

# Summary Board Meeting 228 18 December 2013

## Health, Safety and Wellbeing

The Board reviewed GMW's OH&S performance for November.

### Chairman's Report

Llew Vale reported to the Board on his activities since the last Board meeting including his recent meeting with the Hon. Peter Walsh, Minister for Water.

### **Acting Managing Director's Report**

John Calleja, Acting Managing Director, reported to the Board on his activities since the last Board meeting.

## **Business Performance Report**

The Board reviewed the Business Performance report for November 2013 including GMW's finances.

#### **Board Strategy Day**

The General Managers of GMW discussed with the Board preparations for the planned Strategy Day in early 2014.

#### **Connections Committee**

The Board created a new Committee of the Board called the Connections Committee. This Committee combined and replaced the functions of the two Board Committees which previously provided oversight of the Connections Project.

# Sampson Scholarship

The Board congratulated GMW employee Mark Potter on his receipt of a Sampson Scholarship. Mark Potter will be using the scholarship to attend an international salinity forum in the United States.

#### **Authorise Water Officers**

The Board appointed GMW employees as authorised water officers for the purpose of enforcing GMW's By-Law concerning public use of recreational areas.

### **Cosgrove Pipeline**

The Board approved the Business Case for the Cosgrove D&S Pipeline Project for submission to the Department of Environment and Primary Industry.

#### **Gunbower Lagoons**

The Board endorsed the proposed installation of environmental works at Taylors Lagoon.

#### **Acting Managing Director**

The appointment of John Calleja as Acting Managing Director was extended until mid January 2014.

## **State Water Register**

The Board reviewed the Annual Report of the State Water Register. The Water Register is an externally operated public register of all water related entitlements in Victoria.

#### 2014 Calendar

The Board confirmed its calendar of meetings for 2014.

## **Board Committee Reports**

The Board received reports from Committees of the Board on their activities.

#### **Water Services Committees**

The Board received reports on the activities of Water Services Committees.

## **Board of Goulburn-Murray Water**

Chairman: Llew Vale OAM

**Directors**: Frank Whitford, Sarah Scales, Ian Mansbridge, Dennis Moon, Dick Ranken, Neil Pankhurst, Barry Steggall, Peter McCamish

Managing Director: Gavin Hanlon

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