Planning Future Water

A local government perspective on planning in a changing water landscape



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A (maybe too) simple equation? People need & use Our roads & developments create runoff that ends up groundwater for all sorts of things in the groundwater Will we have enough water? More people = More water & More runoff Can we manage the drainage? 'PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE'



The City of Wanneroo Context



'PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE'

Wanneroo

Growth Impacts



Public Open Space







Decision-making influences

Better Urban Water Management Guidelines

Directions 2031 & beyond

Gnangara Sustainability Strategy

Groundwater allocation

Drying climate

Agricultural water users

Future re-use options

Wetlands & water dependant ecosystems

The City as a water user

Management of drainage assets

Wetlands LPP

Structure Planning LPP

Subdivision engineering standards & specs

POS LPP

LHS Implementation LPP

Strategic Community Plan & Corp. Business Plan





Making sense of it all

The challenge:

To simplify and better integrate water and land use planning. You shouldn't have to be a water expert to make informed decisions.

Key planning responses:

- NCGC water allocation & availability planning
- City Water Management Strategy & Urban Water Management LPP







Yanchep - Two Rocks	
Dwelling Units	67 000
Population	155 000
DSP Area	7 550 ha
Annual Water Required (POS)	2 342 550 kL

Alkimos - Eglinton	
Dwelling Units	24 000
Population	57 000
DSP Area	2 626 ha
Annual Water Required (POS)	266 850 kL

Tamala Park	
Dwelling Units	2 600
Population	6 500
Area	200 ha
Annual Water Required (POS)	30 000 kL



Water Supply

Ground Water Sub- Area	Percent Allocated	Water Remaining	Water Available
Yanchep	97%	0.20 GL	Limited
Eglinton	99%	0.07 GL	Limited
Quinns	97%	0.50 GL	Limited
Total	98%	0.77 GL	Limited



Alkimos-Eglinton alone will need around 7.6 GL p.a. for all non potable uses.

Yanchep-Two Rocks will need around 3 times this amount





City Water Management Strategy

Essential Environmental

City of Wanneroo Appendix 1 Water Sensitive Urban Design Engineering Toolbox September 2012





Statutory Response

Local Planning Policy 4.4: Urban Water Management & Engineering Toolbox

- Implementation of Water Sensitive Urban Design
- Increase infiltration and improve water quality
- Requires Water Management Plans at each stage of the planning process







Engineering Toolbox















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Some recent results





















Thank you

