# **WSC MEETING SUMMARY**



COMMITTEE NAME	Loddon Valley WSC
MEETING DATE	25 September 2017
ATTENDEES	John Nelson (Chair), Laurie Maxted (Deputy Chair), Chris Harrison, Ken Pattison, Ron Vinnicombe, William Diss, Jeanette Naylor, Dale McGraw (Acting Regional Manager Customer Service – West), Malcolm Pearson (Customer Relations Consultant), Paul Arthurson (Connections), Lynne Habner (Loddon Shire), Kathy Long (DEDJTR), Shari Rankin (NCCMA), Andrew Shields (via video link)
APOLOGIES	David Currie (Customer Service Manager), Robert Moon

#### **Main Topics Discussed**

## **Water Resource Update**

- An overview of the current resources and allocations was provided
- Forecast and rainfall predictions were tabled from the BOM
- Current trade opportunities were discussed

#### **Connections Update**

- A project update was provided to the meeting
- A summary of the 2017 winter works programme was presented
- Future works and project milestones were discussed

### Tariff & Delivery Share review -

- Members were provided the opportunity to add additional comments to a summary of key messages captured at a workshop on a Delivery Share and Tariff review held at Kyabram on the 10 August.
- LVWSC supported a review of both the existing tariffs and Delivery Shares

## **DEDJTR Update –**

- Provided an overview of the Stage 2 Whole Farm Plan Review
- Future objectives are to provide greater clarity to landowners about the relationship of works to the need to obtain planning permits and associated approvals.

#### **Loddon Shire Update**

- The LVWSC expressed their intent to work closely with the shire on issues that relate to development within the region
- An update was provided on specific local developments and the progression of the South-West Pipeline

#### **NCCMA Update**

- A summary of the current environmental watering plans was tabled
- The committee requested additional consultation in via Loddon Environmental Water Advisory Group