
NARROMINE SHIRE COUNCIL
ORDINARY MEETING BUSINESS PAPER – 14 SEPTEMBER 2022
REPORTS TO COUNCIL – INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENGINEERING SERVICES

1. WORKS REPORT

Author	Director Infrastructure and Engineering Services
Responsible Officer	Director Infrastructure and Engineering Services
Link to Strategic Plans	CSP – 4.3.4 Ensure Council's property assets are monitored and well managed

Executive Summary

This report provides information regarding works undertaken for the given period in regards to both operational and capital works.

Report

The Works Report (**Attachment No. 1**) for the period 3 August to 7 September 2022 is presented to Council for information.

Financial Implications

Council has provision for these services in its Operational Budget.

Legal and Regulatory Compliance

Local Government Act 1993
Roads Act 1993

Risk Management Issues

Nil

Internal/External Consultation

Nil

Attachments

1. Works Report

RECOMMENDATION

That the information be noted.

2. NARROMINE CEMETERY TREES

Author	Director Infrastructure and Engineering Services
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Link to Strategic Plans	CSP – 4.3.4 Ensure Council's property assets are monitored and well managed

Executive Summary

The purpose of this report is to obtain approval from Council to commence with public consultation regarding the replacement of approximately 34 Kurrajong Trees with Water Gums (*Tristaniaopsis Laurina*).

Report

Council has received a request to have the Kurrajong Trees at the Narromine Cemetery replaced with Water Gums (*Tristaniaopsis Laurina*). Currently the existing Kurrajong trees are unsightly, not in a proper tree avenue and could pose a threat to nearby graves and roads due to its root system. Water Gums have been planted at the Trangie Cemetery, since the previous trees experienced irrecoverable stress due to the previous drought.

Therefore, it is recommended that Council consult with the broader community with regards to the future of the Kurrajong Trees via public exhibition.

Financial Implications

1. The removal of approximately 34 trees could cost in the order of \$34,000, while the cost of planting of a Water Gum could be in the order of \$9,000. (which includes tree purchase plus planting). This amount will be confirmed after completion of the public exhibition.
2. Other trees such as the Jacarandas or palms could be identified for removal during the public exhibition period, which could increase costs.
3. These works have not been budgeted and funds would be sourced from the unrestricted cash reserves.

Legal and Regulatory Compliance

Local Government Act, 1993

Risk Management Issues

1. Trees will have to be removed by a qualified contractor to prevent damage to grave sites.
 2. If existing Kurrajong trees are left, then could cause further damage to roads and graves.
 3. Council will determine if there is any significant value (cultural, sentimental, etc) attached to these trees
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2. NARROMINE CEMETERY TREES (Cont'd)

Internal/External Consultation

Executive Leadership Team

Community consultation will be required to determine any future requirements.

Attachments

Attachment 2 – Aerial Map of Narromine Cemetery and Photograph of Water Gum

RECOMMENDATION

1. That Council considers the report.
2. That a consultation process be prepared and implemented to determine the future of the Kurrajong Trees at the Narromine Cemetery.

3. ROAD OPENING AND CLOSURES TOMINGLEY GOLD OPERATIONS PTY LTD

Author	Director Infrastructure and Engineering Services
Responsible Officer	Director Infrastructure and Engineering Services
Link to Strategic Plans	CSP - 3.6 Our road network is safe, well maintained and appropriately funded. CSP – 4.4 Sound Partnerships are encouraged and fostered.

Executive Summary

This report is presented to Council to consider the opening and closure of the Newell Highway, Kyalite Road, Back Tomingley West Road and McNivens Lane under the Roads Act, 1993 as a result of the mining extension at Tomingley.

Report

Council has been approached by Tomingley Gold Operations Pty Ltd regarding the re-alignment of Newell Highway, Kyalite Road, Back Tomingley West Road and McNivens Lane. It is a requirement to go through a road opening and road closure process in terms of the Roads Act, 1993 to realign these roads.

As the roads are classified as public roads, Council is the owner of these roads. Transport for NSW generally construct and maintain state roads, and is therefore not the asset owner.

