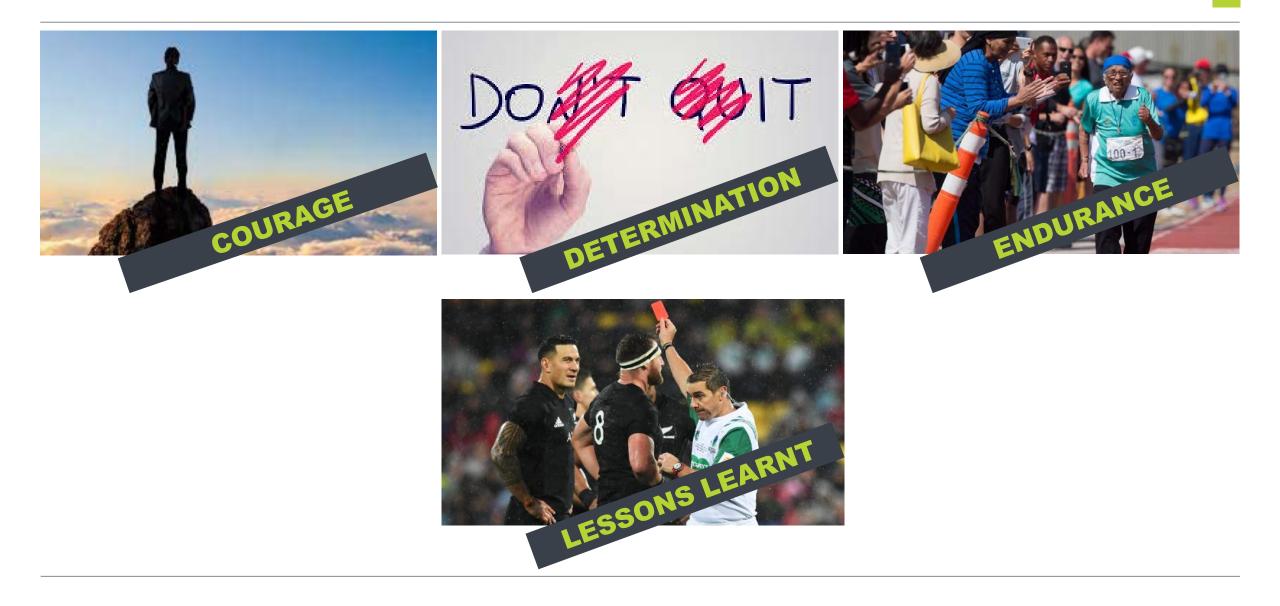
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MT ISA UPGRADE - A STORY !







STORY LINE









PROJECT STAGES

Stage 1 Network Upgrade

- Reduce network overflows
- Increase conveyance capacity
- New rising mains and pump stations

Stage 2 WWRP Upgrade

- Comply with EA limits
- Achieve Class A Recycled Water
- New Tertiary Treatment and Upgrade Secondary Treatment

Stage 3 Effluent Reuse

- Supply Class A recycled water for irrigation
- Increase irrigation efficiency through automation

