

Applications to vary WIC Act licences for North Cooranbong Scheme

17 June 2022

1 Topic

Altogether Cooranbong Water Pty Ltd (Altogether Cooranbong) and Altogether Group Pty Ltd (Altogether Group) have applied to vary their network operator's licence (15_033) and a retail supplier's licence (13_001R), under the *Water Industry Competition Act 2006* (NSW) (the WIC Act)

The applications are for the North Cooranbong Scheme which currently provides drinking water, recycled water and sewerage services to the scheme's residential and commercial customers, in the City of Lake Macquarie local government area.

IPART is seeking comments from stakeholders as part of our assessment of Altogether Cooranbong and Altogether Group's applications.

2 Background

The North Cooranbong Scheme collects sewage from homes and businesses and treats the sewage to produce recycled water to be distributed back to homes and businesses through a recycled water reticulation network. The scheme also supplies drinking water from Hunter Water's drinking water network at the bulk supply point at Wainman Drive and delivers it to customers.

Altogether Cooranbong and Altogether Group have applied:

- to add new end-uses for recycled water (general washdown, street cleaning and use of process water at the recycled water treatment plant), and
- to expand the network and retail licence area of operations to supply recycled water, drinking water and sewerage services to additional customers.

Refer to attached maps for the existing and proposed areas of operation. Further information is included in the application.

