

Straight back into it!



The third leased loader approved for use underground arrives at the mine site after being shipped from Australia.

Preparing to install VCD2

2021 has started with roof support and forensic work up to the Rocsil plug being completed and the team is currently undertaking site preparation work for the installation of VCD2.

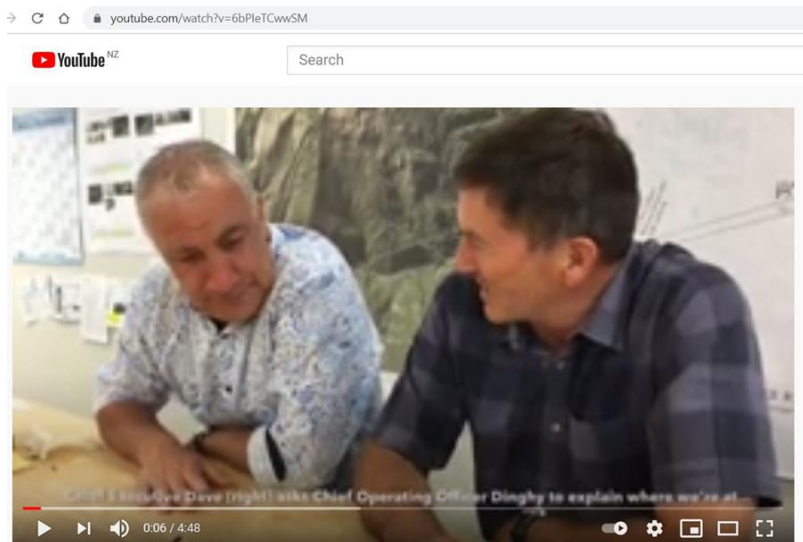
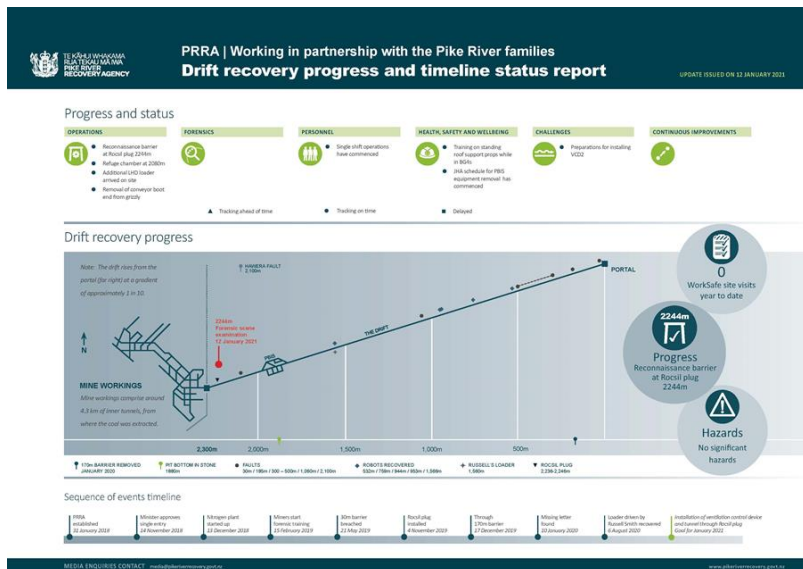
At the same time, detailed planning is well underway for full forensics in the Pit Bottom in Stone area after the drift is fully recovered.

The third leased loader arrived on site and the introduction to site process is well underway.

We've had a couple of checks in the past couple of weeks: Mines Rescue were on site to check the site's first aid equipment; and Minserv completed another independent underground audit. Initial feedback was really positive, awaiting the final report.



The VCD2 being prepared for installation at the mine site.



Chief Executive Dave Gawn (right) and Chief Operating Officer Dinghy Pattinson discuss progress at the Pike River Mine site. Visit <https://youtu.be/6bPleTCwwSM> to view.

Read all about it...

The latest correspondence between WorkSafe and the Agency is available in the Documents section of the Agency website, along with the latest published briefings to the Minister Responsible for Pike River Re-entry.

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