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PFAS Airports Investigation Program

Jandakot Airport Community Aviation Consultation Group (CACG) update

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- Environmental Resources Management (ERM) is the contaminated land specialist leading the Program investigation at Jandakot Airport.
- Investigations under the Program typically take approximately two years to complete.
- The department has engaged JBS&G Australia Pty Ltd to independently audit the investigation to ensure compliance with relevant regulations, national guidelines, and best practice. The Site Auditor is an accredited contaminated land auditor in Western Australia.
- ERM has prepared the Preliminary Site Investigation report for Jandakot Airport, which is currently under review by the department and the Site Auditor.
- ERM has also prepared Sampling and Analysis Quality Plans to determine the nature and extent of PFAS in soil and groundwater, as well as potential migration pathways off the airport site.
- The department is committed to engage with relevant state agencies to support the technical review of Program investigation deliverables. We have reached out to WA Government to confirm which agencies are best placed to provide technical input.
- The initial fieldworks are scheduled to commence in September 2024, following department and Site Auditor review and endorsement of the Sampling and Analysis Quality Plans.
- An information line and email have been established to provide the public with information about the investigation:
 - Community information line: 1800 343 181
 - Email: jandakot.investigation@erm.com
- Regular investigation updates will be published and can be accessed from the Jandakot Airport website Notice Board.
- The department will continue to provide quarterly Program updates to the Jandakot Airport CACG.