

Activities Update

September 2022

Santos

Narrabri Gas Project (PEL 238)



Project Approvals:

- The NSW Independent Planning Commission (IPC) approved the Narrabri Gas Project on 30 September 2020. Further information is available at www.ipcn.nsw.gov.au/projects/2020/03/narrabri-gas-project
- The Federal Minister for the Environment approved the project on 24 November 2020. Further information is available at www.minister.awe.gov.au/ley/media-releases/narrabri-gas-project-approval
- Santos will undertake an appraisal program ahead of a Final Investment Decision for the next phase of project development. Santos' statements in relation to the approvals are available at www.santos.com/news/
- Santos continues work on the preparation and approval of the management plans required as a condition of consent by IPC. Copies of plans approved by the Department of Planning and Environment are available from the Narrabri Gas Project website at www.narrabrigasproject.com.au/about/environment/

Hunter Gas Pipeline:

On 11 August, Santos announced the acquisition of Hunter Gas Pipeline Pty Ltd which owns an approved underground gas pipeline route from Wallumbilla in Queensland to Newcastle in New South Wales. The underground pipeline route passes close to Santos' Narrabri Gas Project and our goal is to work with infrastructure developers and owners to construct the pipeline and deliver much-needed gas to east coast domestic markets in the shortest timeframe possible. The pipeline will also be designed to transport hydrogen as customer demand evolves during the energy transition. For more information please visit: <https://www.huntergaspipeline.com.au/>

Drilling activities:

- Santos will mobilise a flushby rig in September. Activity is focused on production enhancement and well suspensions.

Pilot wells:

- Bibblewindi East, Bibblewindi West and Dewhurst South pilot wells are online.

Leewood:

- Santos does not need to irrigate at this time and water is stored in the holding ponds at Leewood.

Wilga Park Power Station:

- The Wilga Park Power Station is online.

Other Activities:

- Groundwater monitoring activities for Environmental Protection Licence compliance are ongoing.

Community:

- The next meeting of the Narrabri Gas Project Community Consultative Committee will be held on Wednesday, 9 November 2022. Minutes from CCC meetings are available when finalised at www.narrabri-gasproject.com.au/community/consultative-committee/
- Minutes from advisory groups formed as a condition of the IPC consent for the Project including Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Advisory Group, Biodiversity Advisory Group, Greenhouse Gas Emissions Advisory Group and the Water Technical Advisory Group are available when finalised at www.narrabrigasproject.com.au/community/community-consultative-committee-new/
- Santos has proudly sponsored the following local organisations and activities:
 - Namoi Jobs and Trade Show – 14 September 2022
 - Narrabri Lady Bowlers Spring Carnival – 16-18 September 2022
 - Killarney Bike Challenge – 17-18 September 2022
 - Central North Rugby Union Grand Final – 17 September 2022

Snapshot of Santos Community Investment Program August 2022

Please click on the following links to read about Santos' contribution to the communities we operate in.

[Darwin Festival Santos Opening Night Concert](#)

[Bringing Mental Health Services To Remote Communities](#)