

## MAJOR WATER MAIN WORKS KANGAROO FLAT

In July 2011, Coliban Water installed a 2.3 tonne, AVK gate valve to Bendigo's major water main to improve water security for the local community.

The project had been months in the planning to avoid any interruptions to customer supply.

Before cutting the main for the new 900mm valve, crews altered the operation of the water supply system, checked system pressures and flows, and started excavations ready for works to the water main to start.

Work on the main in Kangaroo Flat took three days and Coliban Water took advantage of the shutdown to carry out a variety of other works along the same section of water main. Pump, air valve and scour works were carried out on 14 other sites.

A timeline photo presentation is on page 2.



*Final installation - AVK Series 54 Gate Valve*



*Bypass valve*



*Water Minister Peter Walsh inspected the works during a visit to Bendigo.*

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## Timeline Pictures

### Installation of an AVK 900mm Gate Valve - July 2011

