



WATER AND RIVERS  
COMMISSION

YOUR REF  
OUR REF 14195  
ENQUIRIES Steve Chase  
DIRECT TEL 92780429

Sharon Davies  
Lot 11 Lance St  
Mt Helena WA 6082

Dear Ms Davies

Thankyou for your letter on 27 June, 2001 regarding the Mundaring Wastewater Treatment Plant. The issues you raised have been forwarded to the Water Corporation for response as they mainly relate to issues under their responsibility.

You also requested our comments on the "Fact Sheet" handed out to councillors prior to the Council meeting. The "fact sheet" is the Shires summary of details surrounding this issue. The Commission believes the sheet accurately portrays these details. Accordingly, the Commission has no comment to make on it.

The Commission was involved in the process which arrived at the approval of the pipeline extension. Our aim was to ensure that the proposal did not threaten water quality and present usage of Jarrah Creek. During this process, we requested that the Water Corporation seriously consider longer term options, as direct discharge of waste water into Jarrah Creek is only considered a temporary solution. The Water Corporation indicated they will evaluate alternative solutions for waste water disposal from this facility in the future.

I trust the Water Corporation will address your concerns adequately.

Yours sincerely

Steve Chase  
Water Resource Planner  
Water Quality Protection Branch

6 July 2001