As part of the road opening and road closure process, extensive consultation and surveys would be required and the procedures set out in the Roads Act, 1993 should be followed. Tomingley Gold Operations Pty Ltd is responsible for the required land acquisitions and registrations.

While detailed plans of the realignments have not been finalised yet, it is anticipated that only minor changes would be required and that formal processes would commence once detailed survey plans and designs have been submitted to Council.

**3. ROAD OPENING AND CLOSURES TOMINGLEY GOLD OPERATIONS PTY LTD
(Cont'd)**

Financial Implications

All costs associated with the Road Closures and Road Openings will be for Tomingley Gold Operations Pty Ltd.

Legal and Regulatory Compliance

Parts 2 and 4 of the Roads Act 1993 provides for roads to be opened and closed.

Risk Management Issues

Risks will be re-assessed and mitigated as they emerge during the consultation process.

Internal/External Consultation

Consultation with Transport for NSW
Executive leadership team
Tomingley Gold Operation Pty Ltd consultation processes
Infrastructure and Engineering Section

Section 38B of the Roads Act 1993 requires notification of the proposal to close Council roads.

Attachments

- Locality map and proposed realignments of the affected roads (**Attachment No. 3**)

RECOMMENDATION

1. That Council commences and proceeds (with the assistance from Tomingley Gold Operations Pty Ltd) with the following road opening and closure applications, in terms of the Roads Act, 1993 as indicated on the attached plans:
 - a) Newell Highway;
 - b) Kyalite Road;
 - c) Back Tomingley West Road; and
 - d) McNivens Lane

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Attachment No. 1

	<p>MONTHLY WORKS REPORT 7 SEPTEMBER 2022</p>	<p>Infrastructure and Engineering Services Narromine Shire Council Tel: 02 6889 9999 Fax: 02 6889 9998 mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au</p>
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Road and Park users are to proceed with caution at all work sites and observe work signs to ensure safety. Speed zones are enforceable with possible short delays.

For all enquiries, please contact Council's Infrastructure and Engineering Services Department on 6889 9999

URBAN ROADS	Narromine - Maintenance
Various Streets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pot hole patching and drainage. Unblock drains in wet weather, major repair Dandaloo Rd and Derribong Street and town streets

URBAN ROADS	Trangie - Maintenance
Various Streets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pot hole patching and drainage. Unblock drains in wet weather, major repair at the front of St Augustine's Catholic School, and town streets

URBAN ROADS	Tomingley - Maintenance
Various Streets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nil

UNSEALED ROADS NETWORK	Maintenance – Map 1
Various Unsealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wilsons Lane, Ellengerah Rd – MTC Grade

UNSEALED ROADS NETWORK	Capital
Various Unsealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morris Rd, Cornucopia Rd, Woodleigh Rd – Resheeting, Fixing Country Roads

UNSEALED ROADS NETWORK	Capital – Storm/Flood Funding Repair – Map 2
Various Unsealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heavy Patching – Ewenmar Bridge Trangie-Collie Rd Pineview Rd and Merrinong Rd - MTC Grade and Resheet

UNSEALED ROADS NETWORK	Biosecurity
Various Unsealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spraying - Gainsborough Rd

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SEALED ROADS NETWORK	Maintenance
Various Sealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heavy Patching – Eumungerie Rd, Trangie-Collie Rd, Warren Rd • Emergency work between Alison Road and Strathallyn Lane • Drainage improvements on Tomingley Rd, Tantitha Rd, Haberworth Lane, Tullamore Rd

SEALED ROADS NETWORK	Capital
Various Sealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oaks Bridge realignment

SEALED ROADS NETWORK	Biosecurity
Various Sealed Roads	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spraying - Tullamore Rd, Tomingley Rd, Tantitha Rd Mitchell HWY, Webbs Siding Rd • Inspections – Trangie-Collie Rd, Old Warren Rd, Trangie – Dandaloo, Willydah, Tomingley Rd, Tomingley West Rd, Peak Hill Railway Rd

