



Securing our water future

Our customers have told us that securing a reliable water supply is a top priority. We're responding with targeted investments to protect long-term access to safe, sustainable water across Tasmania.

We'll invest **\$367.7 million** in PSP5, including major dam upgrades and treatment plant improvements to improve water security outcomes across the state. Our goal is to reduce the number of customers affected by water restrictions **from 16.5 per cent to less than 3 per cent by 2030**.

In addition, safe drinking water remains one of the most important services we provide — and our customers consistently tell us it's a top priority. We've achieved 100 per cent microbiological compliance for the past six years, and we're committed to maintaining this strong performance.

We will invest **\$65.1 million** in PSP5 to maintain and improve drinking water safety. This includes treatment plant upgrades and new water treatment barriers.

We will also help customers use water more efficiently, it is essential for long-term sustainability. By reducing demand, we can delay costly system upgrades, protect our water sources, and respond to the challenges of a changing climate. Our Water Future Community Advisory Panel strongly supported this, recommending more education, incentives, and support to help customers save water.

We're aiming to reduce average residential water use from **217 litres to 170 litres per person per day by 2030**.

What we'll invest in:

\$143.8 M

Upgrading the Ridgeway Dam

\$97.1 M

Upgrading the Pet Dam

\$22.6 M

Upgrading the Blackman River Dams

\$10 M

Improving water treatment barriers for St Marys

\$9.8 M

Improving water treatment barriers for Kunyanyi/ Mt Wellington catchments

\$7.9 M

Upgrading the Adventure Bay Water Treatment Plant

\$6 M

Upgrading the Bridport Water Treatment Plant

\$1.6 M

Upgrading the Campbell Town Water Treatment Plant

\$1.3 M

Upgrading the Roseberry Water Treatment Plant

\$400 k

Water saving devices

\$13.5 M

Regional Towns 4 Program (Upgrades to the Bothwell, Tullah, Oatlands, Yolla, Ellendale and Dover water treatment plants.

What we'll do:

Upgrade our infrastructure

- Upgrade high-risk dams at Ridgeway, Pet, and Blackman River
- Improve treatment plants at Lake Fenton, Adventure Bay, Bridport, Mathinna, and Tunbridge
- Strengthen system connections, including the Waverley Pump Station and Mt Leslie to Upper Brougham pipeline
- Secure future water licences and allocations
- Investigate new supply options for Orford, Triabunna, and Lady Barron
- Progress planning for the North-West Water Supply Strategy

Water Conservation

- Continue investing in water conservation campaigns and education programs
- Help customers monitor and manage their water use to lower bills
- Provide subsidised water-efficient products and water audits for vulnerable customers
- Promote recycled water as a sustainable alternative for non-drinking uses
- Work with state and local governments to design and deliver water-saving programs