

McPhillamys Gold Project



Project Update

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Protecting local streams and bores

Looking after bores and streams is critical to the McPhillamys Gold project—on our land and beyond.

A major advantage of our project is that we will be using excess and reused water from Springvale, brought to the site via a 90km pipeline from Lithgow. So, we won't be competing with neighbouring landowners for local water supplies.

For the past four years Regis has monitored surface water and groundwater in and around the project area to collect baseline water data, before operations start.

This means we can accurately monitor any potential impacts during the life of the project—and take action to mitigate any issues.

Working with our neighbours

Importantly, our water monitoring includes groundwater and bore water on neighbouring properties.

We measure things like water quality; salinity and chemical levels; and the interaction of surface and groundwater flows.

Belubula survey

Following discussions with neighbours at the 2018 and 2019 Open Days, Regis is extending monitoring further downstream on the Belubula River. A number of property owners along the Belubula are participating in the monitoring and the results will be shared with these landowners.

This additional monitoring will improve understanding regarding the flow of the Belubula River (e.g. when it flows, when it dries up); the location of springs, and the water quality of springs and bores.

Below: (Left) McPhillamys bore water monitoring station and (right) Regis staff working on water and environmental monitoring, Sarah Parfett and Jess Grivas



If you'd like to know more about McPhillamys water monitoring, or any other aspect of the project, please get in touch. You can contact me or Chris Roach at our office in Blayney (details below). As always, we're here to work with you to ensure a good result for this community.

Regards,
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