

Hunter Water Corporation

Construction Inspection by Accredited Design Consultant (minimum requirements)

ltem no.	Inspection activity	Minimum frequency
1	 WHS inspection Check the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's compliance with the Safety Management Plan. Observe, monitor and report on the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's work on the project site for compliance with the Work Health and Safety Act and Regulations. This report should include, but is not limited to: reviewing the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's Safety Management Plan reviewing the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's Safety Management Plan reviewing the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's Safety Management Plan reviewing the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's Safe Work Method Statements site inductions traffic control measures workers' PPE public safety trench support working at height overhead hazards confined spaces, and incident reporting process 	Per site inspection
2	 Environmental inspection Observe, monitor and report on the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's work on the project site for compliance with the Environmental Management Plan. This report should include, as applicable: reviewing the licensed plumber's or Accredited Construction Contractor's Environmental Management Plan Reviews of Environmental Factors sediment and erosion controls noise/vibration/dust controls disposal of test water property access temporary pedestrian pathways acid sulphate soil treatment plans spoil stockpiling and disposal plans working within approved hours, and working in and around sensitive waterways 	Per site inspection



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3	Construction inspection	
3.1	Observe, monitor and check implementation of Inspection and Test Plans, including:	Single site inspection
	 verification of test results release of hold points/witness points close out of all non-conformance reports, and respond to and close out Requests for Information from the licensed plumber or Accredited Construction Contractor 	
3.2	Observe and verify the supplied pipework and fittings comply with the design drawings, the relevant WSAA codes and Hunter Water's Approved Products and Manufacturers Register.	Single site inspection
3.3	Observe and verify the supplied pipework and fittings are compliant and fit for purpose.	Single site inspection
3.4	Observe and verify the supplied bedding and trench fill material comply with WSAA codes and the design and standard drawings.	Single site inspection
3.5	Observe and verify the trench backfill has been compacted to the level specified in the design drawings.	Single site inspection
3.6	Observe and verify the thrust blocks are constructed in accordance with the design drawings, including:	Single site inspection
	 minimum bearing area is correct soil conditions are acceptable formwork is acceptable, and concrete complies with the specified type, strength and design mix 	
3.7	Observe and verify the trench stops/bulkheads are constructed in accordance with the design drawings.	Only if included in design
3.8	Observe and verify the grade of the laid sewer pipe is in accordance with the design drawings.	Single site inspection
3.9	Observe and verify the cover over the laid pipe is in accordance with the design drawings.	Single site inspection
3.10	Observe and verify the hydrostatic, pressure and vacuum testing results of completed works are in accordance with the design drawings and WSAA standards.	At completion of construction
3.11	Observe and verify surface restoration is compliant with the design, and the area has been restored to prior condition as far as practicable.	At completion of construction
3.12	Observe and validate the works are ready for connection to Hunter Water's network.	At completion of construction



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3.13	Observe and verify any road/rail/creek crossings are constructed in accordance with the design drawings, including, as applicable:	Only if included in design – single site inspection
	 correct pipe type and class correct line and level correct encasement pipe correct pipe embedment type backfill compactions tests verified crossing pavement type crossing pavement compaction tests verified 	
3.14	Observe and validate the works have been connected to the network in accordance with the drawings and a photographic record kept of the works.	At completion of construction