SWIMMING POOLS	
Narromine Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed • Managed by Contractor
Trangie Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed • Managed by Contractor

PARKS & OPEN SPACE NETWORK CBD Gardens, Parks Ovals, Villages	
Narromine CBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ongoing vegetation management
Narromine Parks & Reserves	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance and mowing • Weed control in all small parks ongoing
Narromine Sports Grounds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance, spraying and mowing • Pre and Post season renovations i.e. top dressing, fertilizing
Narromine Streets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance • Street sweeping continues • Replacement street trees ongoing

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PARKS & OPEN SPACE NETWORK CBD Gardens, Parks Ovals, Villages	
Trangie CBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance and weed control • Vegetation mowing and slashing continuing
Trangie Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance and mowing
Trangie Sports Grounds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance, spraying and mowing • Pre and Post season renovations i.e. top dressing, fertilizing
Trangie Streets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance • Street sweeping weekly on Tuesdays • Replacement street trees ongoing

PARKS & OPEN SPACE NETWORK CBD Gardens, Parks Ovals, Villages	
Tomingley Village	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance by contractors

AERODROME	
Narromine Aerodrome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance

BUILDING MAINTENANCE	
All Buildings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance as required
Vandalism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graffiti continues in both Narromine and Trangie
Narromine Medical Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance as required
Council Administration Buildings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance as required

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES	Narromine
Rotary Park Public Toilets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet facilities cleaned daily • Planning for new toilets has commenced
Burraway Street Public Toilets (adjacent to Pool)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet facilities cleaned daily
Manildra Street Toilets (Saleyards)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet facilities are open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and are cleaned daily
Wetlands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet block secured and cleaned daily

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES	Trangie
Argonauts Park Public Toilets (Goan Waterhole)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet facilities cleaned every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
Dandaloo Street Public Toilets (adjacent to Bakery)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet facilities cleaned every Monday, Wednesday and Friday
Burns Oval Toilets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toilet facilities cleaned every Monday, Wednesday and Friday
Trangie Truck Stop	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checked daily with a main clean every Tuesday and Thursday and either late Saturday or Sunday morning over weekends
Trangie Truck Wash	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detailed design phase commenced.

