

STAFF REPORT

TO: Chairman & Members, Engineering Services Committee

FROM: Jeff Cuthbertson

REFERENCE: W203

DATE: 1 March 2005

SUBJECT: Dovedale Rural Water Supply

PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to inform the Engineering Services Committee of the request to place a moratorium on the sale of further units of water from the Dovedale water supply.

COMMENTS

The Dovedale Water Committee met on 28 February 2005 and have requested that Council place a moratorium on the sale or allocation of any further water from the Dovedale water supply.

The supply of water to some consumers on the scheme this summer has been very difficult.

Due to these difficulties, the Committee wishes to have the water reticulation modelled to assess the problem supply areas and areas where water is available.

RECOMMENDATION

That a moratorium be placed on the Dovedale rural water supply until further notice.

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