

Mindarie Regional Councils – 2012 Autumn Millipede Report and Barrier Extension

Since the braking Autumn rains millipedes have been on the move and out in force.

The Millipede Barrier along the southern boundary has had its annual service and the solar light water traps are in and working. Early results show evidence of dead millipedes along the barrier and in the traps (see aerial below, line in red).

The good news is, during the month of May 2012 an 86 metre millipede barrier (stage 4) will be added to the southern east corner heading north (see aerial below, line in green).

Additionally, an in house suggestion that has worked at their home is soluble eucalyptus dissolved in water in a spray bottle. Trials will be carried out during May 2012

Stage 4 Millipede Barrier Extensions May 2012

Measured Posts	Completed	86 metres
Sent for Quote	Underway	
Place order		
Installation	Proposed end of May 2012	86 metres of barrier plus solar light water traps
Trial – soluble eucalyptus	Trailed during May 2012	Trial will be around MRC's administration building



Picture 1 Mindarie Regional Council aerial of the 2011 installed Millipede Barrier (red) and the proposed 2012 May Stage 4 millipede barrier extension, eastern southern corner (green)