



Burdekin Water Forum

“CONFRONTING CHALLENGES IN INTEGRATED WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT”

Monday 15 February 2010
Burdekin Delta Cinemas, Ayr, North Queensland

6.30pm	Arrival		
7.00pm	Welcome	Cr Lyn McLaughlin BWF Chair	10 mins
7.10pm	Groundwater – An international perspective	Dr Ken Knox	30 mins
7.40pm	Discussion		10 mins
7.50pm	International trends in irrigation and water management	Prof Shahbaz Khan	30 mins
	Discussion		10 mins
8.30pm	General Discussion		15 mins
8.45pm	Close	Cr Lyn McLaughlin BWF Chair	15 mins
	<i>Refreshments</i>		

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8.30am	<i>Arrival – tea/coffee available</i>		
9.00am	Welcome	Michael Hoey BWF Deputy Chair	15 mins
9.10am	The Lower Burdekin – challenges and opportunities	Dr Keith Bristow	25 mins
	Discussion		10 mins
9.50am	Groundwater management	Dr Ken Knox	30 mins
	Discussion		10 mins
10.30am	UNESCO-IHP HELP PROGRAM	Prof Shahbaz Khan	30 mins
	Discussion		10 mins
11.10am	<i>Refreshment break</i>		30 mins
11.40am	Challenges in water resource planning and allocation	Nigel Kelly	25 mins
	Discussion		10 mins
12.15pm	Challenges in meeting environmental needs	Dr Jon Brodie	25 mins
	Discussion		10 mins
12.50pm	<i>Refreshment break</i>		30 mins
1.20pm	Panel Presentation		15 mins ea
	Challenges in delivering a reliable water supply - surface water	Tom Vanderbyl	
	Challenges in delivering a reliable water supply – groundwater	Andrew Kelly	
	Challenges in running a farming enterprise	Farmers	
	Challenges in meeting community water needs	Trevor Williams	
2.20pm	Positioning for future prosperity	Panel / Audience Discussion Facilitated by Shahbaz Khan	40 mins
3.00pm	Close	Michael Hoey BWF Deputy Chair	10 mins
3.10pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>		