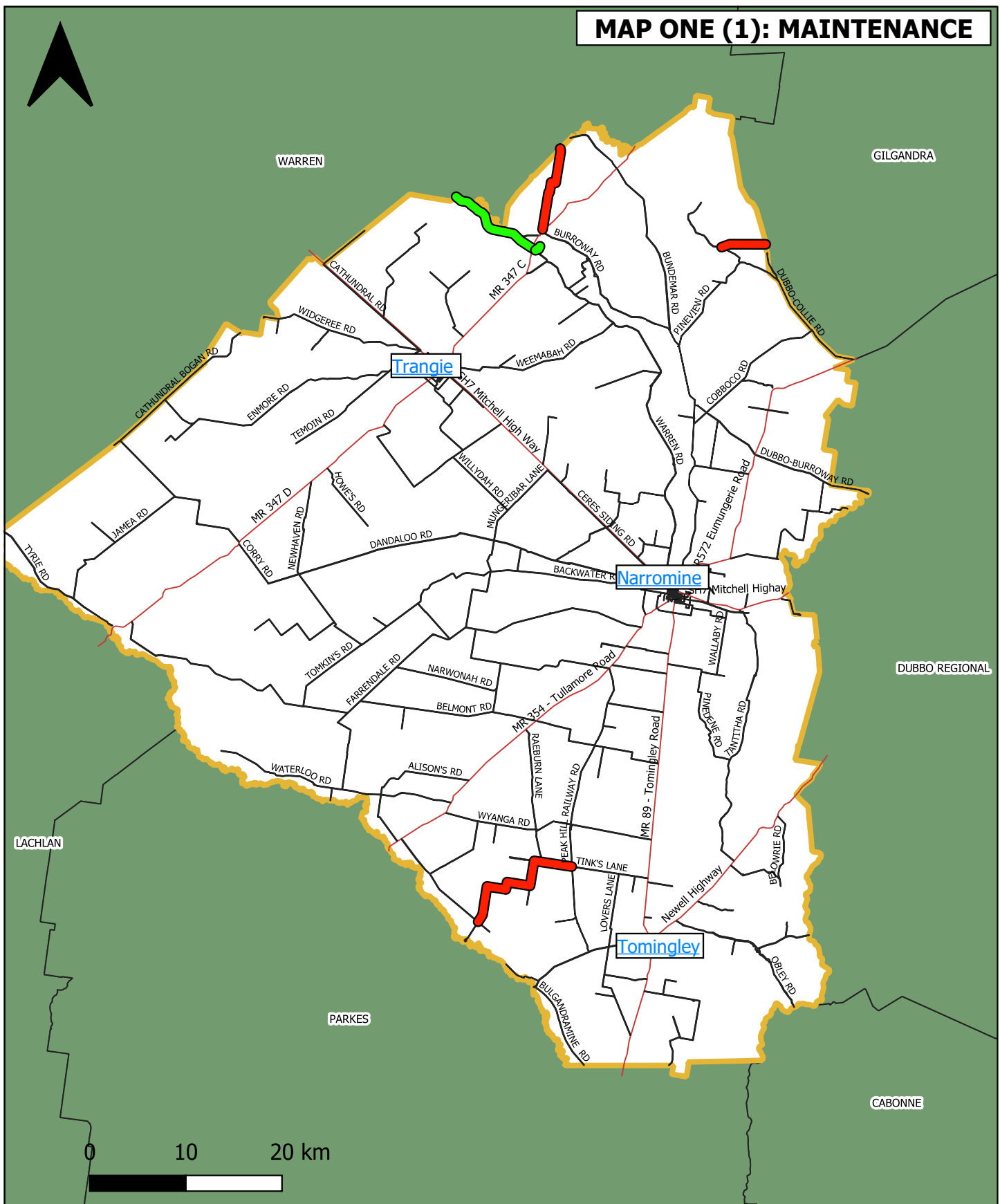
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CEMETERIES	
Narromine Cemetery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance, mowing and weed spraying • Topping-up of subsiding graves continues
Trangie Cemetery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General maintenance, mowing and weed spraying • Topping-up of subsiding graves continues

WATER AND SEWER	
Narromine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff continue daily operational Drinking Water Quality Testing as required by legislation • Staff continue reticulation system maintenance • Staff have continued the regular service maintenance programs for the Narromine sewage pumping station network
Trangie	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff have continued with reticulation maintenance • Staff continue regular sewer pump station and STP system maintenance as required • Staff continue daily operational Drinking Water Quality Testing as required by legislation
Tomingley	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular maintenance at the old water treatment plant

