

Tranche 2 Project Development Workshop

Background information – transition needs and opportunities, 2 – 3 December 2015



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6. Learning Culture



Enabling Structures

(1) Vision and narrative	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	escribes the	vision and narrative with regards to water sensitivity in your city	/.	
Associations of a city how to get there	1	2	vision and harrative	4	E
and why they are important	do not feature a shared understanding of the role of water in a city. Aspirations of water sensitivity are limited and unclear.	2	feature a shared understanding in the water sector of the role of water in a city. General principles and ideas of water sensitivity are understood and appreciated.	4	feature a widely shared understanding of the role of water in a city which embraces all principles of water sensitivity in a locally contextualised way. They are embedded across sectors and linked to broader city aspirations.
(2) Policies & Strategy	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	escribes the	policies and strategies with regards to water sensitivity in your o	city.	
Policies and strateaies that facilitate	1	2	3	4	5
the delivery of desired outcomes	reinforce conventional water practices.	-	reflect water sensitive principles but lack integration and coordination between sectors and levels of government.		are coherently aligned to the water sensitive vision. They coordinate effectively between sectors and levels of government and define how water sensitive goals should be achieved.
(3) Evaluation frameworks	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	escribes the	use of evaluation frameworks with regards to water sensitivity i Evaluation frameworks	n your city.	
Instruments to facilitate coordination	1	2	3	4	5
towards desired outcomes	are not used to coordinate between sectors and levels of government. Decision making is opaque.		are used and some may align with water sensitive city goals but they differ between sectors and levels of government.		are used and correspond with water sensitive city goals. They are shared by different sectors and levels of government to promote coordination, set priorities and clarify responsibilities.
(4) Legislation and regulation	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	escribes legis	slation and regulation with regards to water sensitivity in your c	ity.	
Legislative and regulative	1	2	Legislation and regulation	4	5
instruments that ensure and enable	inhibit water sensitive practices. They tend	2	neither inhibit nor promote water sensitive practices.	-	promote water sensitive practices. They are
water sensitive practices	to be prescriptive and contradict each other.		They are fragmented, complex and lack coordination between sectors.		outcome oriented, flexible, and coordinated between sectors.
(5) Incentives	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best do	escribes the i	incentives with regards to water sensitivity in your city. Incentives		
Financial and non-financial incentives	1	2	3	4	5
to promote water sensitive practices	reinforce conventional practices.		support water sensitive principles and steer practices towards water sensitive goals. They are mostly limited to financial instruments and their application is not coordinated between sectors.		align with and reinforce all goals of the water sensitive vision. A coordinated suite of financial and non-financial incentives drive water sensitive practices across different sectors.
(6) Revenue, funding and investment	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	escribes reve	nue, funding and investment with regards to water sensitivity in Revenue, funding and investment models	n your city.	
Revenue, funding and investment	1	2	3	4	5
models to deliver water sensitive practices	reinforce conventional practices.		can support water sensitive practices but they result in ad-hoc and unreliable investments.		are reliable and dedicated to driving investments in water sensitive practices. They are embedded in different policies across a range of sectors.



