

FNQ Regional Water Alliance - Agenda

Meeting Details

Meeting No	36
Meeting Name	FNQ Regional Water Alliance
Date	5 December 2023
Time	10:00am
Venue	Kingsford Room, Level 2, Cairns Regional Council, Spence Street, Cairns
Meeting Contacts	FNQROC Regional Strategic Infrastructure Coordinator, Amanda Hancock 0402 616898 FNQROC Executive Support Officer, Paula Power 07 4044 3343

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1.	Attendance	A Hancock
2.	Apologies	A Hancock
3.	Confirmation of previous minutes	A Hancock
4.	Business arising	A Hancock

Action Item	Action	Responsible Person(s)	Status
34.1	Shane Bandiera to provide Amanda with details of non- accredited training to potentially be included in the WIW program. Amanda to circulate to councils to review and for councils to add any further training for inclusion. Amanda to then send the details on to Lee-Anne to investigate further.	Shane Bandiera, Amanda Hancock & Lee-Anne Willis	See Item 8
35.1	Amanda to circulate submission from recommended respondent for the Regional Capability Plan and explore further funding opportunities before seeking FNQROC Board endorsement.	Amanda Hancock	Complete – See Item 5
35.2	Amanda to circulate email from David Wiskar seeking members for the HR Water Operator Attraction/Retention toolkit reference group. Committee to share with appropriate staff in their individual council and notify Amanda should they wish to participate.	Amanda Hancock & All Councils	Complete
35.3	Elliott to circulate invitation to the Coogee Chemicals depot open day to Cass, MSC and Bruce, TRC.	Elliott Meelen	Complete
35.4	Geoff to provide TRC and FNQROC with a copy of their telemetry Technical Specification and Scope of Work.	Geoff Tansley	Complete
35.5	Bruce to provide FNQROC with a copy of TRC's submission to the Urban Water Risk Assessment (AUWRA) project.	Bruce Gardiner	Complete
35.6	Amanda to circulate the Planned Regional Water & Sewer Infrastructure Upgrades captured in the last State Advocacy document.	Amanda Hancock & All Councils	Outstanding – See Item 13

	Councils to review and update as appropriate and return to Amanda before the next Water Alliance meeting.		
35.7	Muhammad Abdullah, TRC and Brian Pickering, Croydon SC to be added to the FNQ Water Alliance distribution list.	Amanda Hancock	Complete

5.	Water Capability Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update 	Amanda Hancock, FNQROC
6.	Regional Biosolids Sub-committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biosolids Summary Report • Next Meeting 	Amanda Hancock, FNQROC
7.	Regional Joint Purchasing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Chemicals – Contract Meetings • Coogee – Depot Open Day • Managing Chlorates – Coogee Presentation • Regional Sewer Relining & Condition Assessments 	Elliot Meelen, FNQROC
8.	QLD Water – Presentation	David Whiskar, QLD Water
9.	Water Industry Worker <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FNQ Survey Results • Training reimbursements • Upcoming Cert 3 and Cert 4 training 	Lee-Anne Willis, Learning & Development Project Coordinator
10.	LGAQ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update 	Jennifer Hartwig, LGAQ
11.	Queensland Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update 	QLD Health
12.	RDMW <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update 	Richard Kidston & Dinesha Emmery, RDMW
13.	Planned Regional Water and Sewer Infrastructure Upgrades	A Hancock, FNQROC
14.	Upcoming Events	A Hancock, FNQROC
15.	General Business	All
16.	Next Meeting	A Hancock