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General Security Water Allocation

Yesterday, the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) announced a four percent General Security allocation increase in the NSW Murray Valley bringing the total to 30 percent. The full announcement [here](#).

Murray Irrigation responded to the latest allocation announcement in a media release, [here](#).

2021 Member Director election – voting eligibility

Murray Irrigation has announced the conduct of its 2021 Member Director election.

Information regarding the election, including statements from the three candidates, can be found [here](#).

To be eligible to vote shareholders must have paid all accounts up to and including the March 2021 quarter invoice by 5.00pm Monday, 23 August 2021.

Shareholders who have a payment arrangement in place and are meeting the terms of their arrangement as at Monday, 23 August 2021 are also eligible to vote.

Supplementary Water

Yesterday, the DPIE announced an extension to the Supplementary Water event until Thursday, 19 August 2021 for Mulwala and Wakool.

The announcement indicated that it is unlikely the supplementary event will be further extended.

If no extension is announced, deliveries of Supplementary Water will finish at the AM operating time for your outlet on 19 August 2021.

Customers are reminded to adjust the finish time for their orders via the Customer Portal.

If the Supplementary Event is not extended, deliveries after the above time will be allocation water.

Customers will be notified via SMS if DPIE make further announcements.

Advocacy meetings

Murray Irrigation has held shareholder advocacy meetings over the past three weeks to provide updates on our strategic activities.

The meetings have been well received with many shareholders gaining a greater understanding of the company's strategic efforts, and our Directors who attended have received positive feedback and excellent suggestions.

We will consider continuing the meetings once COVID-19 restrictions ease.

Please let us know if you are interested in hosting a shareholder advocacy meeting.

LHA meetings postponed

Landholder Association (LHA) meetings that were scheduled for this week have been postponed due to the current NSW COVID-19 restrictions.

Information will be provided when the meetings can be rescheduled.

Response to the Governments 450GL Off-Farm Water Efficiency Program

Last week the Minister for Resources and Water, The Hon. Keith Pitt MP called for the States to nominate infrastructure projects through the 450GL Off-farm Recovery Program under the Basin Plan.

Murray Irrigation does not support any further water recovery and instead asks that there be focus on “environmental outcomes” instead of water recovery.

Murray Irrigation Chairman, Phil Snowden responded to the Minister's announcement on ABC NSW Country Hour.

The full episode can be heard [here](#), or you can listen to Phil's response, [here](#).

[Last week's Talking Water.](#)

Invoices

Last issued quarter – Four (June)
Issue date – Monday, 12 July 2021
Due date – Sunday, 29 Aug 2021

Announced allocation

Class C General Security.....	30%
Allocation Advance.....	8%
Water resource distribution	0%

Water availability and deliveries

(17/08/2021)

Supplementary Licence.....	121,704 units
Supplementary Diversions*.....	69,705 ML
Supplementary Deliveries*.....	40,367 ML
YTD deliveries*.....	40,371 ML
Customers.....	40,371 ML
DPIE Deliveries.....	0 ML
WaterNSW Deliveries.....	0 ML
Weekly Deliveries.....	22,652 ML
Weekly crop usage.....(winter crops)	43%
Customer account balance.....	600,543 ML
WE in customer accounts.....	805,724 WE
Vol. % remaining.....	75%

*Provisional data

Channel flows today

Wakool Offtake	1,500 ML
Mulwala Offtake	3,550 ML
Billabong Escape	0 ML
Edward River Escape.....	56 ML
Perricoota Escape	0 ML
Wakool River Escape	14 ML

Water trade data

Net trade week.....	- 2,598 ML
Net trade YTD.....	- 5,904 ML

Water exchange data

(16/08/2021)

Internal listings (No. & ML).....	12;1,372.27 ML
External listings (No. & ML).....	0;0.00 ML
Int. purchasers (No. & ML).....	25;2,188.02 ML
Ext purchasers (No. & ML).....	0;0.00 ML

Water for sale @ 16/08/21.....	3,575 ML
Weighted average sale price.....	\$78.00
Price range @ 17/08/21.....	\$85 - \$250
Buy offer range @ 17/08/21.....	\$75 - \$45

Storages*

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Dartmouth	2,784GL	↑	72 %	↑
Hume	2,733 GL	↑	91 %	↑
Lake Victoria	614 GL	↑	91 %	↑
Menindee Lakes.....	1,272 GL	↑	73 %	↑
Total Storage.....	7,403 GL	↑	80 %	↑

Rivers*

Murray @ Doctors Point	11,903 ML/d
Murray d/s Yarra. Weir.....	14,029 ML/d
Goulburn @ McCoy Bridge.....	4,391 ML/d
M'Bidgee d/s Balranald.....	7,173 ML/d
Darling @ Burtundy.....	424 ML/d
Flow to SA	21,596 ML/d
Murray to the sea	45 gates open

*This information is provided for general reference purposes only. We take best endeavours to ensure accuracy. This data was correct as at 9am, Tuesday, 03 August 2021.

Resource links

[MDBA weekly report](#)

[NSW Water allocation statements](#)

[Rainfall and evaporation](#)

[Barmah Choke trade balance](#)