On-Ground Practice

(1) Water system planning	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes wate	er systems planning with regards to water sensitivity in your city	•	
			Water systems planning		
Planning of urban water	1	2	3	4	5
infrastructure	is done in isolation and does not engage		engages with urban planning. Uncertainties are		is cross sectoral and highly integrated with
	with urban planning. It is reactive and does		acknowledged and contingency planning is done.		urban planning. Uncertainty is addressed
	not take long term issues or uncertainties				through flexibility and contingency planning
	into account.				incorporates many future scenarios.
(2) Urban and landscape design	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes urba	n and landscape design with regards to water sensitivity in your	city.	
			Urban and landscape design		
Designing urban environments for	1	2	3	4	5
water service delivery	conceals and separates water service		realises water service delivery through the built		enables water service delivery to be an
	delivery from the built environment.		environment. The role of green space and water in		integral part of the built environment. Well
	Greenspace is incidental and the few public		public areas is understood in fulfilling amenity and		connected green spaces and public areas are
	displays of water features, don't deliver		functional benefits. Local aspirations are		fundamental in fulfilling important amenity
	functional and amenity benefits. Local		acknowledged and incorporated in the design process		and functional benefits. Local aspirations
	aspirations are peripheral in the design		where possible.		directly inform the design process.
	process.				
(3) Water systems design	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes wate	er systems design with regards to water sensitivity in your city.		
			Water systems design		
Designing and implementing water	1	2	3	4	5
service infrastructure	focuses on designing large scale systems to		favours one scale over the other. Multiple objective		focuses on designing at multiple scales to
	deliver water for single objective solutions.		solutions are adopted where possible and total water		achieve multiple objectives and to deliver a
	Each area of the water cycle is addressed		cycle management is understood.		range of benefits. Fit-for-purpose solutions
	separately.				are widely used and synergies between
					different areas of the water cycle are created
					and utilised.
(4) Operation and Maintenance	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes oper	ations and maintenance with regards to water sensitivity in you	r city.	
			Operations and maintenance		
Integrating and managing green	1	2	3	4	5
infrastructure in asset base.	does not consider green infrastructure and		considers some green infrastructure and waterways as		considers green infrastructure and waterways
	waterways to be part of the asset base.		part of the asset base. Monitoring and assessment is		as a highly valuable part of the asset base. Full
	Their monitoring and assessment is not		undertaken but not fully integrated into the asset		integration with other assets is achieved
	integrated in the asset management regime.		management regime.		through comprehensive monitoring and asset
					management systems.
(5) Monitoring & Evaluation	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes mon	itoring and evaluation with regards to water sensitivity in your of	city.	
			Monitoring and evaluation		
Improving existing practices through	1	2	3	4	5
monitoring & evaluation	are not used to assess the level of service		are used to assess the level of service provision.		are actively used through comprehensive data
	provision. Adapting existing practices only		Lessons learned lead to the adaptation of existing		collection and performance analysis to
	occurs when prescribed.		practices.		improve existing practices and increase water
			·		sensitivity.



(6) Citizen engagement	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best describes citizen engagement with regards to water sensitivity in your city.				
			Citizen engagement is		
Interacting and engaging with	1	2	3	4	5
citizens in decision-making processes	poor and citizens are only informed when		good and citizens are regularly informed about		excellent and citizens are treated as partners
	decisions directly affect their livelihood or		decisions. Their feedback is welcome and they are		in decision-making. Their meaningful
	when required by law.		invited to comment and express their views and		involvement and empowerment is actively
			interests.		pursued.
(7) Cost-benefit analyses	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best des	cribes how	cost-benefit analyses are undertaken with regards to water sen	sitivity in yo	ur city.
			Cost-benefit analyses		
Quantifying the costs and benefits of	1	2	3	4	5
water services	does not consider externalities and non-		considers externalities and non-market values of		considers and quantifies externalities and
	market values of water services. Lowest cost		water services but does not quantify them. Triple		non-market values of water services.
	option and return on investment are the		bottom line and multi-criteria analysis are undertaken		Investments are based on the highest value
	basis for investment decisions.		when possible.		option that incorporates market and non-
					market benefits as well as citizen preferences.

Social capital

(1) Leadership	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best describes leadership with regards to water sensitivity in your sector.				
			Leadership		
Individual and organisational	1	2	3	4	5
champions	supports conventional practices.		supports water sensitive practices through a network		is distributed and key organisations drive
			of champions. Some organisations champion water		innovation and water sensitive practices
			sensitive principles and goals.		across sectors and government levels.
(2) Science influence	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes the i	nfluence of science with regards to water sensitivity in your city.		
			Science and research		
The practices of science and its	1	2	3	4	5
influence	does not engage meaningfully with industry		engages with industry through partnerships which		engages with industry through robust
	and real world applications are of little		generate more accessible and applied science. Science		partnerships which generate reliable, trusted
	interest. It is regarded with scepticism and		is reliable, trusted and provides new insights that		and interdisciplinary science. New insights
	mostly inaccessible.		sometimes inform existing practices.		from collaborative research are highly valued
					in decision-making and provide the basis for
					adapting existing practices.
(3) Networks	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best de	scribes the r	networks with regards to water sensitivity in your city.		
			Networks		
Networks across organisations,	1	2	3	4	5
sectors and levels	are inward looking with little outreach to		are valued but they are mostly informal. They		are highly valued, informal and formal across
	develop cross sectoral relationships in		gravitate around key individuals at similar levels from		different sectors, organisations and levels.
	support of water sensitive aspirations.		different sectors. They coalesce in response to crisis or		They are strong, responsive and actively
			opportunities and generally support water sensitive		support water sensitive aspirations.
			aspirations.		



