

# One Planet Living: Our Water



**Water Proofing the West**  
*'water harvesting/reuse and flood mitigation'*

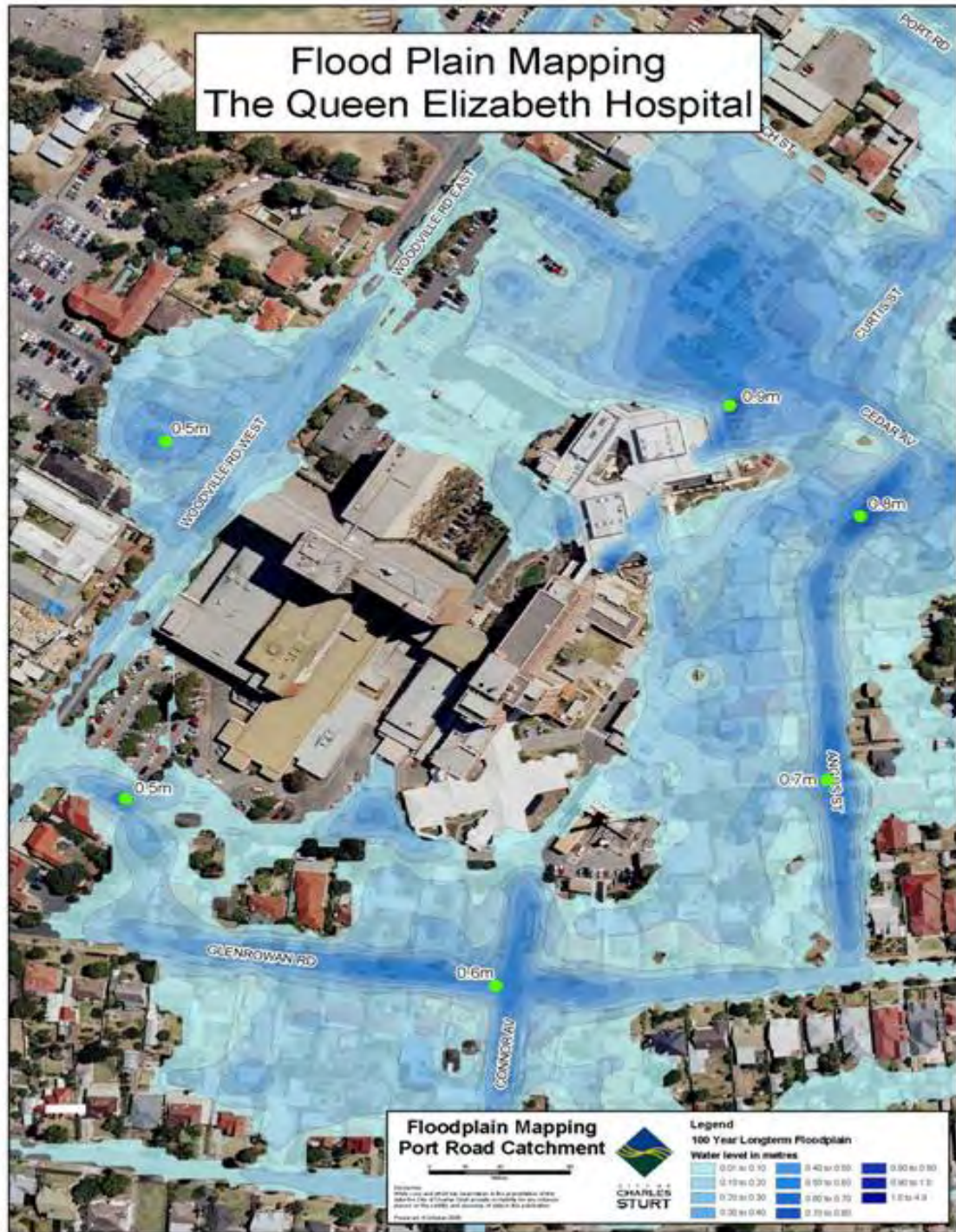


# Port Road Rejuvenation Project

*- an environmental solution to a stormwater problem'*



# Flood Plain Mapping The Queen Elizabeth Hospital



# Stormwater Management Authority

## SMP Objectives & Principles

(From Section 2.5 & 3.2 of the SMA Guidelines)

- Providing an acceptable level of **flood protection** for the community, both private and public assets
- Management of the **water quality** – reduce adverse impacts on watercourses and receiving waters (Gulf St Vincent)
- Beneficial use (**water reuse**) opportunities be maximised
- Manage stormwater as part of the urban water cycle recognising **natural watercourse** and riparian **ecosystems**
- **Sustainable** management of stormwater infrastructure
- A thorough **consultation & communications plan** is developed



# Stormwater Capital Works - Options

**Scenario 1** - Traditional underground stormwater pipe with a detention basin in Old Port Road – discharge all water to sea

**Scenario 2** - Underground stormwater pipe with detention basins along the Old Port Road and Port Road medians

**Scenario 3** - Underground stormwater pipe with extensive detention basins and wetlands to both reduce peak flows, improve water quality & amenity, and retain water for reuse.



