Water and Wastewater Sub Committee Report

March 20, 2016

Correspondence was sent to Minister Niall Blair requesting a follow-up meeting to discuss options for the connection of sewerage for Scotland Island. The quote for the cost of the project developed by Sydney Water was requested.



A meeting with Minister Blair has been granted and will occur late March or early April. The costings developed by Sydney Water were received but with no detail.

The SIRA policy governing the supply of emergency water prevents the sale of water to a minor. The policy is that the sale of water can only be to members of SIRA who must be over 18 years of age. Recently a resident of Scotland Island, temporarily living alone and a minor requested emergency water. The current policy needs to be addressed to ensure that members of the community are able to obtain water with the full knowledge that it is unpotable.