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Dear Resident/ Business Owner,

**Former Goulburn Gasworks Project Update
Commencement of Secant Pile Wall Construction to Support Remediation**

Jemena is currently undertaking remediation works at the former Goulburn Gasworks site located at 1 Blackshaw Road, Goulburn and the Council-owned adjacent foreshore area.

The historical gasworks-related operations and waste disposal activities have contaminated the soil and groundwater at the site as well as extending off-site in groundwater to the east of the site along part of the foreshore of Mulwaree River. As such, remediation of the former gasworks site and adjacent foreshore area has commenced.

From mid-February through to July (weather and site conditions pending), work will be undertaken to construct the 'secant pile wall' which is designed to allow excavations of contaminated material to depths of 9 meters below ground level and will also limit future groundwater movement off-site. Construction of the secant wall requires drilling of 110 metres of piles which will include the pumping of concrete into the piled hole. Once the drilling commences, it cannot cease without risk to the strength and integrity of the pile.

As such, Jemena has applied for approval from the Goulburn Mulwaree Council to extend working hours on Saturday from 8 am – 1 pm to 7 am – 5 pm to facilitate the effective construction of the secant pile wall.

The works are managed by Jemena's contractor Enviropacific Services, supported by many local suppliers and contractors. Work completed to date includes; site mobilisation including clearing and installation of environmental controls, construction of concrete hardstand for the odour control enclosure and soil treatment area as well as the water treatment plant.

If you have any questions or want to know more, please contact us on 1800 571 972 during business hours or email goulburn@jemena.com.au.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation during this important remediation project.

Yours sincerely



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