

An Update on Refurbishment of Minninup Cottages

22 June 2023

A lot of work has been done at Minninup Cottages since we last updated you. At the moment, we are looking at the beginning of the fresh refurbishments, with all demolition nearly complete.

Part of these works was the completion of all external clearing. This uncovered numerous old storm pipes which were well beyond their used-by date, which have all been replaced and upgraded to a high standard. There has also been formwork fitted for the wider footpaths and gardens, with a major concrete pour scheduled to start in the coming week.





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Internally, any trace of old asbestos has been removed, and the walls and ceilings have been replaced with new and secure cladding. We will soon see a complete paint inside, ready for all new cabinetry to be fitted and installed.





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Sadly, there has been some vandalism to the empty units. This is incredibly disappointing, as the purpose of this project is to support residents and provide housing options for the elderly. **If you see anything suspicious in the area, we ask that you report it to the local Donnybrook Police on (08) 9732 3333, and to the Shire on (08) 9780 4200.**



Outside of the site, the residents are keeping well and are regularly informed of the schedule and progression of works. They are eagerly looking forward to returning to their new residences as soon as they are ready.

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