THE ORIGINAL PLANT

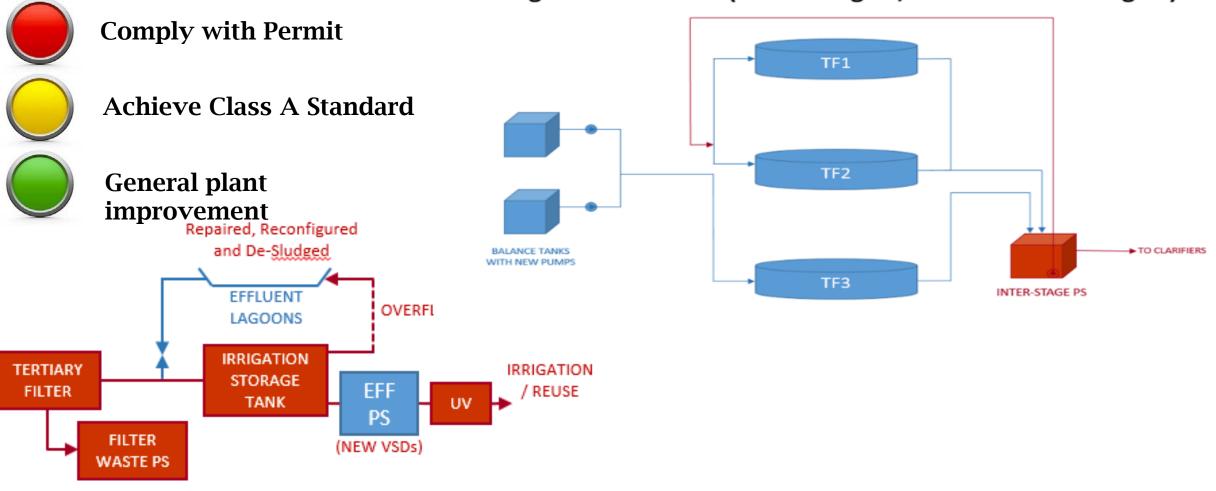




INLET SCREEN – A TRIAL

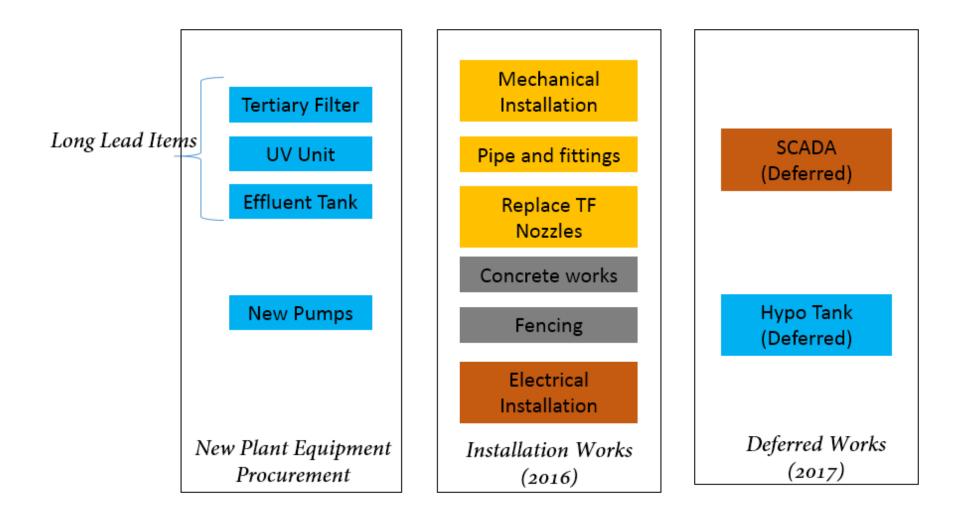


PLANT UPGRADE

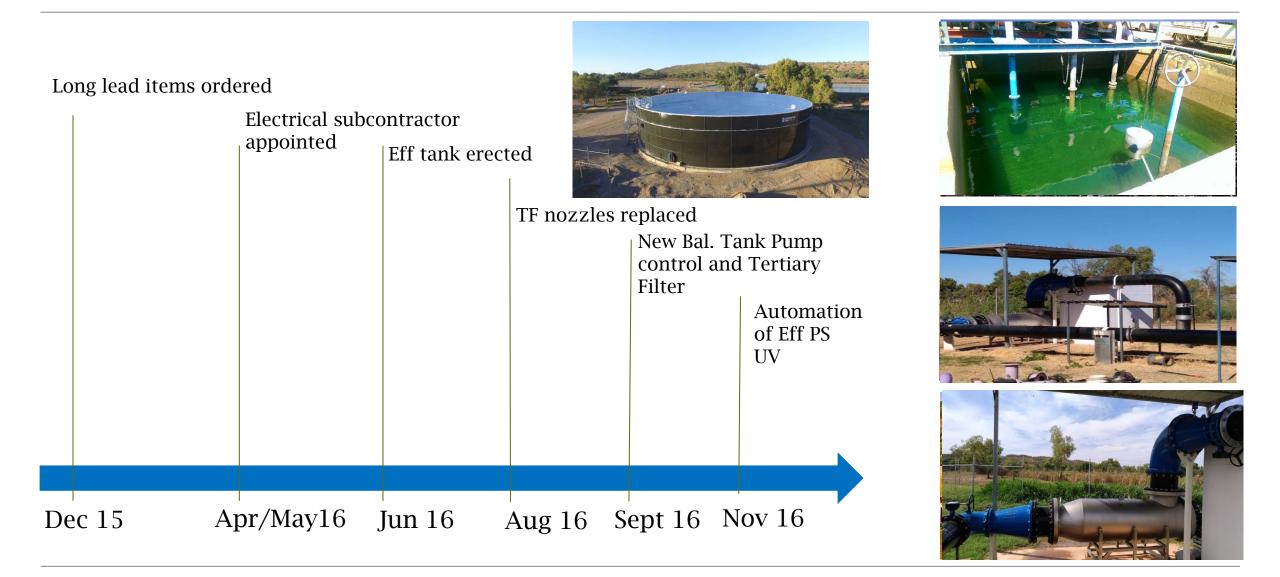


Trickling Filters in Series (TF3 as Stage 1, TF1 and TF2 as Stage 2)

PROCUREMENT PACKAGES (AS OF EARLY 2016)



PROJECT DELIVERY – PART 1 (2016)



PROJECT DELIVERY – PART 2 (2017)

SCADA tender awarded

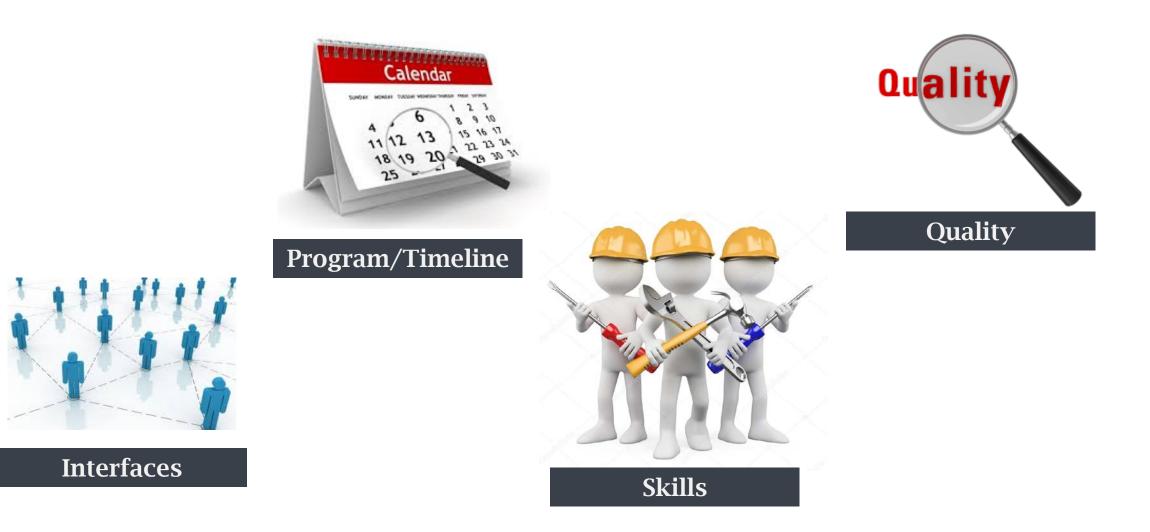
| | | Eff PS replacement Approved Irrigation Field Actuators Ordered Plant PLC and instruments ordered | | | | | |
|--------|-------|--|---------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | Commissioning of new Eff Pumps, Irrigation automation, Plant PLC and SCADA | Fine-tuning of Irrigation System and SCADA snags | | |
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EFFLUENT QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

