

Press Release

REMONDIS Australia retains ACT Government contract

ACT, 9 October 2023, REMONDIS Australia – REMONDIS Australia will continue providing major waste management services in the Australian Capital Territory for at least another five years, having retained the ACT Government contract for landfill operations.

This will see REMONDIS continue delivering general operations and landfill management services at Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre and Mugga Lane Quarry at Symonston, the ACT's main disposal sites.

For the first time, the management of both sites has been streamlined under one contract, enabling better cost and operational efficiencies.

Ongoing obligations include running the sites in line with world's best practice, ensuring that safety, efficiency and environmental responsibility are priorities. This principle is aligned with REMONDIS's global focus on maximising diversion from landfill, re-use, recycling and resource recovery.

The Mugga Lane site receives materials permitted through ACT Environmental Authorisation rules, including putrescible and hazardous waste. Mugga Lane Quarry receives VENM (Virgin Excavated Natural Material), ACM (Asbestos Containing Material) and BRU (Beneficial Re-use Material).

As part of the contract REMONDIS has committed to investing in a new compactor, dozer, excavator and many other pieces of new equipment.

REMONDIS is also tasked with operating and maintaining multiple Territory-owned waste management assets including an environmental data collection and management system, a truck wheel-wash system and a leachate pumping station.

Expanded reporting conditions will take compliance to a new level.

"REMONDIS enjoys a successful working relationship with the ACT Government and the extension of this contract is testimony to our expertise and local commitment," **Susie McBurney**, REMONDIS Australia's Executive General Manager – Operations, said.

"We will continue drawing on our extensive global knowledge to ensure the best possible outcomes at these ACT sites."

REMONDIS has operated both sites since acquiring Thiess in 2012 and has options to extend operations at each site for separate one year terms beyond the contract expiry in 2028.

The tender opened in December 2022 and closed in February this year.

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REMONDIS is one of the world's leading privately run recycling, service and water companies with around 1,000 business locations in over 30 countries and across three continents. Founded in 1934, this family-run business employs more than 40,000 people and generates a turnover of €12.6 billion (2022). Each year, it processes about 30 million tons of recyclable materials and provides services for local authorities, small and medium-sized businesses and industrial firms as well as for around 30 million people. Operating in many different fields of business, REMONDIS makes an important contribution towards protecting the environment and conserving natural resources – from recovering valuable raw materials from industrial and household waste, to producing high quality recycled raw materials, all the way through to transforming non-recyclable materials into a range of different fuels. Moreover, the company is increasingly helping to advance the switch from fossil fuels to renewables by using biomass as a source of energy. REMONDIS sees itself as an adviser and point of contact for industrial, commercial and retail businesses as well as for local authorities as it helps them to find regional and bespoke solutions. REMONDIS is part of the **RETHMANN Group**, which includes SARIA, Rhenus and Transdev and operates in over 60 countries. **REMONDIS Australia** commenced operations in 1982 and now has 900+ employees servicing more than 24,000 customers nationally.

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