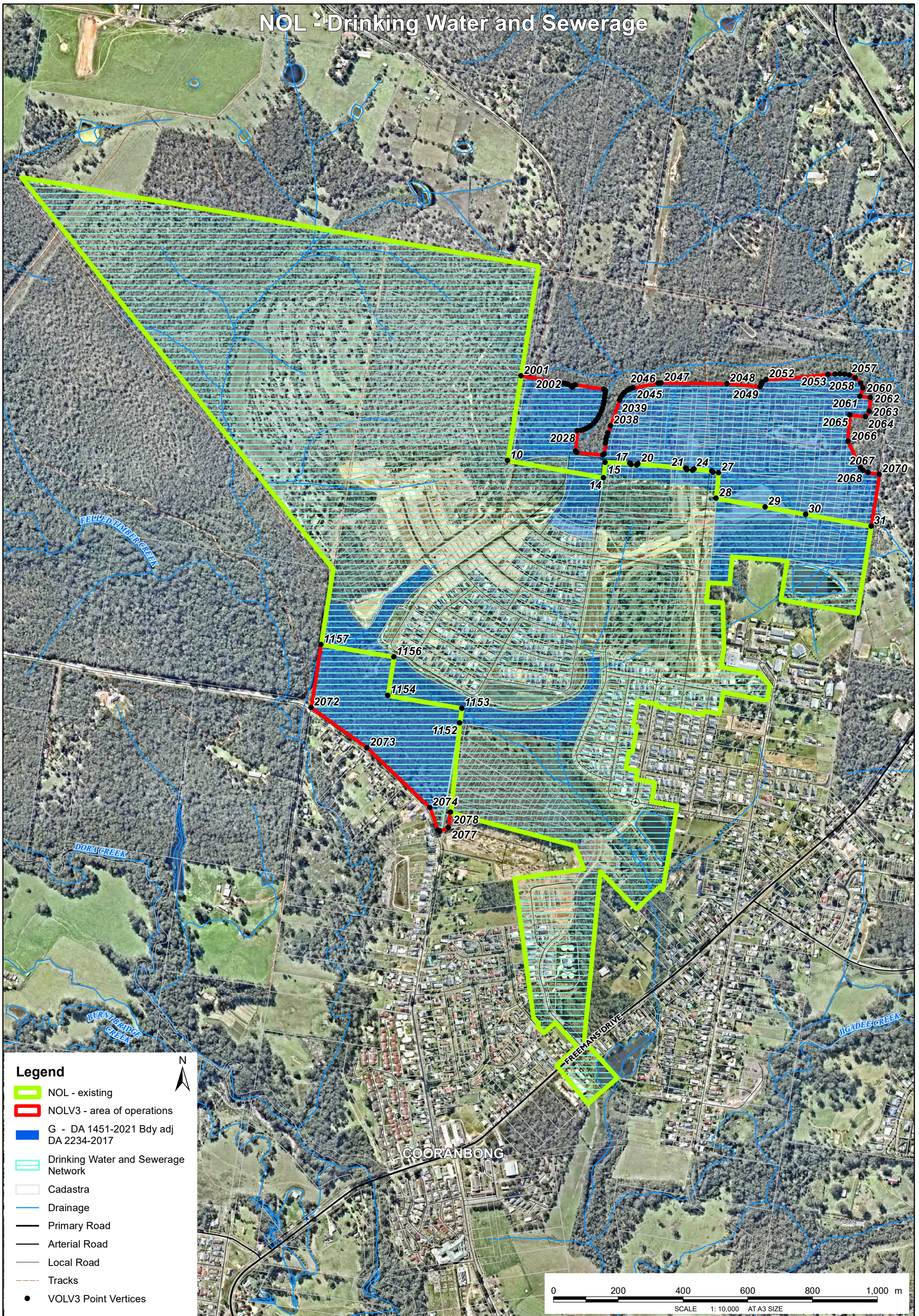
3 Submissions

Information about the proposed variation to the North Cooranbong scheme is available on our website.

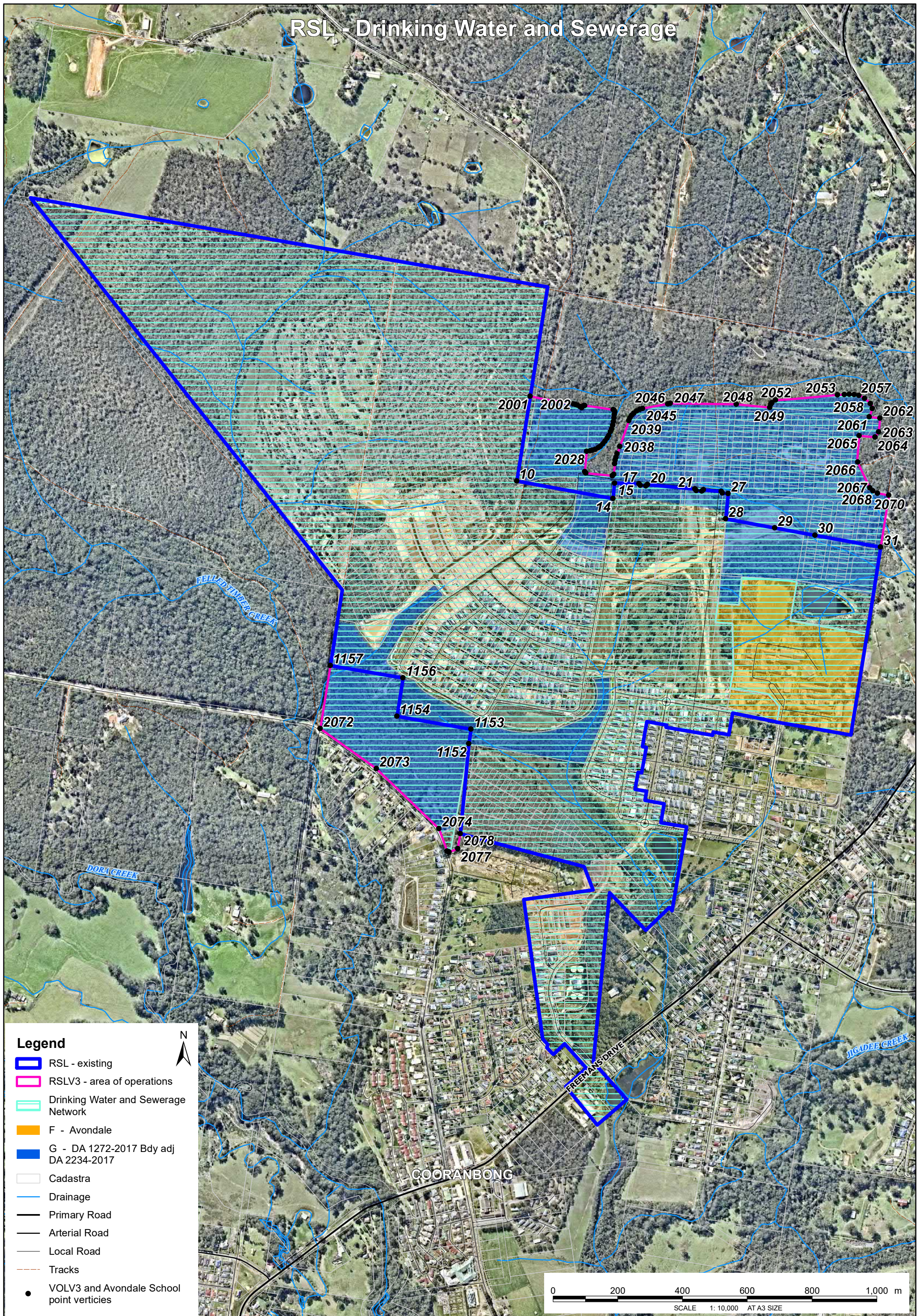
Tell us what you think about the licence application, by using the [Have your say link](#) on our website. Submissions close on 25 July 2022.