(4) Capacity	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best describes capacities with regards to water sensitivity in your city.				
			Practitioners' skills and knowledge		
Knowledge, skills and experiences of	1	2	3	4	5
practitioners	are limited to traditional urban water		are strongly based on the water management field but		are cross-sectoral, multi-disciplinary and inter-
	engineering. Integrated water-related skills		are complemented by other areas. Skills and		organisational. Specialised skills and
	and knowledge are limited.		knowledge are strong in core areas but integration is		knowledge in core areas are combined with a
			weak.		broad working knowledge of other relevant
					areas.
(5) Community connection	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best des	cribes the c	community connection with regards to water sensitivity in your c	ity.	
			The community		
Citizens' attitude and appreciation of	1	2	3	4	5
water and its role in the place they	has little understanding of the water cycle		has a general understanding of the water cycle and		is very knowledgeable about the water cycle
live	and how water systems work. People don't		how water systems work. People care about their		and how the different elements of the system
	feel connected to their local neighbourhood		neighbourhood and local waterways in the vicinity.		work together. People are proud of their
	and don't value the role of water beyond				neighbourhood and water's role in the
	basic service provision.				landscape, and welcome opportunities to be
					engaged in managing and protecting it.
(6) Learning culture	Please rate from 1 to 5 which statement best des	cribes the l	earning culture with regards to water sensitivity in your city.		
			The professional and organisational culture		
Professional and organisational	1	2	3	4	5
learning culture	is risk averse and conservative. Experiments		is open to experimentation and trial and error. Risk		embraces learning through experimentation
	are discouraged, failures are penalised and		taking is accepted in a controlled environment. New		and reflexivity. Different types of risks are
	new insights are not willingly shared.		insights are shared in closed circles.		embraced as opportunities to innovate. New
					insights are actively shared and discussed
					across sectors.



Sydney, NSW Voting results

Enabling Structures:



Social Capital:

















ENABLING STRUCTURES

SYDNEY – Strengthening and aligning policy, legislation and regulation in support of WSC				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:			
Policies and Strategies	 Inter-jurisdictional - Multiple agencies - "Together" Getting water in all Complexity - Who owns what? (lack of policy with teeth) 			
Legislation Some policy gaps State-level planning policy missing (including targets, metrics) - will inform local govt planning	 Use existing legislation better – e.g. source of revenue New stormwater harvesting regulations soon to go out to consultation + WICA Peak industry to advocate effective use of legislation Offsets and trading - Big picture/ economic efficacy Review of incentives for development More innovation required Need to understand developer attitudes, drives, barriers, influences, incentives, benefits - for different elements of WSC 			
Regulation and policy settings (e.g. NABRS /Green Star (BASIX, SEPPs) Pricing Perform 	 Targets New powers Regulation Stronger water sensitive goals and targets In partnership with CRC & industry 			
Planning and regulationIntegrated planning	 Gateway for WICA (inclusion of WICA / IWCM in planning gateway process) Master planning and design for new growth - must include options for IWCM New regulatory powers for infill development to enable dual reticulation and IWCM outcomes 			

SYDNEY – Shared vision and narrative for WSC that connects with community values and drives decision making			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:		
 Vision and narrative Needs to be applicable / adaptable to all levels Underpinned by targets – link to evaluation framework Aligned with priorities 	•		

