

Kurnell Community Update, 24 June 2022



Dear Kurnell Community,

Thank you for your continued patience and cooperation, as with your support we have finalised remediation works, following overflow of the wastewater treatment plant at the Ampol Kurnell Terminal on Thursday 7 April 2022.

Remediation works completed

Remediation works in public areas are now complete. The results of the validation testing shows that remediation has been successful, and most of the results are already available on the Ampol website or will be made available shortly.

Replacement driveway works for private residences continues for Zone 1 (the area north of Torres Street / Captain Cook Drive roundabout). Watering of newly laid turf will also continue.

For the area on the western side of Captain Cook Drive and south of Bridges Street, known as Zone 6, a management plan has been put in place for the small amount of remaining contamination that cannot be removed without causing further impact. This location is among tree roots and the monitoring plan will involve an arborist. The area has been covered with clean soil and fresh grass and there is no ongoing risk to the community.

Girl Guides Hall

On the eastern side of Captain Cook Drive between Torres and Solander Streets, we were also pleased to complete works to deliver an access ramp and driveway at the Girl Guides Hall (pictured right).



Also complete is the reinstatement of a section of the embankment and railing along the northern side of Solander Street (Zone 4).

Kurnell Shopping Village

Beautification works at the Kurnell Shopping Village are also now complete. New plants and mulch have been added to the garden.



Temporary Traffic Disruption

To complete remediation works for a small number of private residences, there will be temporary footpath and traffic diversions along Captain Cook Drive and Torres Street in the coming weeks. To minimise local community impacts, the contractor will be installing alternate access. Where necessary there will also be traffic controllers to assist pedestrians and traffic.

Community Working Groups

Thank you to those community members who have volunteered to be part of our three Community Working Groups (CWGs). Each of the three CWGs will focus on a specific topic that the Kurnell community has identified through recent engagement as a key issue:

- Community / "Brand Kurnell"
- Emergency Management
- Remediation, operation and monitoring

These meetings will commence over the coming weeks, and we look forward to keeping you updated on outcomes as we move forward. WSP has been engaged to provide a chairperson and secretariat services for the CWGs. The Chair will seek to guide the CWGs to achieve productive outcomes within six months. It is envisioned that beyond December 2022, ongoing engagement between Ampol and the community of Kurnell will be via **one** regular and ongoing Community Working Group.

Questions and feedback

If you have any feedback or questions about the clean-up and remediation program, please contact our community relations team on:

Phone: **1800 719 669** (available 24/7)
Email: community@ampol.com.au

Regards,



Ampol Community Relations Team

INDEPENDENT HUMAN HEALTH RISK ADVICE FOR THE COMMUNITY

Ampol has appointed EnRiskS, human health risk specialists to support the community by providing independent human health risk advice.

If you have any queries or concerns about health risks related to the wastewater overflow incident on 7 April 2022 and subsequent soil or water sampling, please contact **Dr Jackie Wright or Therese Manning from EnRiskS on 0474 654 144 (during business hours).**