MAP ONE (1): MAINTENANCE



Narromine Shire Council

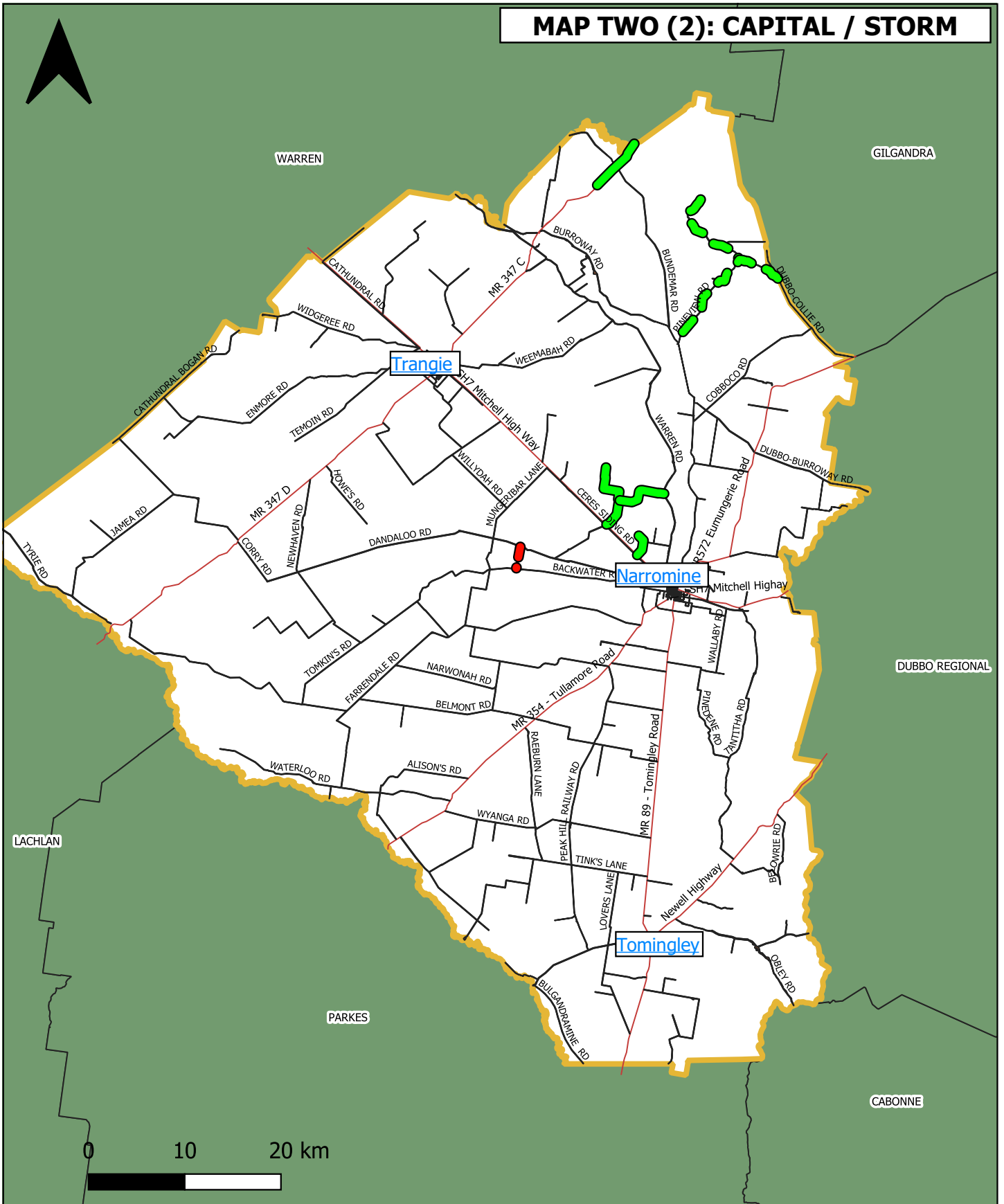
 July	 November	 March
 August	 December	 April
 September	 January	 May
 October	 February	 June















Note - the roads highlighted are visual purposes only and may not be the exact location of work

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MAP TWO (2): CAPITAL / STORM



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	July		November		March
	August		December		April
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Note

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- Storm / Flood work is dashed

