

# WSC MEETING SUMMARY



<b>COMMITTEE NAME</b>	Torrumbarry WSC
<b>MEETING DATE</b>	Thursday 25 February 2021
<b>ATTENDEES</b>	<p><b>WSC Members:</b> Andrew Leahy (Chair), Tim McNeil (Deputy Chair), Bernice Lumsden, Kyal Seibert, Charlie Gillingham, Peta Thornton</p> <p><b>GMW Attendees:</b> Greg Shannon (Regional Manager Customer Service West), Paul Gilchrist (Distribution Customer Service Manager - West) Tim Nitschke (Distribution Assistant Manager – West), Fabian McCloy (Project Manager Irrigators Shared Distribution), Claire Nihill (Communications and Engagement Project Officer)</p> <p><b>Guest:</b> Penny Clark (DELWP), Kerryn Forster (DELWP), Joe Banks (DELWP), Tyson Milne (MDBA), Joe Davis (MDBA), Anne Lucas (MDBA)</p>
<b>APOLOGIES</b>	

## Main Topics Discussed

<b>Deliverability Risks - Penny Clark and Joe Banks</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A presentation was provided to the committee outlining the Deliverable risk, in the Murray system</li><li>• A summary of supply changes and demand influences was provided</li><li>• Barmera choke briefing was provided and the increasing reduction in capacity and the increasing environmental damage being caused</li><li>• The committee was advised of additional sources of information, including Annual reporting outlook and re MDBA weekly report which provides data concerning flow and demand data</li></ul>
<b>Irrigators Share Distribution Update – Fabian McCloy, Claire Nihill</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A presentation was provided to the committee regarding the 75 GL Irrigators Share Distribution project</li><li>• The committee was advised a customer guide will be available in April, and it is estimated the share distribution will be in October 2021</li><li>• Customers advised to check and confirm their delivery share by reviewing their 20/21 fixed charges or contacting GMW.</li></ul>
<b>Loss Allowance – Andrew Shields</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provided a presentation to the committee regarding loss allowances which included the background and reviews conducted since 2007 and 2013</li><li>• A table was provided indicating some impacts around seasonal determinations – more water available when allocation is low but slightly less in wet years</li><li>• Graphs were provided showing the data and proposed future loss volumes</li><li>• Fixed loss calculations; there was very little data to calculate the fixed loss in the original analysis, recently data has better informed the fixed loss assessments</li></ul>
<b>Operational Managers Report – Paul Gilchrist and Tim Nitschke</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A report was provided to the committee providing operations in the West</li><li>• The report included the planning of winter maintenance and a large amount of dewatering of channels will occur throughout the West</li></ul>

## Other Items to Note

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Nil</li></ul>
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