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TasWater continues flood damage assessment

TasWater crews have continued repairs today following Thursday night flood event.

A full assessment of damage is still being undertaken with most of the damage involving electrical switching equipment at pump stations, several severed water and sewage pipes and fencing around facilities.

Repair work has restored most services with facilities operating as normal.

Those still suffering damage are being worked on by TasWater crews and contractors and will fixed as soon as practical.

The public however is reminded to remain vigilant around areas impacted by flood waters and near streams and water ways as these may still contain residual sewage and stormwater which may be contaminated.

TasWater is working closely with councils and other authorities involved in the clean-up.

We are also still assessing the cost of damage.

TasWater appreciates the patience of customers inconvenienced as a result of the storm.

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