Attachment No. 2



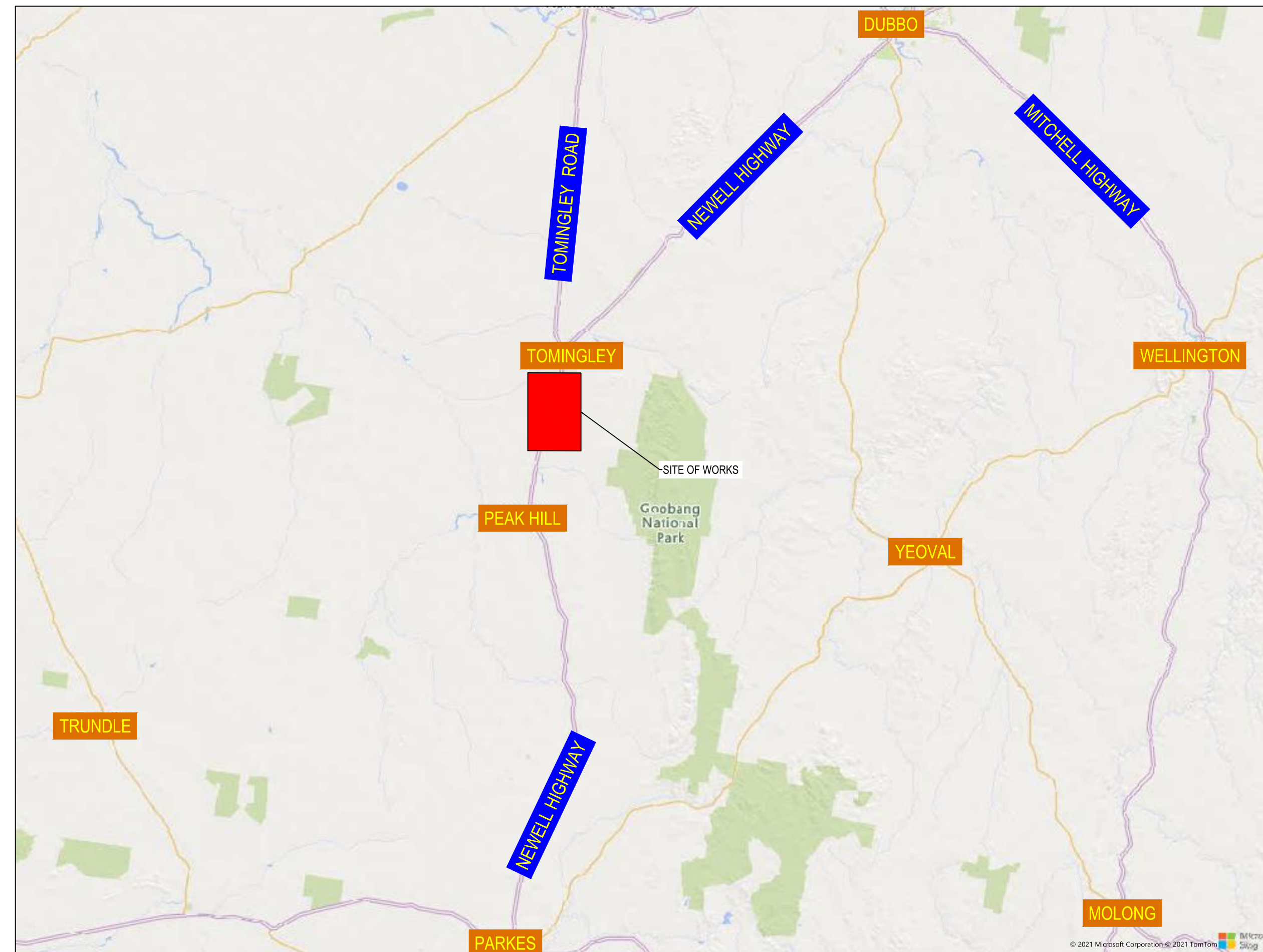
Map 1: Aerial view of the Narromine Cemetery. Highlighted area indicates where trees are to be removed.

Attachment No. 2



Photo 1: Example of a Water Gum.

HW17 NEWELL HIGHWAY PROPOSED DEVIATION COUNCIL ROAD REALIGNMENTS 56.3KM TO 64.1KM NORTH OF PARKES DETAILED DESIGN DRAWINGS