# Stormwater Capital Works - Options

- Based on a comprehensive review the Port Road SMP Steering Group determined the preferred scheme to be **Scenario 3**

➔ Consider the Scheme:

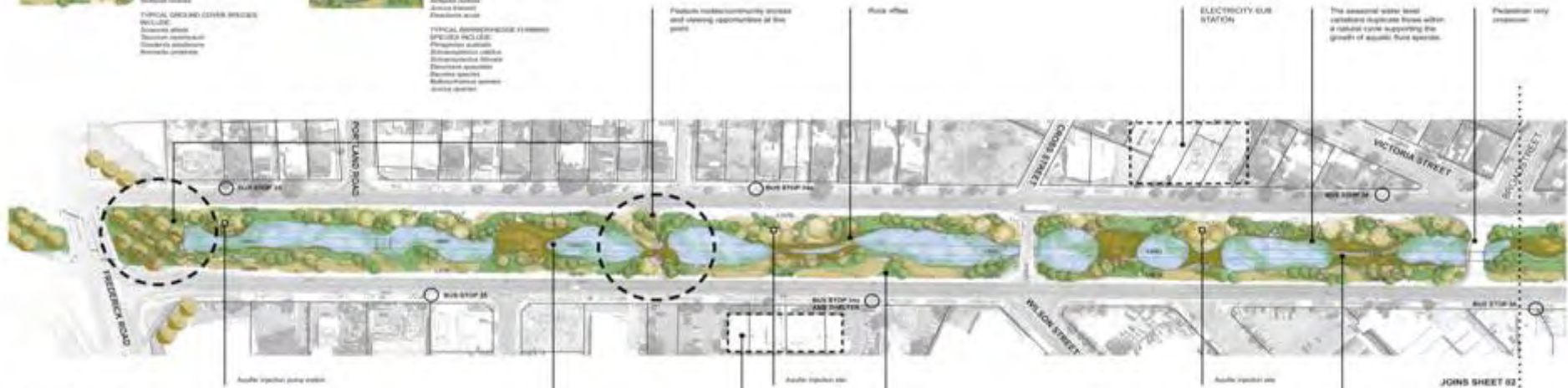
- **Water Reuse** and **Flood Mitigation**
- Water Sensitive Urban Design principles
- A solution within a highly urbanised City area



# Water Sensitive Urban Design – Old Port Road

## WETLAND PLANTING

 <p><b>FEATURE TREE PLANTING</b> SPECIES CHOICE AND SPACING STATEMENT INCLUDE: Biodiverse urban forest</p>	 <p><b>DRYLAND GRASS</b></p>
 <p><b>STRUCTURAL PLANTING</b> TYPICAL SPECIES INCLUDE: Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest</p>	 <p><b>SUBMERGED PLANTING</b> TYPICAL SPECIES IN WETLANDS (SHALLOW): Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest</p>
 <p><b>TERRESTRIAL PLANTING</b> TYPICAL BUFFER SPECIES INCLUDE: Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest</p> <p>TYPICAL GROUND COVER SPECIES INCLUDE: Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest</p>	 <p><b>RIPIARIAN PLANTING</b> TYPICAL SPECIES WITHIN RIVERBANKS (SHALLOW): Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest</p> <p>TYPICAL SPECIES WITHIN RIVERBANKS (DEEP): Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest Biodiverse urban forest</p>



## GENERAL NOTES

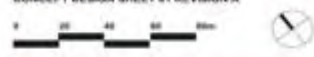
To fulfil the requirement for a functional wetland that accommodates storm water retention, the wetland has been designed with natural slopes that are generally 1 : 3 or 1 : 4 grade. (See sections.)

