

WSC MEETING SUMMARY



COMMITTEE NAME	Torrumbarry WSC
MEETING DATE	23 November 2017
ATTENDEES	WSC members: Guy Duncan (Chair), Kyal Seibert, Andrew Leahy, Anne Hodge, Nathan Free GMW attendees: Dale McGraw, Ross Stanton, Joanne Stone, Peter Egglestone, Ian Wright, Kendell Atkinson, Andrew Shields, Timothy Robinson, Clark Fehring (guest)
APOLOGIES	Tim McNeil, Charlie Gillingham, Bernice Lumsden, Paul Arthurson, James Burkitt, Guy Ortlipp, Geoff Coburn

Main Topics Discussed

Connections- General Update
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Peter provided an update to the committee regarding the progress of the project• Committee was advised the 3 pump stations constructed during winter works were still waiting commissioning (meters and power connection)• A briefing was provided regarding expected planned winter works
Connections Swan Hill - General Update
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A general update of the Swan Hill Connections Modernisation project Ian provided an update concerning the Pentland Island Pumps/Little Murray Weir diverters status, and the channel 9• Third Reedy Bypass project Draft report – currently available for public comment until 5th December 2017, is available on the Connections website, (WSC forwarded the link to the website)
Murray Capacity Risk
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A briefing was provided to the committee regarding how the water from Murray is managed by GMW• It was noted that GMW are working MDBA to seek future projections on water demands, to ascertain the possible impact on water availability• Main risk identified is during extended heat wave conditions which increases the demand for water