

Summary Board Meeting 231 1 May 2014

Health, Safety and Wellbeing

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

Customer and Stakeholder Engagement

Sara Rhodes-Ward, General Manager Marketing and Communications, presented to the Board on GMW's strategy for engagement with it's customers and other stakeholders.

Budget

The Board reviewed and approved GMW's 2014-15 Budget noting the estimated:

- Water Storage and Delivery capital expenditure of \$34.4m of which \$0.6m is externally funded
- Connections Project funding of \$286m and expenditure of \$300m based on the Connections Implementation Plan 2
- Total borrowings decrease of \$4.1m to \$135.4m.

Corporate Plan

The Board reviewed and approved GMW's 2014-15 Corporate Plan noting that it included:

- GMW's corporate strategy for 2014-15 and an update on the initiatives in last year's corporate plan
- operational savings and additional simplification of customer processes which GMW estimates will save customers \$2.5 million over the next 3 years

Shared Connections Policy

The Board approved GMW's Shared Connections Policy noting the consultation that had occurred on the draft Policy with Water Services Committees.

Box Creek Weir

The Board provided project approval for the construction of the Box Creek Weir and Fishway for an estimated capital expenditure of \$8.9 million to be funded from the Stage 1 and Stage 2 Connections Project budget.

Asset Management Policy

The Board approved a revised Asset Management Policy.

Information Reports

The Board received a status report on proposed changes to GMW's financial reporting to the Board.

Chairman's Report

Llew Vale reported to the Board on his activities since the last Board meeting

Managing Director's Report

Gavin Hanlon, 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 March 2014 including GMW's finances.

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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