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Lockyer Somerset Water Company Ltd

Water for Growth

- Company type – Limited by Guarantee
- Includes Advisory Group
- 7 appointed board members
- Founding membership to register
- Known as LS Water

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Chair & Board

- Chair – Graham Quirk
- Board Members – Brock Sutton, Ian Church, Andrew Johnson, Gordon Van Der Est.
- Two Vacancies to be filled with specialised persons at a later date.
- Vice Chair of Advisory Group – Greg Banff



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Next steps for the Company

The Company Limited by Guarantee will transition to a Company Limited by Shares once the project has been supported by government and we commence raising capital.

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Critical steps

1. Recommissioning of Western Corridor Recycled Water Scheme – Decision of Government
2. Water Supply agreement with SEQWATER
3. Funding from Government
4. Approval of Business Case



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Funding Application

1. KBR have been engaged to prepare and submit an application
2. The application will be submitted to the State Government for support and then an application is submitted for funding to the National Water Grid Authority – \$150 million match by \$50 million

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Water Supply Agreement with SEQWATER

- Engagement of Andrew Brown as a Commercial Advisor
- Process
- Timeline
- Sensitivities surrounding negotiations

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Advocacy with Government

- Meetings and Briefings
- Minister Butcher, Deputy Premier, Opposition Leader, MP Keith Pitt, Member for Wright, Member for Lockyer
- COMSEQ – Council of Mayors
- Southern Qld Inland & NSW Boarder Regional Alliance

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Founding Members of LS Water

- Founding membership will be represented by the current collaborative members plus 10 growers
- Invitation to be a founding member will be by EOI process due by COB Wednesday, 8 September
- If more than 10 applications are received then a panel will assess suitability based on identified criteria

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LWUF lockyer water users forum

QUEENSLAND UrbanUtilities



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Raising project capital to continue

- Timing – Estimated by Christmas
- Process
- What it will the funds be used for?

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Questions ?

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