SYDNEY – Governance frameworks that enable coordination & collaboration across agencies & sectors				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:			
 WSC practice not embedded in industry practice or council's: Communication within planning (intersection) (e.g. asset renewals) No over-arching narrative for Sydney that could reduce piece-meal approach (43 councils) 	 Over-arching coordinating body/authority? Increased excitement / energy about the idea Momentum loss as councils change – would be ameliorated if individuals remain connected 			
 Governance Lack of vision - overarching vision with nested layers at different scales that speak to different groups Lack of policy/fractured Inadequate legislation No coordination Silos for various water services Population growth will exacerbate problems Climate change will exacerbate need 	 Remove organisational barriers Integrate citizen/interest groups participation Develop technical, social, and regulatory approach/capacity Promote value of water sensitive city to greater Sydney community Engage developers to develop cost effective and stable long term infrastructure solutions, not the attractive/cheap short term solutions Develop regional strategies Integration More capacity 			

SYDNEY – New financial model and incentives t	that recognises the values and benefits of WSC
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:
 Investment pathways Development focus exists - still need to have different approach ie: What different mix of servicing strategies Discussion/evidence around costs and benefits of innovative approach Need small, agile (not necessarily large) Stormwater harvesting - difficult to demonstrate cost-benefit – e.g. if only looking at cost of water Temporal element to investment – in drought grants Accepted norm to traditional CBA Developers invest and handed over to council to maintain and need to put in significant funds 	 Change Incentives – a smart water fund for demonstration projects Opportunity for improving local government capacity to achieve special rates levy through the independent regulatory and pricing tribunal Regional analysis of costs + benefits to assist partnering to deliver locally Pilot site of innovation Sydney Water - looking for decentralised opportunity Coordinated planning
Pricing reform	SWC ring fenced Incentives for IWCM
 Revenue, funding and investment Access to funding, including for maintenance Who should pay/fund WSUD? User pays? Stormwater management is an after though/not front of mind Identify funding requirements and strategic plan and actions 	 How do you put a value on 'health' etc in your CBA? Develop multifunctional assets and infrastructure, and raise and divert funding Develop place-based planning "Whole of Catchment" water management plans would facilitate WSUD works over time to be effective Funding - ongoing finances for future maintenance Sponsorship Embed stormwater management costs as a "normal" cost to beneficiaries Make people value it so they want to fund it – cultural shift Water sensitive philanthropy ' crowd sourcing' Real case studies to show improvements - why is something valuable Build understanding in community that stormwater is a ploplutant and needs treatment to

	 reduce impacts on natural assets A WSUDs judging body which provides technical advice & funding - Allows proper assessment of projects for funding and best practice Identify a galvanising vision to engage and educate communities eg "Swim in Sydney harbour" Focus on how much people are willing to pay for something ie swimming in Parramatta river, having a green park Divert some runoff from other areas – environmental restoration/management Target waterways health and raise funding with Sydney water and local council Develop solutions along with flood mitigation projects Address local flooding and environmental issue, and divert funding to develop WSUD
	 Improvements of waterways health – sewer overflow and stormwater management •
 Revenue, funding and investment Prevent use of stormwater levies to cross subsidies other areas Require reporting on spending of levies More innovative revenue streams Need more value from investments by developers (ineffective infrastructure) State Gov funding for "Blue Grid" (Similar to green grid) 	 Health department (preventative medicine) Insurance agencies (flooding Combine developer contributions to a larger more effective local solutions that would provide great local amenity and local process and or waster and storm water Localities (sub-sub-catchments) petition for devices in their own area rather than councils choose the location which has less enthusiasm from community Community crowd sourcing – infrastructure, lobby government Developer contributions of offset mechanisms Corporate sponsorship of raingardens, trees, WSUD
 Incentives New or improved rating based programs (i.e. BASIX +++, Green star more effective) 	 Make Green Star and other rating tools relevant and appropriate for stormwater. Typically stormwater in these tools are not appropriate as developed by Energy Consultants. Incentives should not just be related to money This could be a good topic for CRC research – for example: we need to go beyond money, environmental incentives/just for the sake of the planet Schemes to allow offsets for green/blue initiatives - water Sensitive Trading Schemes (i.e. pollutants, volume/flow) eco markets Good old fashioned rebates - WSUD devices
Willingness to pay	Evidence to make innovative business cases