LOCALITY PLAN

ROAD SHEETS		
ROAD	ALIGNMENT	SHEET SET
BACK TOMINGLEY WEST ROAD	MC10	1000
KYALITE ROAD	MC20	2000
McNIVENS ROAD	MC30	3000

SIGNATURE BOXES
TO BE DETERMINED

REV	DATE	REVISION DETAILS	APPROVED
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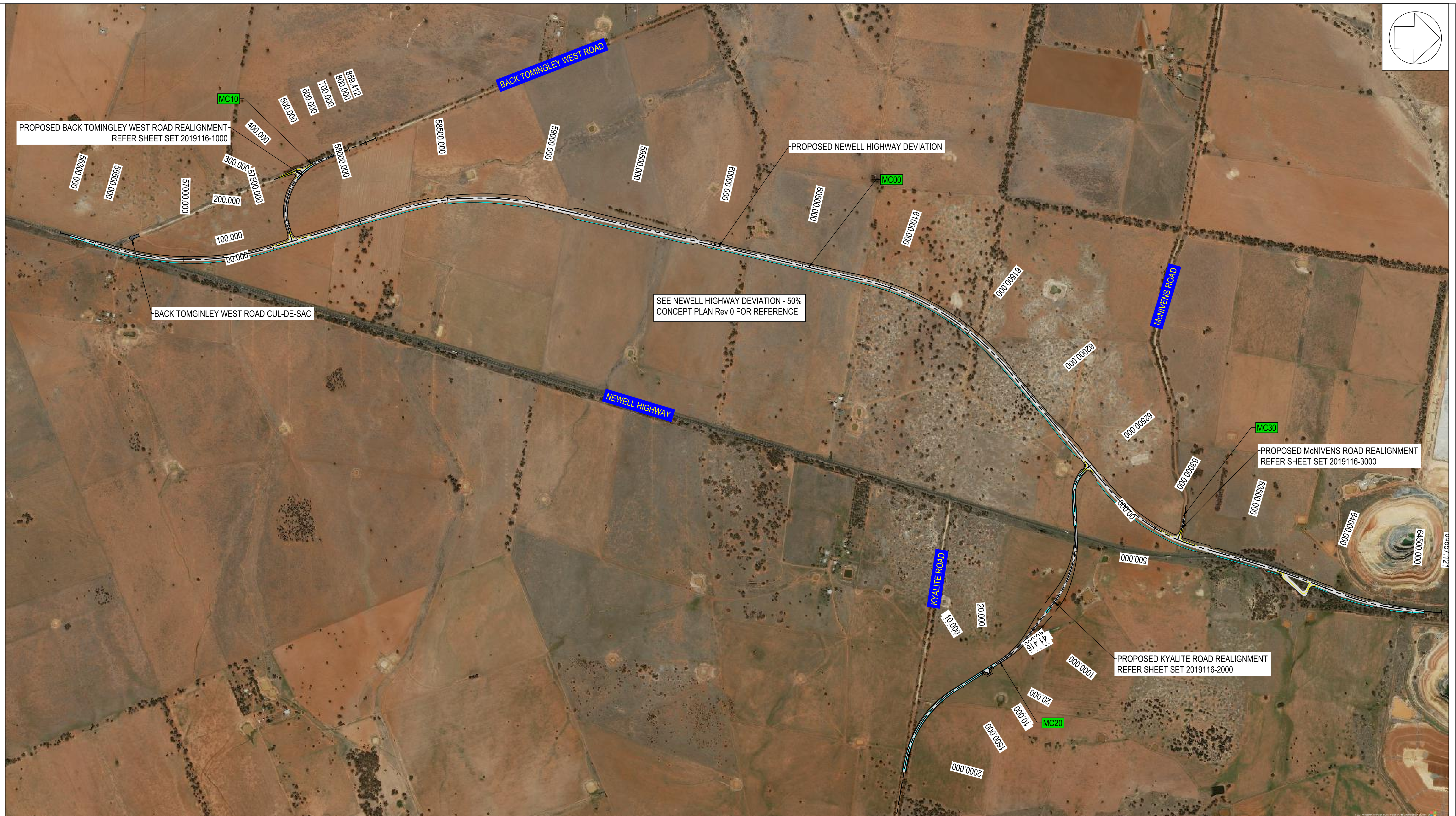
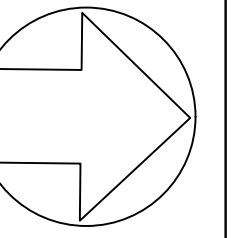
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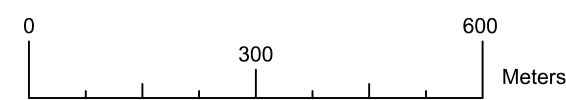
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