

## Meeting Minutes

**Date:** Thursday, 8 March 2018

**Time:** 9:05am to 9:48am

**Location:** Ross Burnett's Shed

**Attendees:** **Nogoa Mackenzie Irrigators:** Matt Gowlett, Theo Vermaak, Chris Brumnell, Ian Burnett, Craig Pressler, Paul Wortley, Ross Burnett, Les Fluerty;  
**SunWater Staff:** Jason Smith – SunWater Service Manager, Daryl Conway – SunWater Service Manager, Donna Lewis – SunWater Administrator, Ian Davidson – Operations Supervisor;

**Apologies:** Dennis Keily – Irrigator                      **Minutes:** Donna Lewis, SunWater Administrator

**Chair:** Jason Smith – SunWater Service Manager

Agenda Items		
Item No.	Agenda Item	Action Point
1.	<p><b>Shut Down Dates:</b> Agreed Dates for 2018 After some discussion the meeting consensus was to have two shutdowns:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1<sup>st</sup> Shutdown Dates -                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ River – 21 May 2018 to 27 May 2018 (inclusive)</li> <li>○ Weemah – 21 May 2018 to 10 June 2018 (inclusive)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• 2<sup>nd</sup> Shutdown Dates -                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ River – 16 July 2018 to 29 July 2018 (inclusive)</li> <li>○ Weemah – 16 July 2018 to 29 July 2018 (inclusive)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Jason reminded irrigators of the importance for 3 days notice for water on – if there are no orders then water won't be turned back on.</p>	No Action
2.	<p><b>New Business</b> Allocations Discussion regarding allocations were held. Jason distributed copies of Nogoa Mackenzie Water Supply Scheme Information Bulletin for March 2018 which was emailed to irrigators recently. One of the useful links is to the Fairbairn Dam Storage Forecast Model. As at 5 March the <b>predicted</b> announced allocation for 1 July 2018 is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High Priority is predicted to be 100%</li> <li>• Medium Priority is <b>predicted</b> to be in the range of 0% to 40%</li> </ul> <p>(plus any carryover that individuals may have approved) Irrigators were reminded that these are <b>predictions</b> only.</p>	No Action

**Next Meeting:** Customers will be notified once a date has been determined.