What is the business case to pay for WSC's?How do we know the value to better invest?	 Get buy in on the recognition of evidence Communicating that message and amplifying that message Quantifying/ valuing intangibles - work of the CRC
 Cost-benefit analysis No coordination of the complete water cycle between governmental departments 	 Opportunities to use ??improvement to implement WSUD Cost benefit analysis requires monitoring and evaluation Showcase projects and give better recognition to them Environmental value of water to include aquatic benefits including quantifying benefit to community, recreational fishing, clean waterways. Not just based on the supply of water. Better quantify benefits and beneficiaries Monitoring and evaluation to gather data Don't be afraid of failure Develop a culture - less risk adverse Comparative analysis of what works and what doesn't, e.g. sacrificing open space versus provision of open space

ON GROUND PRACTICES

SYDNEY – Achieving multiple benefits through integrated planning, and design of water systems & the urban form							
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:						
 Finding space for multiple benefits Multifunctional use of space Natural + built environment co-existence Modify regulatory frameworks to enable multifunctional use of space Partnerships between agencies to open up and combine space 	 More regulations to bring "green developments" (i.e. work on DCPs) More effective cost/benefit analysis + tools Create more permeable surfaces 						

SYDNEY – Efficient & effective operations and maintenance systems to achieve WSC outcomes					
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:				
Asset / infrastructure linking to long-term asset management plans for local government					
Operation and maintenance	Integrated planning				
Life cycle cost \$	 Get all players in the room early to get all issues aired and addressed 				
 Lack of forward thinking - planning 	Do appropriate forward budgeting for maintenance				
 Lack of knowledge / capacity 	Sharing information, workshops, seminars				
Working in silos	Up-to-date guidelines for best practice				
Budget constraints \$	 Integrate O&M issue to develop and design of urban WSUD 				
Risks?	Improve the skills of the maintenance crews				
Culture of Council	Make council's value 'Water sensitive urban design'				
Reliance on consultant advice	 Multi function areas (water management/ recreation/ biodiversity) will help spread 				
Lack of integration or relevant O&M personnel	maintenance costs across budgets sources				
in planning process	Real case studies to emulate (& assist forward planning)				
	 Develop internal capacity on O&M matters since the existing knowledge on WSUD asset 				

		management is limited
	•	Design the assets for easy maintenance i.e. driveways to access wetlands etc.
Asset / infrastructure linking to long-term asset management plans for local government	•	

SYDNEY – Monitoring & evaluation for improved system design and performance				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:			
Metrics and criteria to measure WSC	 Identify prioritised / target areas that will yield maximum benefit and provide incentive for developers Need new metrics to measure and evaluate costs and benefits of on-ground practices - justification of WSC approaches, helps achieve co-ordinated approach Create right metrics Embed in policy Baseline required - No regret actions - What's possible now 			
Water quality targets and cumulative load models	 Online models for calculating loads + receiving water impact thresholds – using locally calibrated ANZECC guidelines 			
 Evaluation frameworks for current practices technologies- create consistency in validation process How do you scale frameworks and evaluation process- multiscale evaluation criteria needed – city, precinct, catchment etc Lack of coordination between different organisations to deliver evaluation- eg. Does state govt take lead in setting criteria? Need consistent delivery framework. 	 Need evaluation frameworks for each topic of "enabling structures" eg. Visia/ narrative, policies, strategy, Case study etc DA processing- evaluation framework- mopping/ linking evaluation frameworks to DA process Linking aspirations and practice Evaluation frameworks for new and emerging initiatives- eg. Offset schemes; tell us how to evaluate the effectiveness of new initiatives – guidance. Evaluation of frameworks for a wider range of integrated solutions- eg. Wastewater /stormwater combined systems 			