Respective of the extent of surcharge during a storm event

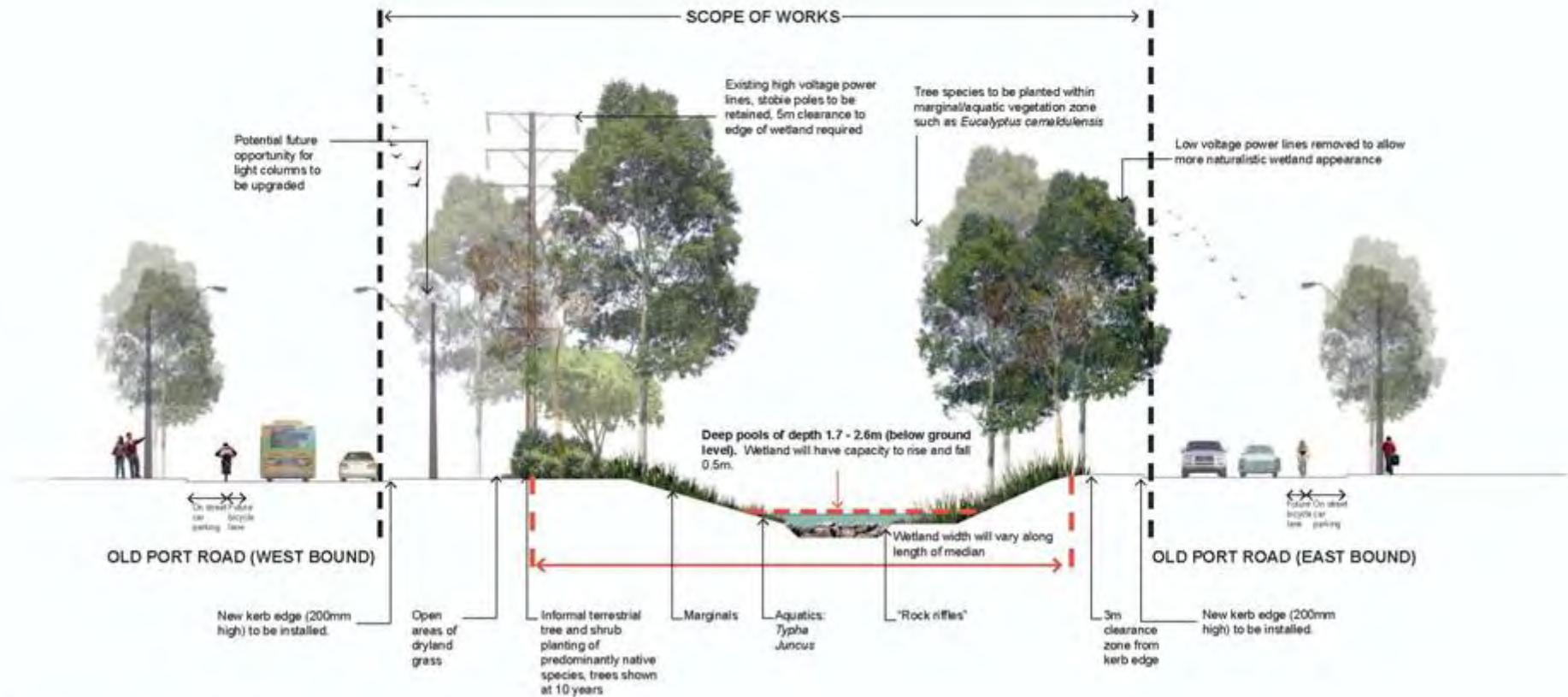
The pond water level will rise by up to 0.5m to accommodate water for smaller floods.

Planting is shown at approximately 10 years growth and is typically Asfordale in appearance.

**1 : 1000 at A1**  
CONCEPT DESIGN SHEET 01 REVISION A



# Water Sensitive Urban Design – Old Port Road



Planting is shown at approximately 10 years growth and is typically Autumnal in appearance.

TYPICAL SECTION THROUGH OLD PORT ROAD WETLANDS No. 2

SCALE 1:200 at A3  
CONCEPT DESIGN SHEET 14 REVISION A



# Water Sensitive Urban Design – Port Road



- to be retained
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  - tree, type 1, E.g. Corymbia ficifolia
  - tree, type 2, E.g. Casuarina acutirostris
  - tree, E.g. Araucaria
  - change of native vegetation
- Use grass / ground cover / water understorey
  - Drybed gardens
  - Carpark
  - Wetland
  - Detention basin
  - Pipe alignment - minimum 15m wide corridor
  - Pipe connection between wetland / detention basin
  - New kerb

1000 at A1, 1:2000 at A3  
SHEET 12 REVISION C



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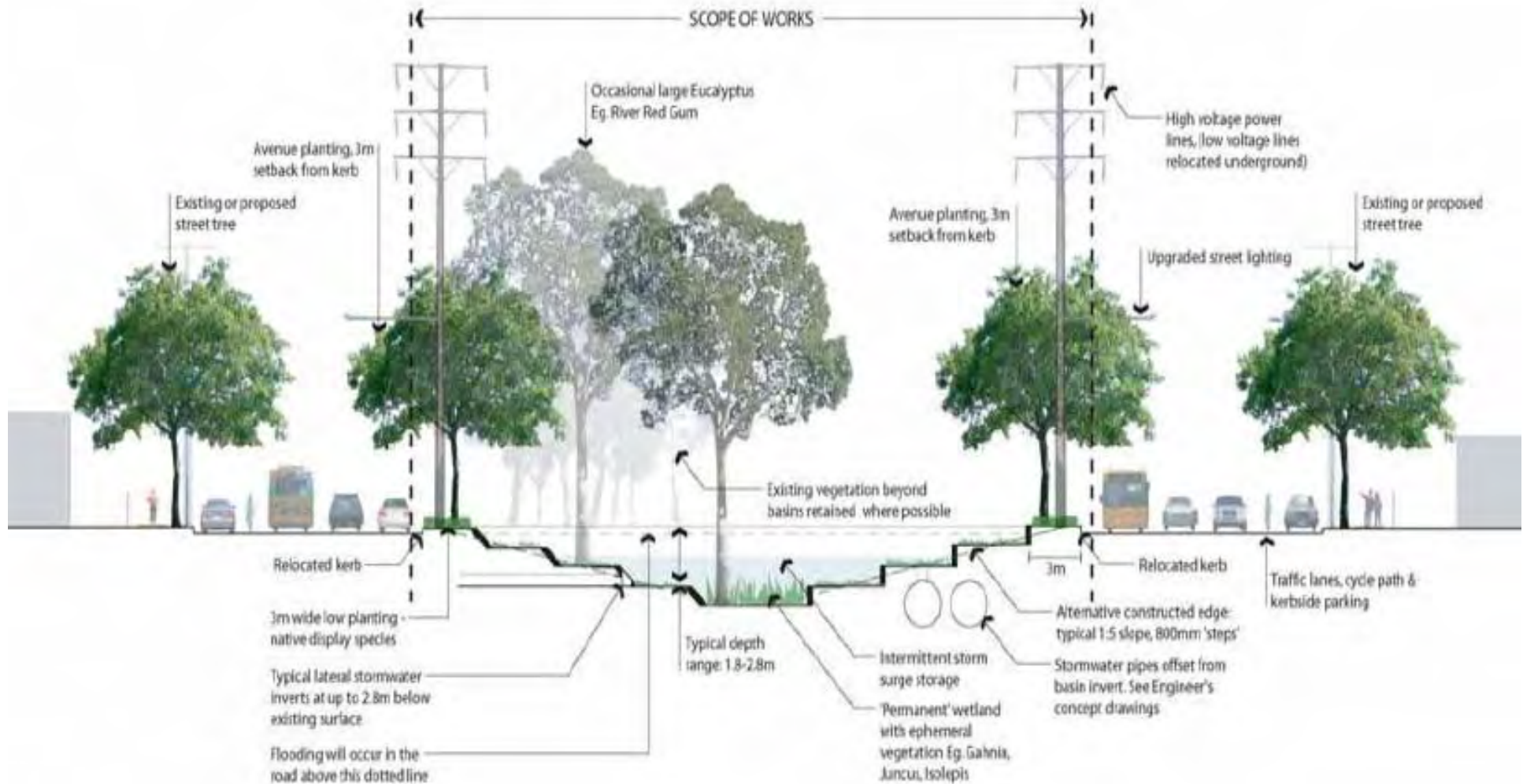
Urban Design

