

Donaldson Coal Abel Mine CCC Meeting

9th September 2024



Abel Update

- Abel mine continues on Care and Maintenance
- Areas within Abel mine continue to be used by a third party (APA) for the *Kurri Kurri Lateral Pipeline Project*. Abel is being used to store pipes and for administration activities.
- The gas pipeline runs through the Abel/Donaldson site, roughly adjacent to the Hunter water pipeline. The section through Abel/Donaldson has been finalised.

Environmental Update

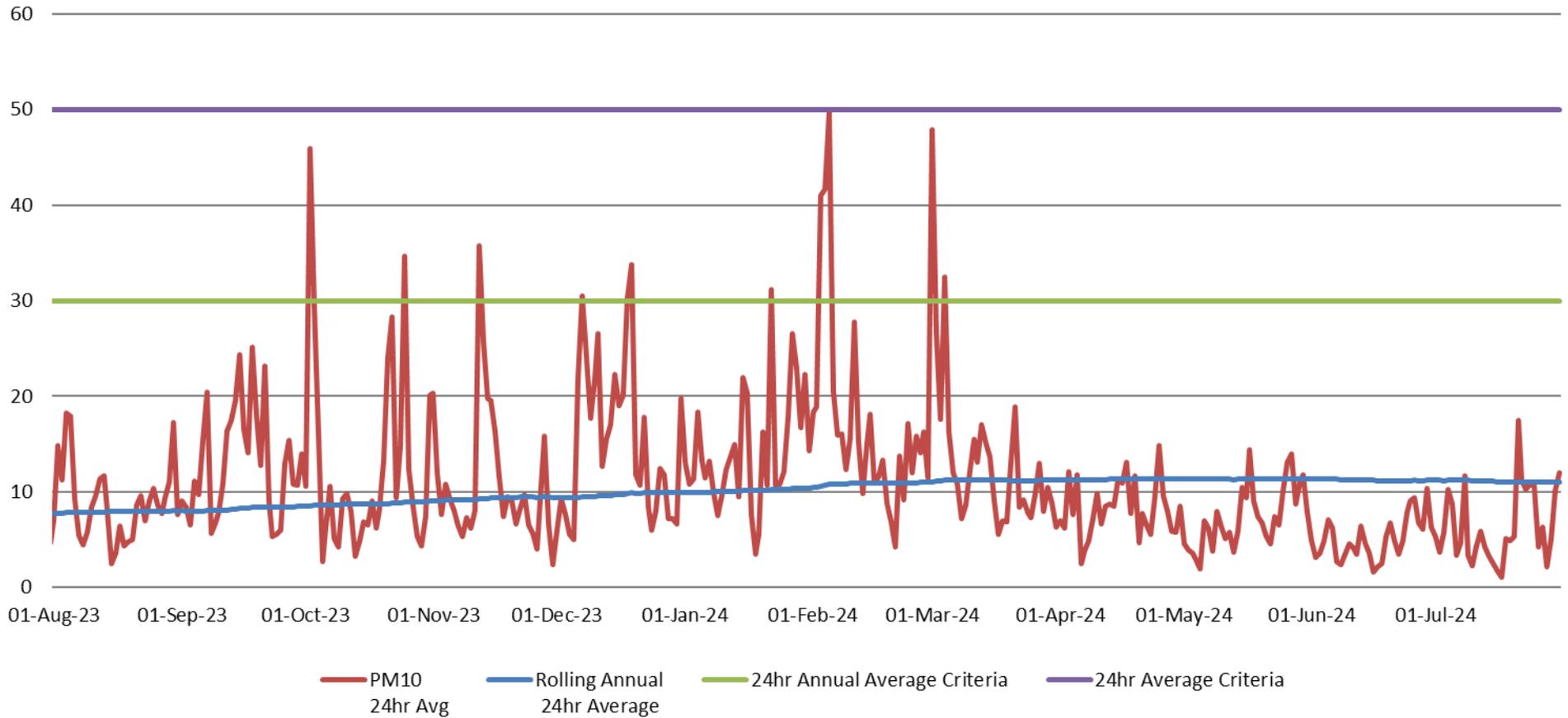
- No Community Complaints or Environmental Incidents since last meeting.
- The Environment Protection Licence (EPL) Annual Review has recently been submitted with 3 identified non conformances.
 1. Dust monitoring continuous recording disruption – power
 2. Surface water samples not collected due to dry sampling points.
 3. Ground water sample not collected due to restricted access.