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SYDNEY – Guidance on how to develop context-specific solutions and asset management regimes					
What are the most important things to achieve:	What is required support those priorities:				
 Mainstreaming technology through the lifecycle Simplify terminology so everyone understands More "how to" guidelines for the various disciplines Collect and communicate evidence Need someone or something to lead the implementation, responsibility, remit, funding Need simple robust systems that can be installed, maintained – compliance, warranties? 	 Work together with landscapers, manufacturers, plumbers, construction Price control More regulation (ie. Australian standards) Seed a work team to maintain stormwater devices in new developments clustered around intense development areas (near rivers) + urban transport nodes, cost-benefit Engage Automative Technology Association to come up with clever, cheap and easy devices We need a revolution 				
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Melbourne, Vic Voting results

Enabling Structures:



Social Capital:







Melbourne: Capacity (= Knowledge, skills and experiences of practitioners)

















MELBOURNE – ENABLING STRUCTURES - 'TRANSITION NEEDS'

No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
а	Urban & landscape design	19	 State government = 8 Local government = 3 Private = 5 Water Utility = 3
b	Operations & Maintenance / Monitoring & Evaluating	25	 State government = 7 Local government = 6 Private = 9 Water Utility = 3
С	Citizen Engagement	12	 State government = 5 Local government = 4 Private = 2 Water Utility = 1
d	Water systems design; Cost-benefit analysis; Citizen engagement; Monitoring & evaluation	33	 State government = 10 Local government = 7 Private = 4 Water Utility = 2
E	Cost-benefit analysis; Monitoring & evaluation?	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
F	On-ground practice	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
G	Water Systems Design; Citizen engagement	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
h	Water Systems Planning	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
i	Water Systems Planning; Monitoring & Evaluation; Cost-benefit analysis	5	 State government = 4 Local government = 1 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
j	Water systems planning; Cost-benefit analysis	4	 State government = 2 Local government = 1 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0

Melbourne - Policy & legislative framework (a)					
Total votes = 35 (State government = 14; Local government = 5; Private = 10; Water Utility = 6)					
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:			
Identify appropriate regulation to enable/support policy intent (eg. SEEP) Align / combine /refine regulation 	• Nil	• Nil			
 Legislative framework that support multi-beneficiaries of a WSC Recognize long-term social benefits Should there be dis-incentives for states or poor practice le Build incentive & disincentive 	 Selling value proposition of long-term benefits ie. Inform new framework 	• Nil			
Review policy, legislative and adapt planning frameworks to get WSC outcome in development at all scales	Identify best practice identify gaps & inconsistencies	Commitment to innovation and implementation			
Updates regulations (cl. 24 SEPPWOV) for place based/rick based process	 Advice to SEPP review on risk Model Expansion of tool kit 	 DELWP to come to CRC for advise on SEPP review Port Phillip environmental management plan to come to CRC 			
Lift policy ban on uses of alternative water sources	• Nil	• Nil			
Broaden responsibilities of government (incl. Local, water action etc.) To triple bottom line approach – through regulation / legislation	 Facilitate discussion with regulators on broaden benefits Not existing financial models that promotes lower costs and agreed value on externalities Increase awareness of other & benefits from social / environment outcomes 	 State Government Ensure eg / legislation ensure outcome to achieve water sensitive cities Local Government & Utilities to determine willingness to pay of their constituents /customs Also health benefits Waterway benefit Flooding costs 			

 & policy spaces, i.e. health sector of WSC on delivering their policy outcomes Elucidating barriers across sectors to facilitate change (i.e. policy mismatch) 	 Greater linkage of water outcomes with other sectors & policy spaces, i.e. health sector 	•	Engage with other sectors of importance of WSC on delivering their policy outcomes Elucidating barriers across sectors to facilitate change (i.e. policy mismatch)	•	Same as CRC
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What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Shared vision of a water sensitive city	 Policy advice Neutral/independent facilitator Bring in data on community view/engagement 	Water plans adoptsPlan Melbourne
 Vision and narrative – embed in the community Making clear what is in it for the community What are the benefits? Green playing fields Across organizations / within org To drive decision making To avoid random political decisions 	 Listen – dovetail research and needs Talk to/present to other group and industries (develop cities / transition) Provide independents reflection on where we are going wrong – where are the barriers Research and b. advocacy 	 Bring section on board – percent to / go and talk to
 Create shared vision, across all sectors Clearly communicated Well-articulated Community ownership & engagement of water way tangible to community eg. Dutch example 	 Define & communicate core outcomes of a WSC Benefits of a water sensitive cities Inform – influence policy opportunities eg. Infrastructure Victoria water plan 	 Build on state government vision in water plan 30 year old vision – infrastructure Victoria Promote to community Commit to having consistency and common messaging Peek bodies to align and messaging of all industry players
Developing a shared vision that reflects community needs and aspirations (reflected in govt. policy)	• Nil	• Nil
 Shared compelling vision Contextualised & connected stakeholders Vision for community Vision know by government 	 Literacy → community. How to improve? Understand what water literacy means for community Overarching story & great narrative 	• Nil

