

CORRECTIVE SERVICES — REPAY WA

5946. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Corrective Services:

- (1) I refer to the Repay WA scheme and ask for each of the 2013–2014, 2014–2015, 2015–2016 years, what are the total number of hours service undertaken by offenders, how many offenders were involved, and what were the major projects worked upon?
- (2) For the same years, can you provide a breakdown of work conducted by young offenders, and that performed by adult offenders?
- (3) For the same periods, can you advise how many not for profit and community organisations nominated for work projects, and how many were in fact performed?

Mr J.M. Francis replied:

The Department of Corrective Services (the Department) advises:

(1)

	Hours of Service	Offenders Involved
2013–2014	128,279	3,236
2014–2015	124,953	3,130
2015–2016	139,740	3,192

Major projects:

Annual Fire and Emergency Services Authority fire hydrant maintenance for the Broome town centre;
Maintenance of children’s play areas and grounds at Whiteman and Woodbridge Parks;
Gardening, rubbish pick up and site maintenance at Woodman Point;
Maintenance of the grounds at Kings Park; and
Assisting in establishing a park for the rehabilitation of wildlife.

(2)

	Youth – Hours of Service	Young Offenders Involved
2013–2014	24,462	764
2014–2015	21,055	671
2015–2016	18,193	606

	Adult – Hours of Service	Adult Offenders Involved
2013–2014	103,817	2,472
2014–2015	103,898	2,459
2015–2016	121,547	2,586

- (3) The Department does not record information on nominations for work projects in a manner that can be easily retrieved. The Department can report on the number of work projects assisted by adult offenders.

	Projects
2013–2014	226
2014–2015	206
2015–2016	184