

Agility Management (Asset Inspection)

Project: Asset Condition Based Monitoring

Client: Agility Management .

Location: Melbourne, Western Suburbs

Contract Value: A\$800,000 p.a.

Contract Duration: November 1998 to present.



In November 1998 Electrix commenced performing cyclic condition based inspection for Agility Management a subsidiary of AGL. Agility Management services the Western and Northern suburbs of Melbourne covering from Gisborne to Greensborough and Riddles Creek to Port Phillip Bay. Electrix and Agility Management have worked closely to develop standardised work practices, procedures and efficient work programs.

The service involves the provision of management, resource and materials to test, inspect and treat poles, inspect pole top structures, cross-arms, insulators, conductors, street lights and identify trees interfering with powerlines needing attention. A significant portion of the work is performed in urban areas involving excavation of poles in pavement, which requires substantial coordination to achieve compliance with numerous council and traffic management requirements.



The inspection program is based on a 4.5 year inspection cycle inspecting approximately 25,000 poles per annum performed by Electrix's labour resource. Electrix continually strives to adopt innovative processes and specialised equipment to refine work practices and increase productivity.

The co-operative approach between both parties has successfully witnessed joint planning and the quick resolution of issues. This has resulted in significant performance improvements against set targets.

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