•	Place based liveability: what does this mean to an individual?	
•	Tools for improving literacy	

Melbourne - Integrated planning (c)		
Total votes = 7 (State government = 0; Local government = 5; Private = 2; Water Utility = 0)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
 Update BPEM – integrate into planning Integrate water planning with urban planning 9 (eg. Plan Melbourne) 	 T1 – Toolkit available (D1.1) T1 Planning recommendations (B5.1) T2 – case studies of (successful) local planning policy implementation. T2 – expanding on tools for appropriate scales 	Participate in case studies and tool development (T2)

Melbourne - Incentives; Revenue, funding & investment; and Evaluation frameworks (d)		
Total votes = 38 (State government = 13; Local government = 9; Private = 12; Water Utility = 4)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Evaluation frameworks - externalities	• Nil	• Nil
better cost evaluation frameworks		
Move beyond economic evaluation frameworks	Create non-economic, liveability, integrated evaluation frameworks	• Nil
Improve evaluation and long term funding models, coordinating across sectors and levels of government	 Evaluation models Models to take into account non- financial/quantifiable benefits 	Government incentives
 Financial justification for investment in WSC treasury, councils, developers, utilities, private reduce the financial gap (innovation, efficiency) identify mechanisms to find the gap 	 More systemic/holistic economic assessment/business case WSC outcomes How to find the gap between financially viable & WSC aspiration 	 Link more strongly with CRCWSC to leverage capacity & expertise of industry Show case success/case studies

Coordinated funding & revenue streams to address market failures Questions: Who is paying for what? Unclear funding & revenue No agreement on cost-sharing principles Risk sharing & allocation of risk unclear Un-clear valuation (benefits)	 Nationwide, coordinated approach to off-sets & schemes Incentives as solution beyond state boundaries 	 Create a market (water trading) Create discussion around Integrating multiple be
 Sustainable & shared funding mechanisms Ensure multiple sources Considered as core, no opportunistic Create innovative policy & funding mechanisms & frameworks e.g. value capture Does it cost more to have a WSC – timing, if yes where does the cost lay? 	 Articulate monetary & non-monetary benefits & time consequences What new frameworks & models for shared funding for WSC benefits (multi-beneficiaries = multiple investors required) More contemporary cost-benefit analysis frameworks – different paradigm required Costs more initially – seeding market required – transparency to identify investors 	Nil



MELBOURNE – ON GROUND PRACTICES

No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
а	Urban & landscape design	19	 State government = 8 Local government = 3 Private = 5 Water Utility = 3
b	Operations & Maintenance / Monitoring & Evaluating	25	 State government = 7 Local government = 6 Private = 9 Water Utility = 3
С	Citizen Engagement	12	 State government = 5 Local government = 4 Private = 2 Water Utility = 1
d	Water systems design; Cost- benefit analysis; Citizen engagement; Monitoring & evaluation	33	 State government = 10 Local government = 7 Private = 4 Water Utility = 2
E	Cost-benefit analysis; Monitoring & evaluation?	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
F	On-ground practice	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
G	Water Systems Design; Citizen engagement	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
h	Water Systems Planning	0	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
İ	Water Systems Planning; Monitoring & Evaluation; Cost- benefit analysis	5	 State government = 4 Local government = 1 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
j	Water systems planning; Cost- benefit analysis	4	 State government = 2 Local government = 1 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0



MELBOURNE - Urban and landscape design (a)

