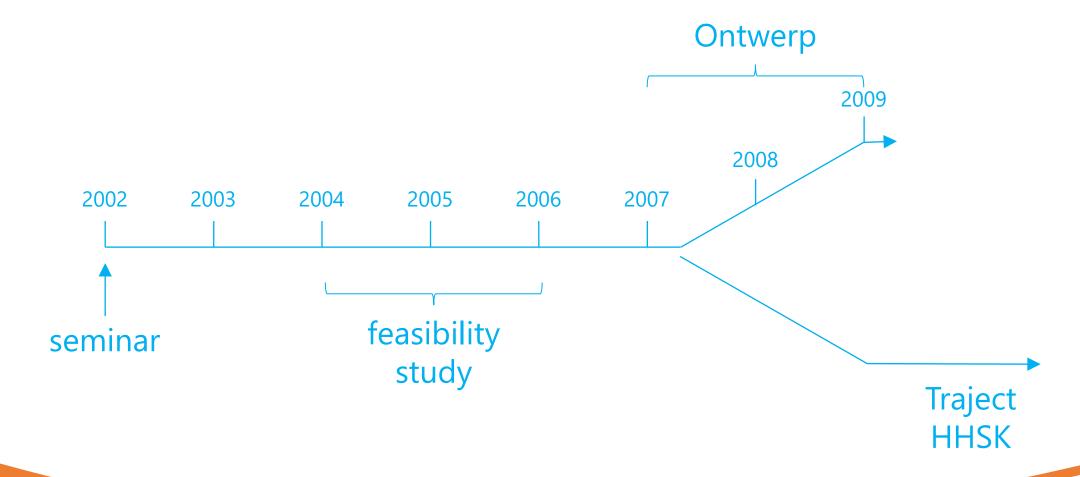
### The Banger Pilot Polder, a brief history

- The most useful and satisfactory project that I was allowed to work on
- We gave 80.000 people, of which 50% children, better living conditions
- The project could not have been a success without the cooperation of:
  - . Water Groot Salland
  - . Partners for Water
  - . Hoogheemraadschap Schieland en de Krimpenerwaard
  - . UNESCO-IHE
  - . Unie van Waterschappen
  - . QUEST-Consult
  - . Roy Kraft van Ermel
  - . Herman Mondeel and Sawarendro



## **Timeline for us**





### How it all started

- Seminar in 2002 "Polders in waterfront cities"
- Organised by Witteveen+Bos and UNPAR (Universitas Katolik Parahyangan)
- Purpose of the seminar
- 2-days event
- Supported by Kementerian Pekerjaan Umum (PU)



### Purpose of seminar "Polders in waterfront cities"

- Commercial initiative of Witteveen+Bos
- To proof that polders are maybe the only feasible solution for proper water management in sinking cities
- Show (once again) the Dutch expertise on this topic
- Emphasis on the role of the government



# **Sinking cities**

- Groundwater extraction
- A problem of many metropoles (in Asia)
- Irreversible
- Impact will become larger with climate change and sea level rise
- Additional measure: proper water supply



## Participants of the seminar

- Waterschap Groot Salland (Siebe Schaap, moderator)
- PU (national) and DPU (provincial)
- Unie van Waterschappen
- Madara Permai (Pantai Indah Kapuk), private polder system
- Organised and guided by Witteveen+Bos and UNPAR



# **Program of the seminar**

- Day 1:
  - . Technical presentations (W+B, UNPAR)
  - . Operational, financial and legal aspects of polders in NL (WGS, UvW)
  - . Operational aspects of the first polders (private) in Indonesia (Mandara Permai)
- Day 2:
  - . Brainstorm session on possible follow up
  - . Organised in the Pantai Indah Kapuk polder

Result: pilot project!



# The birth of the pilot project

- Discussions in 2002 and 2003 on:
  - . Where?
  - . How large?
  - . How to be financed?

### Result:

- Part of the 4PMoU
- Siting and feasibility study



## The feasibility study (2004-2005)

- Financed by Partners for Water (Simon Warmerdam and Aris Schellinkhout)
- Jakarta too complicated from political and administration point of view
- The floodings in Semarang were worse than in Jakarta
- Witteveen+Bos together with UNESCO-IHE (Bart Schultz en Suryadi)
- Criteria for location search:
  - . Location with severe flood problems
  - . Mixed community: rich, middle class and poor people
  - . Residential and commercial use
  - . Preferably some water management infrastructure present

Result FS: Banger area in Semarang















### **Characteristics Banger area**

- 540 hectares
- 80.000 inhabitants
- Daily floods
- Open sewerage system, mainly grey water
- Mixed community
- Business and residential functions
- Internal drainage system
- Banger river





### **The design works (2007-2009)**

- Again paid for by Partners for water
- Design of the basis elements:
  - . Pumping station (6  $m^3/s$ )
  - . Retention basin
  - . Internal drainage system
  - . Subsurface drainage
  - . Slope protections
- Almost 3 years with major support of Mayor Sukawi Sutarip, HHSK and UNESCO-IHE





## **ORIO** for the construction stage

- We made a full application ORIO
- Indonesia did not accept the ORIO terms and conditions
- No further role for Witteveen+Bos and UNESCO-IHE anymore
- Luckily HHSK and the polder board took over smoothly