Environmental Monitoring Update

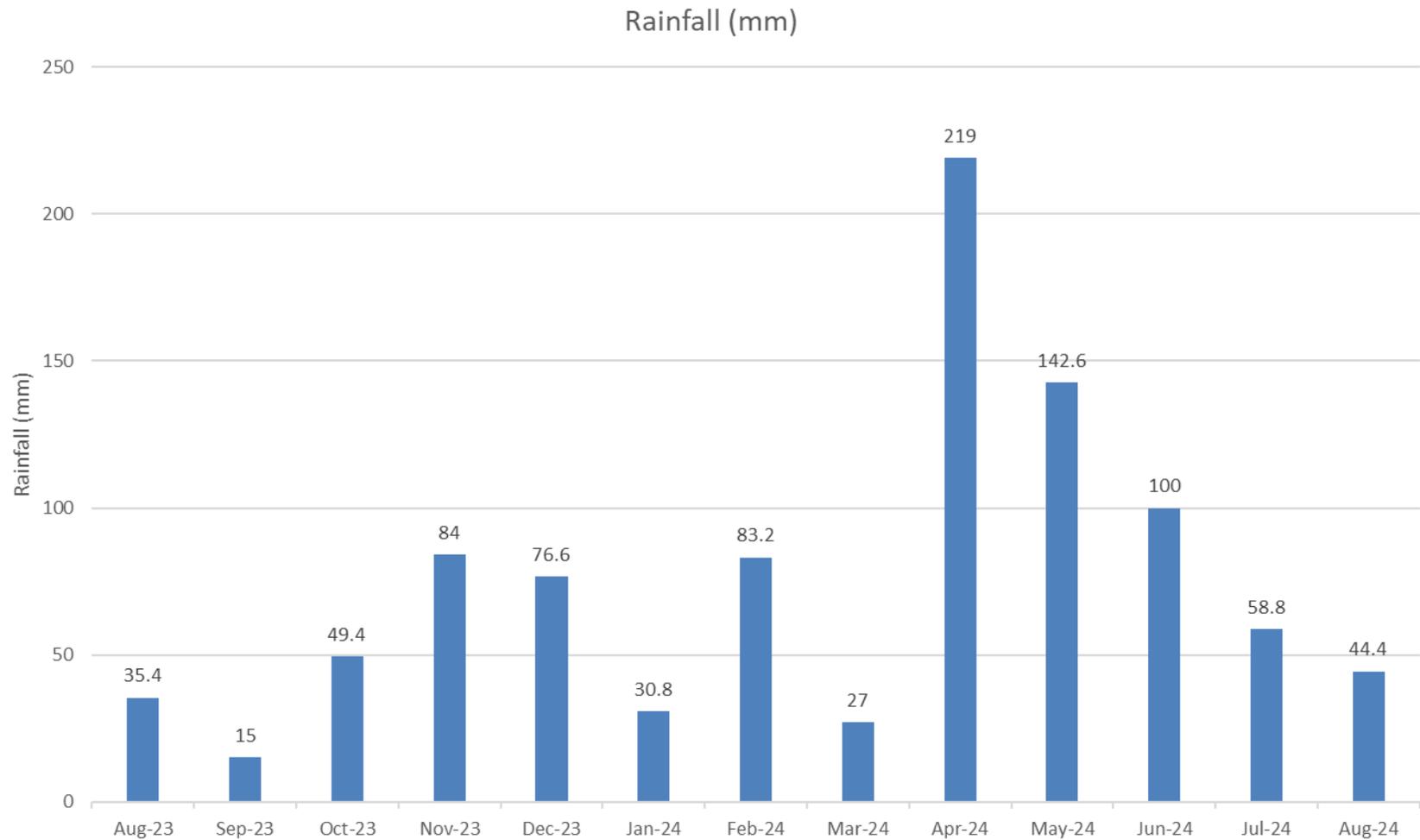
- Monitoring has remained consistent throughout the period with no additional monitoring taking place.
- A campaign to assess the rehabilitation status of historical exploration boreholes has occurred over the period with a number being signed off by the Resources Regulator as being rehabilitated.
- The Donaldson Coal website continues to be updated with relevant documentation regarding environmental monitoring data, management plans and annual reports.

Abel PM10 Monitoring

Black Hill School PM₁₀ E-Sampler



Abel Underground Coal Mine Rainfall – 2023/24



Property Update

- Inspections adjacent to Avalon Estate continue.
- Illegal access points continue to be blocked onsite.
- Some recent cable theft has occurred onsite and on neighbouring properties.

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