

Holleran team makes it a hat-trick with more to come

Holleran is currently involved in three first time sewer schemes for Southern Water.

Worth in excess of £12m in total, projects at Bosham Hoe, Stonecross and Hambledon and Wormley highlight the drive by Southern Water to enable as many householders as possible to have access to main sewerage.

The two projects at Bosham Hoe and Stonecross are nearing completion with Hambledon and Wormley due for completion later this year. We are also about to start another similar project at Rushlake Green and this is due for completion later this Summer.

Households will shortly have access to main sewerage thanks to Southern Water investment



1,000,000 metres completed in Northern Ireland



Scott Williams, North Division Operational Director, recently attended a presentation held by Northern Ireland Water to celebrate the successful delivery of one million metres of water mains rehabilitation during the last four years. The Holleran-Lagan joint venture has completed approximately 500 kms of the total and since starting work on the project our health and safety record to date has been excellent.

The Northern Ireland Water Mains Project is a £96 million initiative which will upgrade more than 1,200 kms of water main. Holleran-Lagan has completed a number of individual schemes which have helped to upgrade a system that supplies 625 million litres of water each day to 1.7 million consumers.

Many parts of this infrastructure were over 40 years old with numerous failures leading to bursts, leaks and pressure problems. When complete this project will provide a water supply system that meets the rigorous standards set by the European Union.

Allenby/Connaught stays safe

Mark White's Division continues to receive safety awards and a further one has **Danny Martin, Steve Dodd** and **Chris Watson** commended for their attitude towards Health and Safety whilst installing the new 675mm and 750mm concrete surface water pipeline adjacent to the Basingstoke canal which runs close to St. Omer Barracks.

They were also commended for their work in protecting the surrounding environment whilst the works were being undertaken for our client, Veolia Water.



Safe in Northern Ireland

Holleran Site Agent, **Pat Rouse** was recently presented with the twice yearly Health and Safety Award for outstanding performance by our partner, Lagan Construction.

Holleran and Lagan make up the joint venture company responsible for undertaking this water mains rehabilitation project undertaken for Northern Ireland Water. Close co-operation between both companies and all of those on the project has resulted in an industry leading performance on health and safety throughout the contract period so far.

Holleran Operating Divisions

Holleran is split into four separate Operating Divisions. These are North, East/West, South and Rail.

Following a recent discussion within the Safety Circle it has been decided to use these SHEQ Bulletins to highlight the SHEQ performance in each Division on a rotational basis.

We hope to use this regular look at the performance of each Division to highlight best practice and help spread this to the other Divisions where appropriate.

Watch this space!

Our People

The Board is pleased to announce the promotion of two of our most successful Project Managers. From the 1st January 2009, **Scott Williams** and **Mark White** have taken on the roles of Northern Division Operations Director and East/West Division Operations Director, respectively.



Scott Williams joined Holleran as part of a TUPE transfer in 1997 and, in particular, his success in managing the Northern Ireland Water contract over the last five years demonstrates the opportunities that Holleran provides to the right people. Scott is responsible for a geographical area that covers the Midlands, Northern England, Scotland and the whole of

Ireland and he is now based mainly at our Bolsover Office. In the future, Scott is looking to raise turnover and expand the Division by building on the notable successes achieved to date.

Mark White has been running the impressive Allenby/Connaught multi-utilities project for the last three years and he is currently based at Tidworth. His area now also includes the current contracts with Three Valleys Water, Essex and Suffolk Water and individual projects at Bray and Beenhams Two. With nearly 200 directly employed staff and numerous subcontractors, Mark anticipates that there will be significant growth in the Region over the coming years and that the experience gained from the Allenby/Connaught contract can be used to benefit other Clients in the Region.



Safety Circle

The focal point for the recent Safety Circle meeting in January was our newly introduced initiative on recording near misses and then using this information to help identify potential risks that can be mitigated through preventative action and training across all of the work we undertake.

The Safety Circle meets quarterly and we expect to highlight this initiative to ensure that everyone involved works together to make our operating practices even safer.



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