

Lower Mary River Customer Advisory Committee

Date: Friday 21 November 2025

Time: 10:30am - 12:00pm

Location: Maryborough Services & Citizens Memorial Club, 163-175 Lennox Street MARYBOROUGH

Attendees:

Customer representatives: Andrew Adams; Adam Doyle; Scott Gregson-Allcott; Norman Muller; Scott Roxburgh; John Mann; Scott Maxwell

Sunwater representatives: Darren Large ((General Manager Burnett and Lower Mary (BLM)); Matthew Pearce (Head of Regulatory and Pricing); Letisha Lim (Stakeholder Relations Manager) (online); Sarah O’Grady (Stakeholder Relations Advisor) (online); Colin Bendall (Executive General Manager Operations) (online); Kayleen Walsh (Sunwater Board member)

Apologies: Scott Scruton

Minutes:

Agenda items		
Item no.	Item	Presenter
1	Meeting open	Darren Large
2	Customer engagement	Sarah O’Grady
3	Regulated asset base (RAB) Irrigation Price review	Matthew Pearce
4	Service and Performance Plans (S&PP) Lower Mary River	Darren Large
5	General business	Darren Large
6	Meeting close	

1. Meeting open

Meeting opened at 10:30am. Following introductions, Kayleen Walsh was welcomed as a new Sunwater Board member and Chair of the newly established Irrigator and Water Customers Committee. Sunwater provided an update on meeting actions from the June 2025 CAC meeting regarding the Lower Mary Offstream Storage (OSS) Detailed Business Case (DBC).

- **Member question:** Member asked Sunwater to confirm whether the \$200 million relates solely to the 3,700 ML storage for the Lower Mary OSS.
- **Sunwater response:** Sunwater confirmed the figure also covers the construction of a pump station and diversion pipe works. These works are required to enable water transfers in and out of the river and to move water into our Owanyilla Channel for delivery to Tinana Creek.

2. Customer engagement

Sunwater provided an overview of the CAC member survey, revised CAC Terms of Reference and Sunwater's Customer Survey.

3. Regulated asset base (RAB) Irrigation Price review

In response to the Queensland Government's consideration of a RAB methodology for renewals recovery, Sunwater presented on its RAB review, its purpose, scope and key dates; Queensland Competition Authority (QCA) methodology and the significance of closing annuity balances.

4. Service and Performance Plan (S&PP) Lower Mary River

Sunwater provided an overview of the bulk and distribution S&PPs for Lower Mary River 2025.

5. General business

Sunwater provided an update on the Lower Mary OSS DBC and proposed scheduling a CAC meeting around April 2026.

6. Meeting close

Meeting closed at 11:45am.

7. Actions

Action item	Owner	Status
Nil		

8. Approval and review

Chair:	Darren Large
Minutes:	Sarah O'Grady
Date:	11 December 2025