 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 August

Workovers:

- The workover rig is continuing work on the Bibblewindi East pilot wells during August
- The workover rig is being used to install and/or maintain pumps on existing wells

Drilling of exploration core holes:

- There are no core hole activities planned for August

Pilot wells:

- There are no pilot well drilling activities planned for August

Leewood:

- The transfer of water from the Tintfield pond to Bibblewindi pond 3 and then to Leewood has commenced
- Installation of the liner to pond 2 is continuing
- The Review of Environmental Factors (REF) for the proposed Leewood Phase 2 will be lodged in August
- The proposed activity involves the construction of treatment facilities for produced water and brine at Leewood

Other work:

- Wilga Park Power Station remains off-line as pilot wells are not flowing gas whilst workover program is undertaken

Site visits:

- The Community site visit will be held on Thursday 14 August. If you are interested in attending a site visit or would like more

information, please call Annie Alexander on 6792 9035 or email Energy.NSW@santos.com

Community:

- The Narrabri Chamber of Commerce continues to host information sessions for its local members on Santos' Narrabri Gas Project
- The Santos Narrabri Blue Boars sponsor day is in Narrabri on Saturday 16 August with Narrabri Blue Boars playing Inverell Highlanders
- The next meeting of the Narrabri Community Committee on CSG for Narrabri will be held on Monday 11 August
- Santos will host a stand at AgQuip 2014 from 19 to 21 August
- Santos is currently recruiting for an aboriginal cadet to work with the Narrabri Community and Land and Cultural Heritage teams

Other:

- The NSW Planning and Assessment Commission released their determination of approval in July in relation to the Bibblewindi and Dewhurst Gas Exploration and Pilot Expansion EIS's and the Narrabri Gas Utilisation Project Modification 3. Copies of the determination approval documents are available at <http://www.pac.nsw.gov.au/>
- The Director General's Requirements for the environmental assessment for the Narrabri Gas Project have been issued by the Department of Planning and Environment and are available from <http://majorprojects.planning.nsw.gov.au/>
- The Review of Environmental Factors (REF) for the proposed Dewhurst 32-37 four spot pilot and Bibblewindi 34 corehole will be lodged in August
- An aboriginal cultural heritage data audit has been completed to validate the nature and location of previously recorded sites on government and Land Council registers