# Subtera Subsurface Locating

Bakers Hill Subsurface Utility Survey

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#### About Subtera

Subtera has been providing subsurface utility locating services in Western Australia for 20 years. A dependable reputation means they work with Australia's largest Environmental, Construction and Civil Engineering companies as well as Federal, State and Local Government clients, in the metro area and remote locations.

# **Project Summary**

The mapping of all subsurface utilities in Bakers Hill, Western Australia.

# For more information

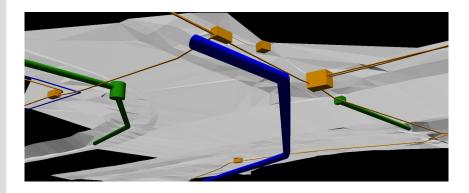
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# The Challenge

The task was to map all the subsurface utilities in Bakers Hill, WA – not a small undertaking! Main Roads WA needed this accurate information on the subsurface utilities in Bakers Hill WA to complete their design of a new road, in various formats, including from 12d Model.

Civil designers need their designs to work in the real world, and existing underground infrastructure can cause major issues. The existing records for the asset owners can be accessed through Dial Before You Dig (DBYD), but the spatial accuracy of these records is often not precise enough – in general there is a lot more underground than these records indicate, and the designers need data they can trust... enter subsurface utility locaters.

#### The Solution

Dale Shearsmith's team proceeded to locate all known Quality D utilities via Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) and electromagnetic locaters. They then potholed for Quality Level A data. By delivering data to the AS5488 standard, they were able to qualify the data with attributes, which flow through the design process, allowing Main Roads to accurately budget for asset relocations as well as trust the clash detections listed and integrate some of the utilities that were already there, allowing for more saving of money.

# SUI AS5488 (Classification of Subsurface Utility Information)

This Standard was prepared by Standards Australia Committee IT-036. The objective of this Standard is to provide utility owners, operators and locators with a framework for the consistent classification of information concerning subsurface utilities.

This Standard is intended to be used by those agencies and organisations that own, operate or regulate subsurface utility infrastructure and those that collect, depict and map such infrastructure. This Standard is also intended to be used by developers and consent authorities involved in the planning, approval and installation of subsurface utility infrastructure.

#### Subtera Methodology

To provide consistent data across projects, Subtera uses the following methodology:

- Take Quality Level C & D data and validate it to Quality Level A & B
- Collate "As Constructed" drawings of the subsurface infrastructure
- Ensure these utilities are located and surveyed
- Search for "Unknown" subsurface utilities at the final stage
- Every "Known" and "Unknown" utility will be accounted for in our field report providing an audit trail
- We adhere to all asset owners regulations when accessing manholes and infrastructure and hold accreditions for ATCO High Pressure Gas, Telstra Fibre and the Watercorp
- All works are carried out with a focus on Zero Harm to our employees and the public as outlined in in our HSSE documentation



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Enjoy advanced 3D tools to design local and major roads, intersections, roundabouts, highways, interchanges and much more.



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Easily manage all aspects of your land development project from earthwork quantities, road design utilities and drainage design.



#### Rail

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#### Drainage, Sewer and Utilities

12d Model provides comprehensive tools for the design, analysis and optimisation of stormwater and sewer projects using rational, dynamic (hydrograph) and 2d drainage methods.

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#### Oil and Gas

12d Model assists with the design, construction and mapping of oil and gas pipelines, original site exploration and the wide range of infrastructure required for oil and gas projects.

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#### Rivers, Dams and Hydrology

12d Model handles very large datasets and interfaces with a wide range of analysis packages, making it perfect for flood studies and the management of rivers and dams.

12d has partnered with industry leading analysis software, allowing users to apply 2D drainage analysis from within 12d Model.

# Why Choose 12d?

- Powerful data processing & intelligent functionality.
- Modular, easy to update & completely customisable. Seamless integration with major industry software
- and hardware.



· Friendly support & training from industry experts.



# Ports and Dredging

12d Model is the solution for port infrastructure and dredging, easily managing the very large datasets and complex volume calculations often required by these projects.

A complete range of flexible and customisable volume calculation tools allow teams to extract and present the information quickly and easily.



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The 12d Field option runs on a ruggedized tablet and gives the user access to full 12d Model functionality, allowing you to take the entire project into the field with the most comprehensive pick-up and set-out tools.



# Construction

12d Model is the ultimate software for construction with powerful set-out options, direct interfaces to machine control and detailed conformance reporting and auditing.

Manage 3D data and control volumes, quantities and progress claims with 12d Model. Set-out your project and undertake conformance and as-built surveys live on-site using 12d Field.



# Environmental

12d Model's ability to handle very large datasets combined with flexible and comprehensive 3D analysis and modeling tools make it perfect for a wide variety of environmental projects.

Existing workflows can adopt 12d Model easily as it allows users to directly interface with GIS systems and most software packages and file formats.

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