WATER SENSITIVE URBAN DESIGN



Port Road Rejuvenation  
Typical Landscape Concept

# Water Sensitive Urban Design – Port Road



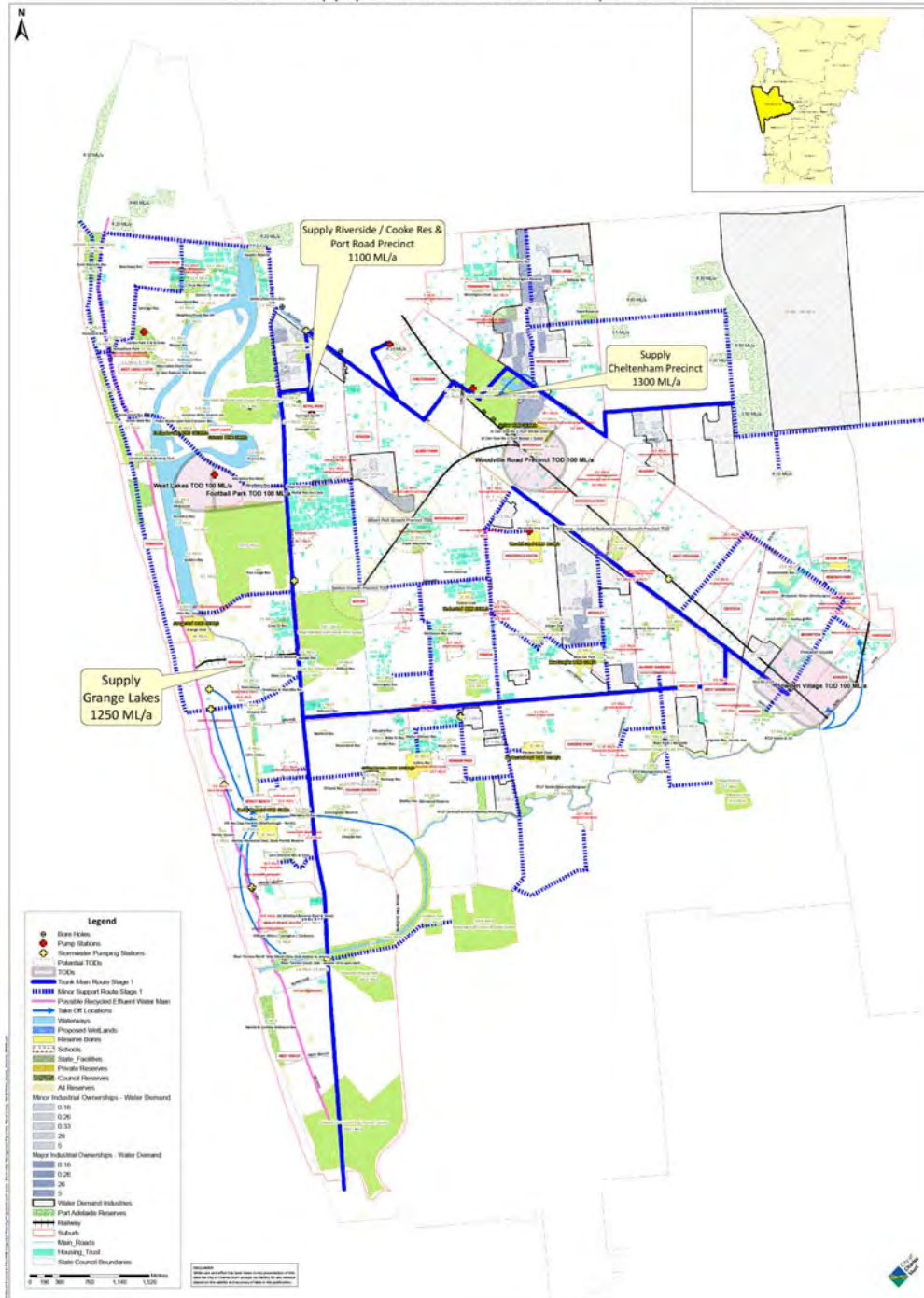
# Water Sensitive Urban Design – Port Road



