

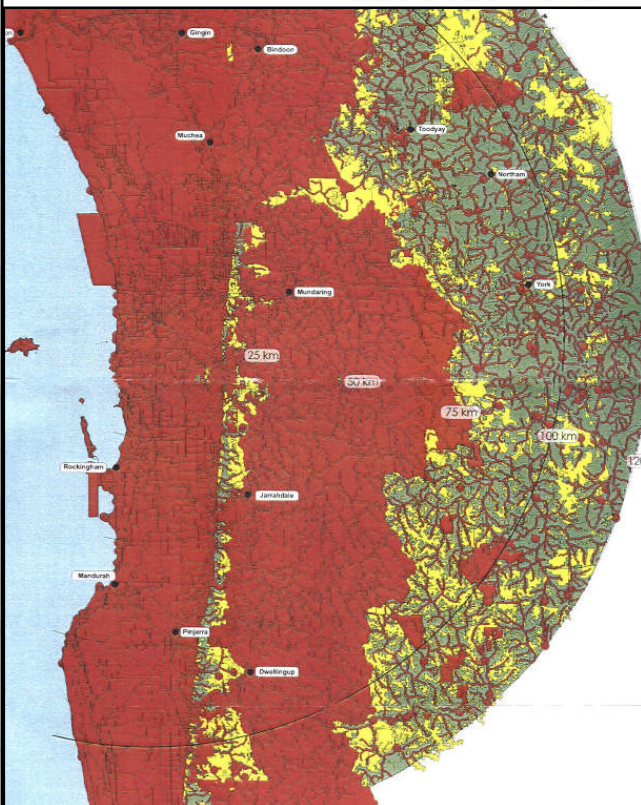


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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION GIS Study- Siting of a Class 4 (secure) landfill for low-level wastes near Perth

A site selection & project implementation study to establish a Class 4 secure landfill to receive low-level waste was undertaken on behalf of the DEP and the Joint Government Secure Landfill Siting Committee.

A geographical information system (GIS) database was established for the area within a 120km radius of the Perth CBD, including geological hydrogeological, land-use and planning data.

Detailed exclusion, less desirable and preferred siting criteria were used to determine composite maps showing areas with development potential.

Existing void spaces from mining/quarrying operations were examined and prospective sites were visited.

Initial landfill development requirements were costed for the fifteen most highly prospective sites.

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