

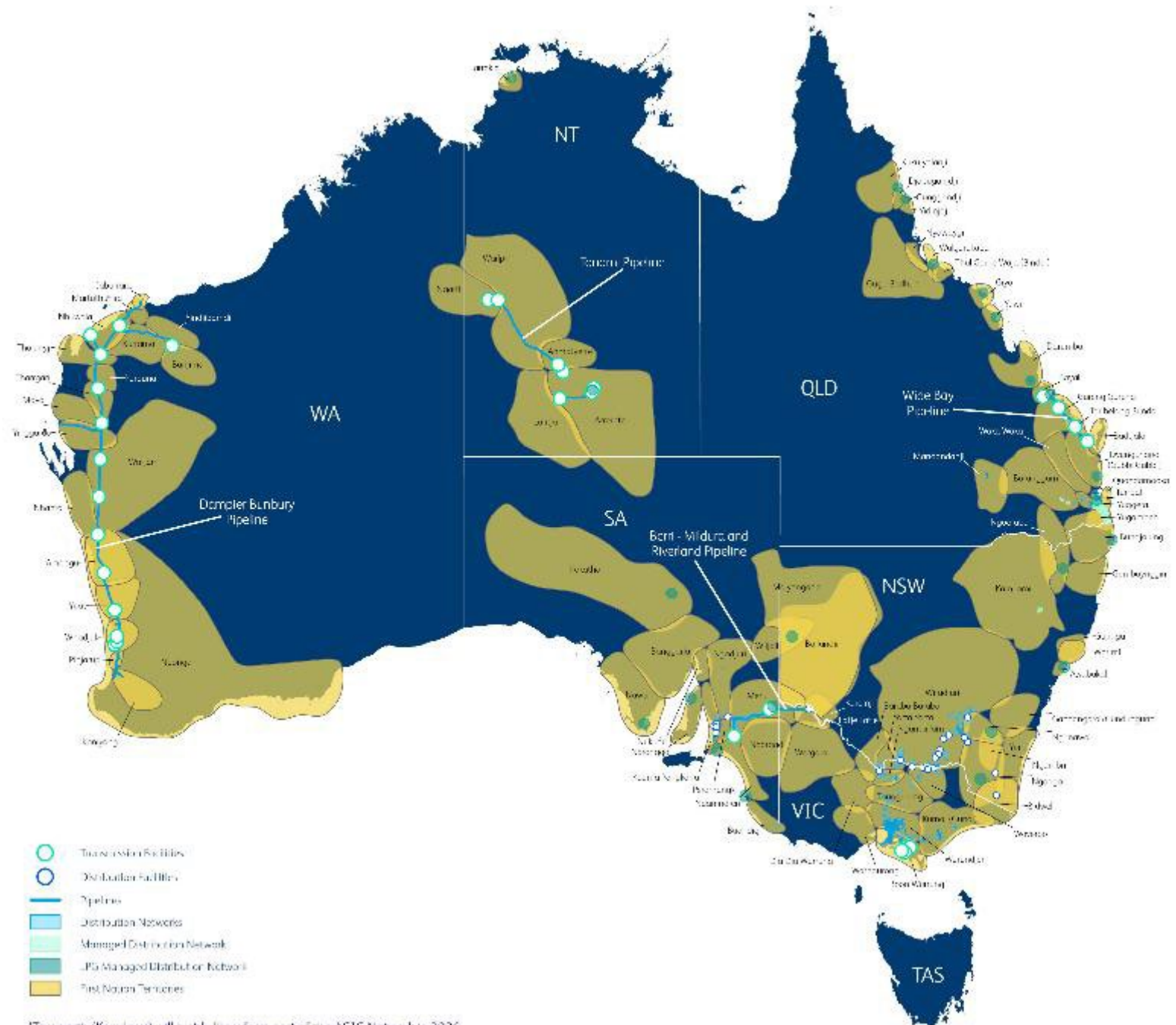
Embedding Sustainability to Solve Operational Challenges

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Acknowledgement of Country

Australian Gas Infrastructure Group acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the lands upon which we live and operate, and we pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

We recognise Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' historical and ongoing connection to land and waters, and we embrace the spirit of reconciliation.



*Tonworth (Koolberr) will highly likely form part of the AGIG Network in 2026.

