



March invoice and WaterNSW rebate

Yesterday we issued the third (March) quarter invoice.

A statement as at 1 April 2021 was also sent that shows the final amount to pay, inclusive of the December quarter WaterNSW rebate on eligible accounts.

If you selected email delivery and have not received your invoice and statement, please check your other/junk folder on your email platform, and then let us know if you still have not received it.

[You can use your email platforms help centre if your email has landed in your junk/other folder.](#)

Invoices delivered by post will arrive in due course.

March quarter invoices are due Monday, 31 May 2021.

Please contact us to discuss your options prior to the due date, if you are having trouble making payment.

Shareholder briefing – SRI funding

We issued a second Shareholder Briefing last week regarding Southern Riverina Irrigators (SRI) funding.

The briefing included a voluntary levy and a cover letter from the Chair of SRI. Those without an email address on file will receive theirs via post in due course. You can read the update [here](#), or please contact us should you require another copy of your voluntary levy.

Foreign ownership of land and water

Foreign residents who own agricultural land and certain water rights are required to register these rights with the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

In accordance with Murray Irrigation's Constitution (Rule 116) members must also give notice to the Company if they are, become or cease to be a foreign person during a financial year (1 July to 30 June).

A person, or entity, is classified as 'foreign' if they are not an Australian resident for tax purposes. Full details are on the ATO's [website](#).

To report your foreign ownership status please call customer support, or email customersupport@murrayirrigation.com.au.

Sponsorship Program – open

Murray Irrigation's 2021/22 Sponsorship Program is now open.

The program promotes safety and wellbeing in the local communities, with financial and in-kind support available for projects that encourage healthy, viable and vibrant communities.

You can read our media release [here](#), or more information about the program, and how to apply, is available on our [website](#).

Rice grower of the year

The SunRice Grower of the Year Award is the ultimate award which recognises innovation, new technology and latest research outcomes adopted in the rice industry.

Nominations will close this Thursday, 15 April 2021.

Details for applications, and more information can be found [here](#).

LLS rates waived – 2021

Local Land Services (LLS) will waive their rates for this year as part of the NSW Governments latest drought support package.

Read more about it [here](#).

Invoices

Last issued quarter – Three (Mar)
Issue date – Monday, 12 Apr 2021
Due date – Monday, 31 May 2021
Sustainability Product and December 2020 invoices - overdue, Stop Supply.

Last week's edition

- End of season Carryover
- Winter Operating Mode
- QR code sign-in
- LLS funding
- NSW DPI commodity report
- Dine and Discover NSW

Announced allocation

Class C General Security.....	50%
Allocation Advance.....	5%
Water resource distribution	6%
(issued against Delivery Entitlements)	

Water availability and deliveries

(13/04/2021)	
YTD deliveries.....	737,011 ML
Customers.....	488,009 ML
DPIE Deliveries.....	23,940 ML
WaterNSW Deliveries.....	225,062 ML
Weekly Deliveries.....	22,389 ML
Weekly crop usage.....	61% (Ann. pasture)
Customer account balance.....	287,717 ML
WE in customer accounts.....	821,236 WE
Vol. % remaining.....	35%

Channel flows today

Wakool Offtake	766 ML
Mulwala Offtake	2,513 ML
Billabong Escape	0 ML
Edward River Escape.....	500 ML
Perricoota Escape.....	0 ML
Wakool River Escape.....	0 ML

Water trade data

Net trade week.....	5,327 ML
Net trade YTD.....	48,442 ML

Water exchange data

(12/04/2021)	
Internal listings (No. & ML).....	19;1,876.77 ML
External listings (No. & ML).....	6;912.00 ML
Int. purchasers (No. & ML).....	36;2,249.00 ML
Ext purchasers (No. & ML).....	0,0 ML

Water for sale @ 12/04/21.....	7,756 ML
Weighted average sale price.....	\$84
Price range @ 13/04/21.....	\$90 - \$300
Buy offer range @ 13/04/21.....	\$90 - \$90

Storages*

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Dartmouth	2,453 GL ↓ 64 % ↓
Hume	1,374 GL ↓ 46 % ↓
Lake Victoria	203 GL ↑ 30 % ↓
Menindee Lakes.....	317 GL ↑ 18 % ↑
Total Storage.....	4,347 GL ↓ 47 % ↓

Rivers*

Murray @ Doctors Point.....	10,703 ML/d
Murray d/s Yarra. Weir.....	8,562 ML/d
Goulburn @ McCoy Bridge	1,216 ML/d
M'Bidgee d/s Balranald	2,215 ML/d
Darling @ Burtundy.....	219 ML/d
Flow to SA	5,701 ML/d
Murray to the sea	4 gates open

*This information is provided for general reference purposes only. We take best endeavours to ensure accuracy.

Resource links

- [MDBA weekly report](#)
- [NSW Water allocation statements](#)
- [Rainfall and evaporation](#)
- [Barmah Choke trade balance](#)