We will consider the licence applications and how they meet the licensing criteria and principles of the WIC Act. We will also consider all stakeholder submissions. Our report to the Minister will summarise our assessment of the variation applications and any submissions.

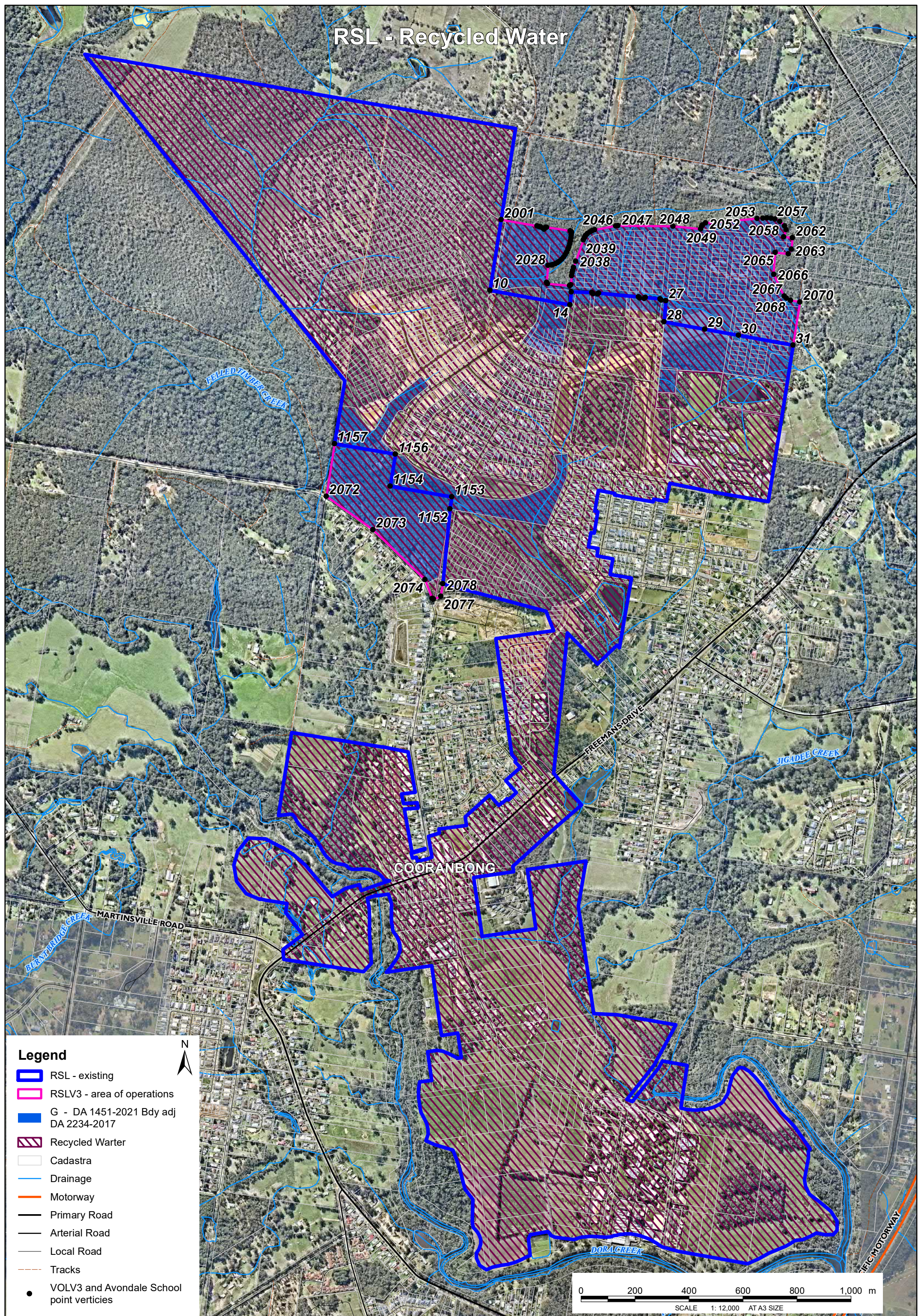
NOL - Drinking Water and Sewerage



RSL - Drinking Water and Sewerage



RSL - Recycled Water



Legend

- RSL - existing
- RSLV3 - area of operations
- G - DA 1451-2021 Bdy adj
DA 2234-2017
- Recycled Water
- Cadastra
- Drainage
- Motorway
- Primary Road
- Arterial Road
- Local Road
- Tracks
- VOLV3 and Avondale School
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