Embedding Sustainability to Solve Operational Challenges

How a biodiversity target helped solve an operational challenge



The Challenge

Revegetation outcomes weren't improving



The Solution

Connect existing sustainability programs to an operational need



The Outcome

Environmental, employee and business value

The Challenge

Revegetation wasn't delivering the desired outcome

- What we observed:
 - Revegetation efforts were not achieving long-term success
 - Native species diversity struggled to reach targets (mainly *Kunzea* established)
- Contributing factors
 - Previous land use impacts
 - Introduced species dominance
 - Grazing by rabbits and kangaroos
 - Incremental, reactive reinstatement



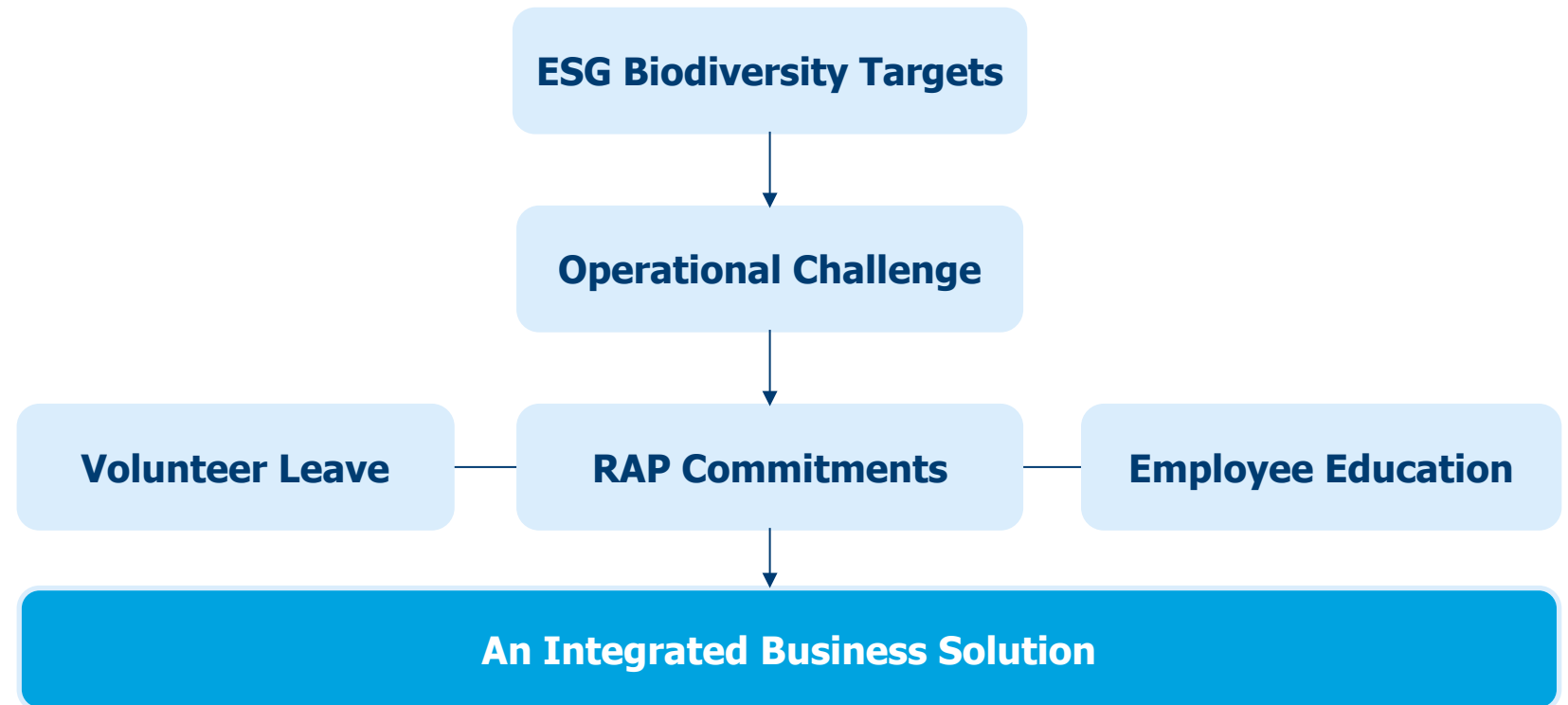
Wellsley Lateral Pipeline – scoping work in August 2025

The challenge wasn't planting vegetation. It was restoring a resilient ecosystem.



The Solution

Start with an existing business need



We created a new biodiversity target by solving an existing operational challenge.

By embedding sustainability into an operational challenge, we created value for the environment, our people and the business

The Outcome

One challenge, multiple benefits

- Better revegetation and biodiversity outcomes
- Employee engagement and environmental awareness
- Delivery against ESG and RAP commitments
- Better use of existing budgets and resources
- A stronger whole of business approach



Sustainability Shouldn't be About Creating More Work

It can help solve work that already exists



Operational Challenge



Biodiversity Target



Volunteer Leave



RAP Commitments



Employee Engagement



Better Environmental Outcomes

**Sometimes the best sustainability solutions aren't new projects
– they are new ways of looking at existing problems.**

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