# Water Proofing the West – Why?

- Significant challenge to maintain green areas with current drought/climatic change conditions and mains water restrictions.
- **Consider 3 sources of Water**
  - Potable Water Mains
  - Recycled Stormwater  
(wetland and aquifer reuse)
  - Recycled Effluent water





## SUPPLY:

### 3 Precincts

- Cheltenham
- Old Port Road, Riverside/Cooke
- Granges Lakes

## DEMAND:

- Council's own needs
- Industrial/Commercial
- Schools
- State sites



# Water Proofing the West - Stage 1 - How?

- Council together with State Government applied for funding under the:
  - Australian Government: National Urban Water and Desalination Plan - Special Call for Stormwater Harvesting and Reuse Projects.
- Other Contributory Funding Sources include:
  - Councils (CCS & PAE), Commonwealth (DEWHA, NDMP), State Agencies (OWS, SMA and NRM) & other.
- Funding is now confirmed with all works to be completed by 30 June 2013.



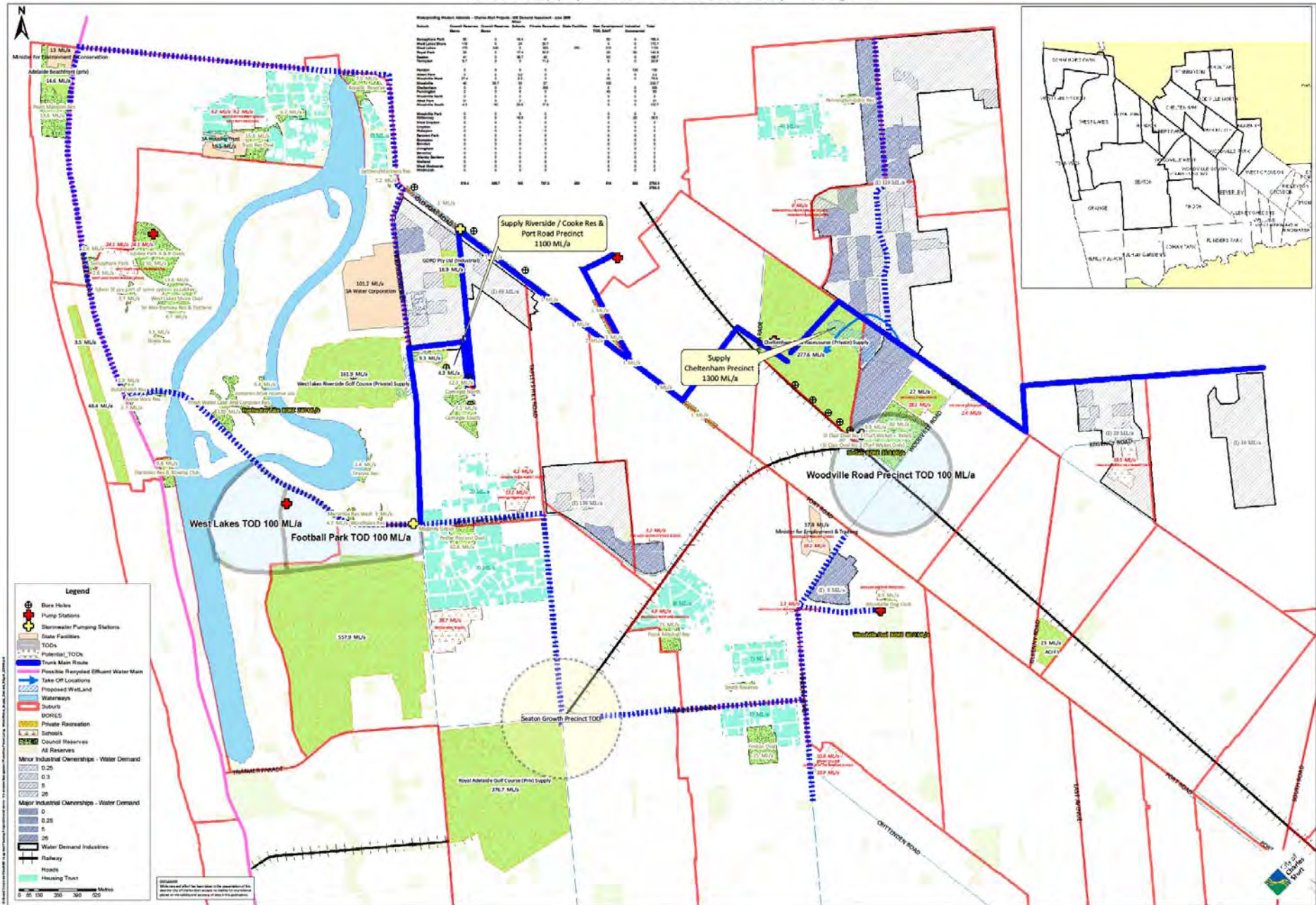
# Water Proofing the West - Stage 1

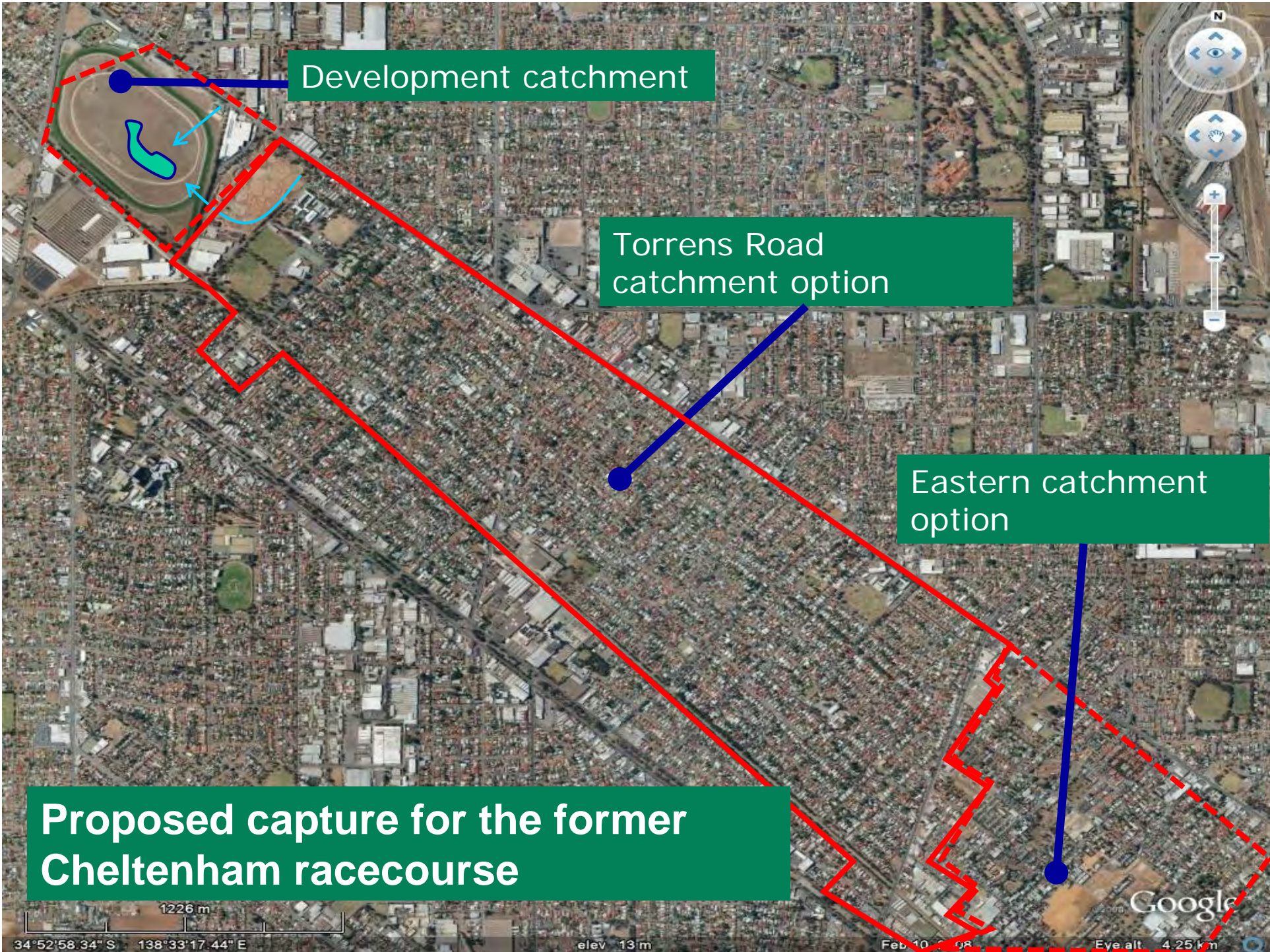
Water Proofing the West - Stage 1, will:

- Supply, harvest water at wetlands and ASR schemes, and from the River Torrens Winter flows at:
  - Cheltenham, Old Port Road, Riverside Golf Club & Cooke Reserve
- Distribute, treated stormwater, using pumps, tanks and pipes
- Demand, for water is from Council's own needs, Industrial/Commercial, Schools, and State Government (eg Housing Trust, TOD's, SA Water)



