

Cottesloe Peninsula Groundwater Restoration Project

The project involves the replacement of open sumps with seven new underground sumps and 280 new soakage pits throughout Cottesloe to trap and filter stormwater, and then replenish the Cottesloe groundwater aquifer with the treated stormwater. Utilising stormwater to replenish the groundwater enables the closure of 10 stormwater outfall pipes along the coast.

In addition to these measures, a public education programme will aim to reduce private groundwater use, decrease the installation of new private bores and reduce stormwater pollutants.

