



The Department of Mines and Petroleum (DMP) is responsible for ensuring the State's resources sector is developed and managed responsibly for the benefit of all Western Australians.

We know our business, treat people well and deliver on commitments

GOVERNMENT GOALS

Financial and economic responsibility

Social and environmental responsibility

DMP MISSION

Contribute to making Western Australia the destination of choice for responsible resource exploration and development

OUR SERVICES

Providing resources sector information and advice to industry, community and government

Provision of geoscience and policy information to the WA community and to attract investment

Managing land access for resources related activity to optimise return to the State

Provision of consistent, equitable and secure titles system through streamlined user-friendly processes

Responsible resources sector regulation

Risk-based adaptive approach to resources development and regulatory compliance to meet community expectations.

Context: This plan is undertaken in the light of changing economic, environmental and social expectations through a transparent and open approach to engaging stakeholders and supporting government decision making.

Key Challenges for DMP

Strategic Outcomes

Priority Activities

Continuing to build a trusted position with stakeholders

Engagement is valued by stakeholders and improves regulatory and promotional roles of DMP

- Develop communication and engagement plans that are specific to stakeholders
- Improve relationships with key stakeholder groups
- Improve access to timely and high quality resources and land use information
- Continue to work across tiers of government to ensure a consistent approach to resource development

Reshaping the organisation, approval and compliance systems to deliver more value to customers

Allocation of DMP resources are optimised

High resource industry standards are maintained

- Implement an integrated DMP approach to doing business
- Further streamline approval and compliance processes and systems including end-to-end electronic processing
- Continue to reform legislation and administrative policies to improve efficiencies for DMP and industry
- Continue to improve risk-based regulatory compliance
- Use capability and competency frameworks to drive a skilled and diverse DMP workforce
- Improve workforce diversity for women in leadership, youth, disability, indigenous, and gender
- Improve workplace flexibility and cross-divisional projects and work groups

Encouraging responsible exploration and development of mineral and petroleum resources

Western Australia is the lowest risk destination for resource development

- Increase use of emerging technology in provision of pre-competitive information
- Increase alignment of activities to the National Mineral Exploration Strategy
- Collect and analyse data for future carbon storage activities
- Continue promoting resource investment in Western Australia