# City of Charles Sturt Water Supply & Demand Future City - Stage 1



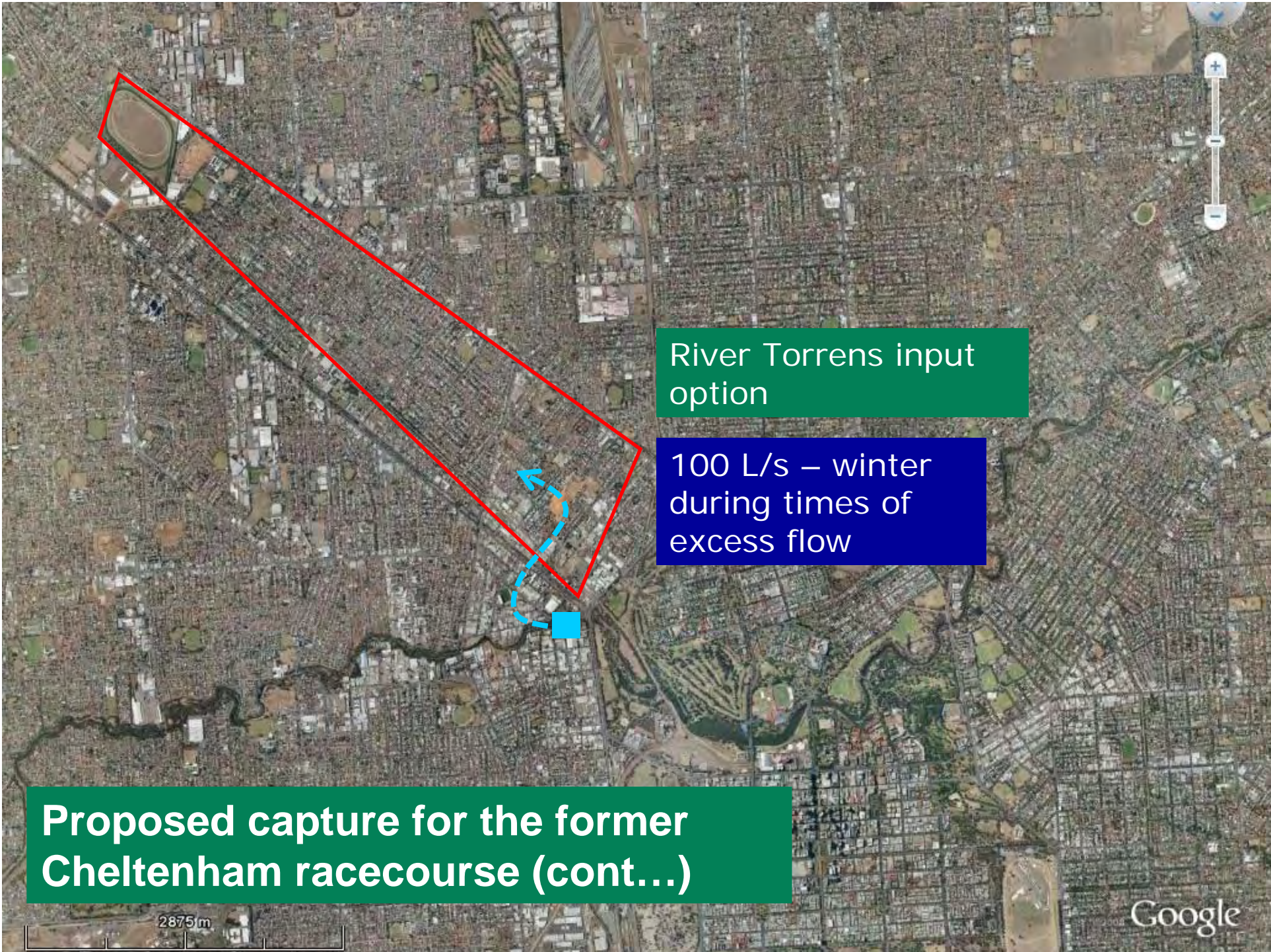


Development catchment

Torrens Road catchment option

Eastern catchment option

Proposed capture for the former Cheltenham racecourse



River Torrens input option

100 L/s – winter during times of excess flow

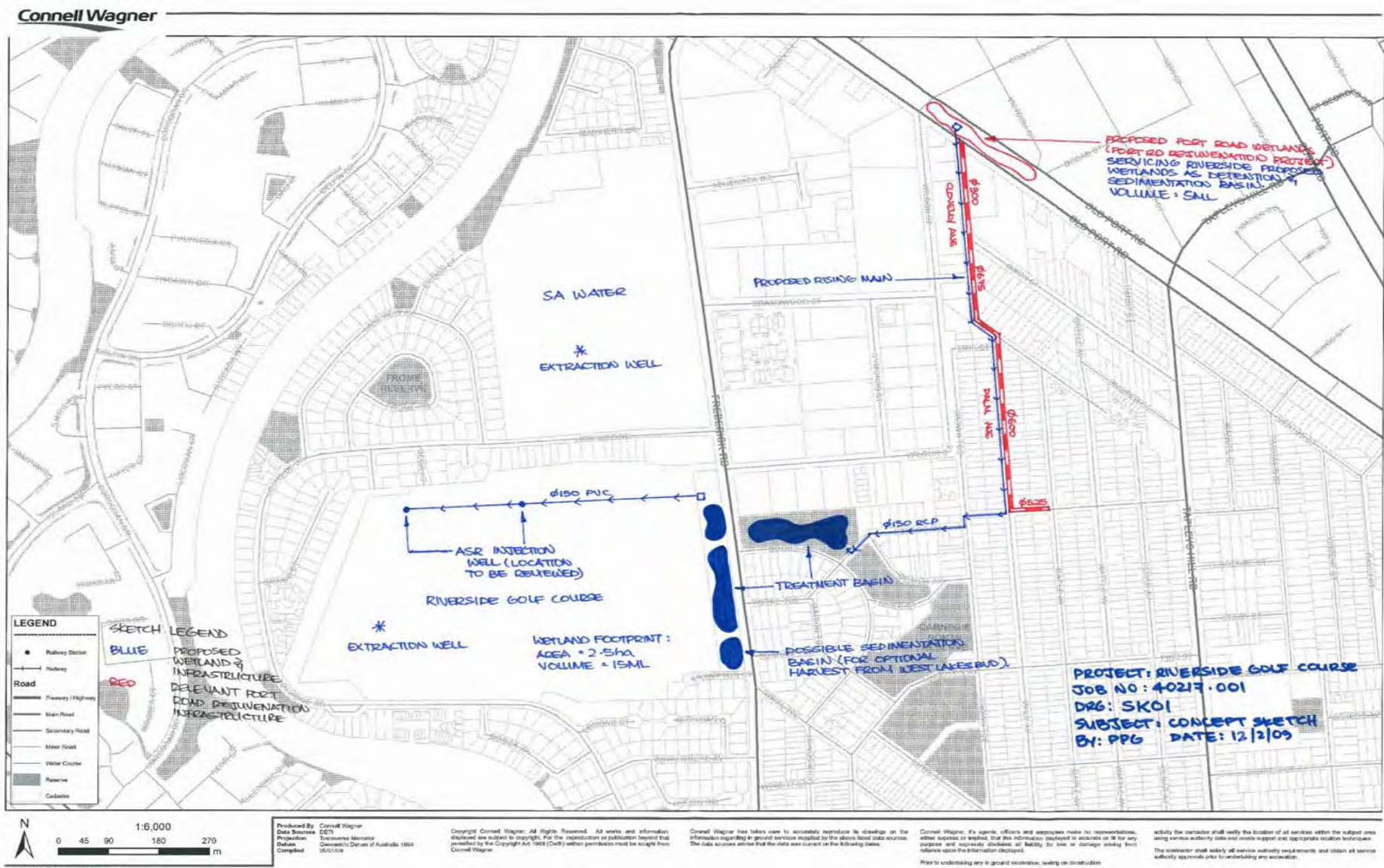
Proposed capture for the former Cheltenham racecourse (cont...)

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# Old Port Road - Cooke Reserve - Riverside Golf Course



**WATER PROOFING THE WEST - STAGE 1 - STORMWATER HARVESTING AND REUSE SCHEME**

**CHELTENHAM, OLD PORT ROAD, RIVERSIDE, RIVER TORRENS DIVERSION & THE RING MAIN**

**Notes:**

Anticipated notification for Round 1 (30 June 2009) to successful applications September to November 2009

Target works to commence February 2010

Project Works to be completed by 30 June 2013

Contributions are to occur over: July 2009 - June 2010

July 2010 - June 2011

July 2009 - June 2012

July 2009 - June 2013

Contingencies (i) 30% built into capital items plus (ii) overall project contingency of 10%

**STAGE 1 COST CONTRIBUTIONS**

PREFERRED SCHEME - COMPONENTS		Supply Capacity approx 2.4GL/annum		PREFERRED SCHEME - ITEMS							
		\$		\$							
Cheltenham	....	19.5		Included Capital Components	....	38.5					
