

MEDIA RELEASE

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Official Opening of the Cowangs to Bauloora Pipeline

followed by

Demonstration of GWCC Data Acquisition Network

with officiating guests

**Senator Fiona Nash &
Minister Katrina Hodgkinson**

Date: Wednesday 9 October, 2013, at 10.30am

Venue A: 16-18 Bradman Street, Cootamundra.

Venue B: 84 Parkes Street Temora.

Cowangs to Bauloora Pipeline

The Cowangs Reservoirs to Bauloora Reservoirs Pipeline Replacement Project is a major construction project replacing pipeline that was initially installed in the 1930's to supply water westwards from the Murrumbidgee River to Harden, Young, Cootamundra, Temora, Ardlethan and West Wyalong.

The \$16 million project was supported by a \$7.5 million grant funded under the Australian Government's Water for the Future initiative.

GWCC Data Acquisition Network

- Coverage area will include all constituent councils of GWCC (22,000km²)
- Stage 1 trial phase completed with successful data capturing of water meter activity (has indicated GPS ability)
- Data monitoring in areas of: Sewerage, Reservoir Levels, Stormwater Management, Asset Tracking, Parks and Reserves, Waste Management, Live Forecasting of attendance at major events (Tracking of incoming traffic).

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