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JOINT IWA/AWA CONFERENCE **"Sustainability"**

28th & 29th February 2008

Four Points Sheraton, Geelong

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SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS - THURSDAY 28th FEBRUARY 2008

In conjunction with this conference the following Special Interest Groups of the IWA will be meeting on Thursday 28 February at the Four Points Sheraton. For details of these meetings please contact the convenors listed below

<i>Special Interest Group</i>	<i>Convenor</i>
Information Technology	Marcus Darbyshire (<i>South East Water</i>) (03) 9552 3015
Customer Service	Murray Cornwall (<i>Gippsland</i>) (03) 5177 4762
Technical Services	Owen Phillis (<i>City West</i>) (03) 9313 8586
Finance	David Thomas (<i>Western Water</i>) (03) 9218 5425
Human Resources	Steven Morell (<i>North East Water</i>) (02) 6022 0565

CONFERENCE PROGRAM - FRIDAY 29th FEBRUARY 2008

Conference Theme: "SUSTAINABILITY"

8:30am *Registration/Coffee*

9:00am *Introduction and Welcome - Barwon Water*

9:10am *Mick Bourke*
Chairman - EPA

Mick is well known to the water industry and will address the conference about the EPA's latest sustainability initiatives including corporate licensing.

9:40am *Peter Davis*
ANZ Bank

Peter is the Head of Utilities, Infrastructure & Government in ANZ Institutional Banking and was previously the Head of Agribusiness for ANZ. He will discuss sustainability initiatives from the perspective of a major financial services institution.

10:20am *Federal Department of Environment & Water*
Emissions Trading/Greenhouse Challenge Plus

A representative of the Federal Department will address the conference with the latest developments in the area of emissions trading and to outline the Greenhouse Challenge Plus Program.

10:50am *Morning Tea*

11:20am *Allen Gale*

General Manager Technical Services - Goulburn Valley Water

Biosolids - National & International Perspectives

Allen has been leading the water industry with the Australian Biosolids Partnership and recently travelled to Canada to discuss technical, managerial and public aspects of sustainable biosolids management. Allen will provide the conference with insight from these experiences.

12:10pm *Carl Bicknell*

Executive Manager Water Systems - Barwon Water

Black Rock Biosolids Project

Barwon Water is partnering with Plenary Environment at the Black Rock water reclamation plant to treat and reuse biosolids as a nutrient-rich farm fertiliser or a greenhouse-friendly alternative fuel. Carl will discuss key aspects of this project.

12:45 pm *Lunch*

2:00 pm *Close*

Next joint IWA/AWA Conference

Date: 26-27 June 2008

Venue: RACV Club - Melbourne





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ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation is available at Waterfront Apartments, which are located next door to the Four Points Sheraton. Guests that stay at Waterfront Apartments have access to the facilities of the Four Points.

Please see below for contact details:

Chris McDonald:

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Telephone: (03) 5222 1370.

Kate Harding at Geelong Bay Escapes and Corporate Getaways

Email: kate@geelongbayescapes.com.au

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Please mention that the IWA conference is at Four Points by Sheraton Geelong when booking.

CONFERENCE RATES

Conference segments are available at the following rates:

<i>Segment</i>	<i>IWA/AWA/Member</i>	<i>Non-member</i>
Thursday Dinner	\$115	\$130
Friday Conference & Lunch	\$115	\$130

Please advise Joanne Church (Goulburn Valley Water) Ph: (03) 5832 0443 of any special dietary requirements.



CONFERENCE DINNER

The conference dinner, which includes beverages, will be available from 7.30 pm on Thursday, 28th February 2008 in the Peninsula Room at the Four Points Sheraton.

Pre-dinner drinks will be served from 7:00pm.

ENTERTAINMENT

A legend of Australian live comedy, Rod Quantock is a comedian, writer, director and producer with thirty years experience in cabaret, theatre, television and radio.



The generous assistance of the EPA in supporting this Conference Dinner is greatly appreciated by the Institute and the Association.



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I will/will not* be attending the Conference to be held at the Four Points Sheraton, Geelong on ***Thursday & Friday, 28th & 29th February 2008.***

****Please delete the answer not applicable and insert numbers attending in area provided.***

No.

1. Thursday Dinner _____ @ \$_____ (incl. GST) \$_____

2. Friday Conference/Lunch _____ @ \$_____ (incl. GST) \$_____

Please make cheques payable to "Institute of Water Administration Inc." Total Payment \$_____

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Confirmation of direct deposits should be emailed to Andrew Hunt (Treasurer IWA) on andrewh@coliban.com.au

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PLEASE RETURN BY WEDNESDAY, 20th FEBRUARY 2008