Old Port Rd - FM only	....	9.6		Excluded Capital Items	....	9.8					
Old Port Rd - SW Harvest	....	7.2		Design/Project Management	....	4.8					
Riverside	....	6.9		Contingencies	....	5.5					
Ring Main & Storage	....	8.9	+			<u>58.6</u>	Million				
SW Diversion from River Torrens	....	1.0									
Contingencies	....	5.5									
		<u>58.6</u>	Million								
CONTRIBUTION	Harvesting	Flood Mitig	Total	% Cont	PROJECT ITEMS in \$m	Cheltenham	Old Port Road	Riverside	Whole Scheme	TOTAL	
	\$	\$	\$								
Australian Government	20.00		20.00	34.1	Wetlands & Detention	7.88	4.59	1.97		14.44	
Cheltenham Developer	5.20		5.20	8.9	SW Diversions	1.72		2.16	1.00	4.88	
Charles Sturt (to Cheltenham)	4.80		4.80	8.2	Distribution Mains	4.16			8.40	12.56	
Charles Sturt (to Old Port & Rest)	8.10	2.60	10.70	18.3	SW Drainage Upgrades		9.58			9.58	
Port Adelaide Enfield (to Old Port Rd)	1.35		1.35	2.3	ASR Wells and Pumps	3.44	1.68	1.49		6.61	
State Government (OWS & LMC)	7.35		7.35	12.5	Contingency/Design/PM/Other	4.31	2.71	1.74	1.77	10.53	
NRM Board	2.00		2.00	3.4							
Natural Disaster Mitigation Program		1.20	1.20	2.0							
Stormwater Management Authority		6.00	6.00	10.2							
	<u>48.80</u>	<u>9.80</u>	<u>58.60</u>	100	TOTALS	<u>21.51</u>	<u>18.56</u>	<u>7.36</u>	<u>11.17</u>	<u>58.60</u>	

# Questions?

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