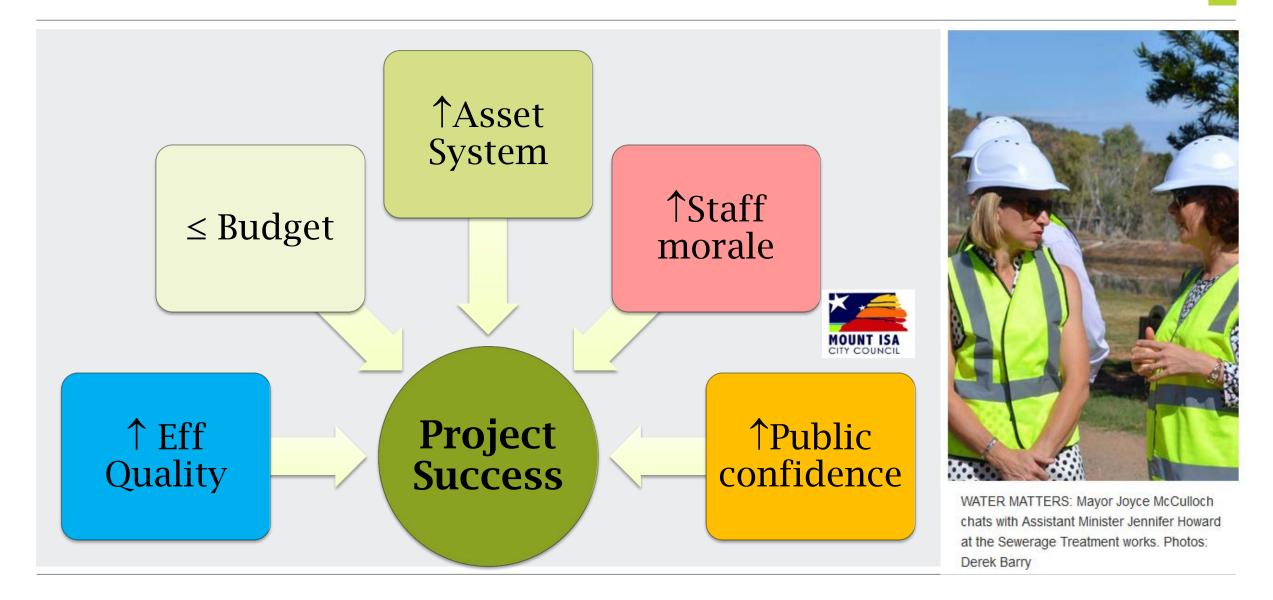
| PERIOD | FINAL EFI | FLUENT QUA | COMMENTS | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|----------------|------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | cBOD ₅ (mg/L) | TSS (mg/L) | AmmN (mg/L) | E COLI. (CFU/100mL) | | | | | |
| Pre-Upgrade (Jan15-Aug16) | 25 | 43 | 30* | 640 | *Clarifier effluent samples, instead of pond effluent | | | | |
| Post-Upgrade (Nov16 - Jun17) | 3 | 3.5 | 4 | <1 | UV outlet samples | | | | |
| COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS | | | | | | | | | |
| EA Limits | <10 | <10 | - | <100 | Mean values | | | | |
| Class A Recycled Water | - | - | - | <10 | Mean values | | | | |

| Item | Amount |
|---|--------|
| WWRP Stage 2B Budget Cap | \$5.2M |
| Actual Cost - Secondary Upgrade/Electrical (Bal. Tank Pumps, Trickling Filter and Inter-Stage PS) | \$1.6M |
| Actual Cost – Tertiary Upgrade (Tertiary Filter, Irrigation Tank, UV and Eff Pump VSDs/Pump Automation/instrumentation) | \$2.5M |
| Actual Cost – 2017 (hypochlorite, irrigation automation, SCADA, Centralised PLC) | \$1.1M |

LESSONS LEARNT AND CHALLENGES



OUTCOMES



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QUESTIONS