Total votes = 19 (State government (8); Local government (3); Private (5); Water Utility (3)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Stormwater quality quantity greening at buildings	 Extended on green stormwater technology Guidelines or green buildings infrastructure – same as for bio-filtration 	 Participate Review industry water sensitive design guidelines
Spatial arrangements for Green infrastructures to provide multiple benefits and cash benefits eg. Urban head island efforts	 Valuing of benefits Research -> \$ Value (to embed into industry practice) Disseminate info Value being accepted by ESC / Industry 	Offer case studiesSupport research
 Provide on-group examples (demonstrations/experimentation) of water sensitive initiatives at a range of scales that: Demonstrate planning a design collaboration Provide basis for O&M, M&E learning / capacity Benefits to community event Understand & manage risk 	 Provide evidence (proof of concept) Provide evaluation capacity 	 Provide locations and opportunities Provide organization support funding to deliver Provide expertise & capacity around community engagement, operations and maintenance.



MELBOURNE - Operations & Maintenance / Monitoring & Evaluating (b) Total votes = 25 (State government (7); Local government (6); Private (9); Water Utility (3)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
 Maintenance and performance IWM system Are they delivering the level of service? What are the life cycle costs? Is there an optional maintenance regime? Can we more cheaply and effectively monitor systems performance? Eg. Vegetation cover as a indicator of performance in biofilter Are we evaluating performance in the right way? 	 Helping to define levels of service Develop indicators of performance/monitor recommendations Consolidate life cycle cost information Provide system on maintenance 	 Provide case study material Perform monitoring Trial indicators of performance
Developing tools – monitoring, evaluation feed back into design: a, b, c, d: • Operation • Site selection • Design • Tech. selection • Yield and quality	 Is there an on-going project (eg. Gum Scrub Creek?) 	 Test/implement Support the Coordination Implementation system



MELBOURNE - Citizen Engagement (C)

Total votes = 12 (State government (5); Local government (4); Private (2); Water Utility (1)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Citizen Engagement Providing a clear transparent approach	 Increase community's water literacy Provide advice to industry to help increase community's water literacy A citizen jury type approach; to identify community's vision for a WSC 	 They need to build citizen engagement (providing a clear transparent approach) Use IAP2 framework A citizen jury type approach; to identify community's vision for a WSC
Developing processes for effective community engagement	Continuation of visioning stream A4 & A3	Participation
Citizen engagement Focus groups Target '155' for green cities	 Case studies Identify preferred channels What is the baseline of understanding What is our kind of engagement 	 Produce material of community engagement (e.g. videos) Provide info for case studies Engage in the right way



MELBOURNE - Water systems design; Cost-benefit analysis; Citizen engagement; Monitoring & evaluation (d)

Total votes = 3 (State government (10); Local government (7); Private (4); Water Utility (2)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Decision-making framework for water sector & local government planning authorities Better understanding of costs; long-term life cycles; better assessment; non-quantifiable costs/benefits; more transparency; community decisions & inputs	 Place where costs are incurred is different to where benefits accrue How to deal with multi-layered projects A generic model or local government model 	 Demonstrate, test models, evaluate e.g. Clyde Casey analysis Willingness for parties to cooperate & work together Sharing best practice

MELBOURNE - Cost-benefit analysis; Monitoring & evaluation? (e)		
Total votes = 0 (State government (0); Local government (0); Private (0); Water Utility = 0)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Investment evaluation process	Continue from T1 economic projects	Participate



MELBOURNE – On-ground practice (f)

Total votes = 0 (State government (0); Local government (0); Private (0); Water Utility = 0)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Clear decision-making framework to enable influence (ground rules in different contexts; conflict between policy frameworks) (Cost Benefit Analysis doesn't give guidance on how to deal with different policies)	 Business case beyond CBA – contextualize e.g. council vs consultancy Identify leverage & "sweet spots' to influence 	 Understand decision-making process How are decisions made? Understanding the cascade of influence

MELBOURNE – Water Systems Planning Citizen engagement (g) Total votes = 0 (State government (0); Local government (0); Private (0); Water Utility = 0)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Indirect/direct potable reuse	• Nil	• Nil
social challenges		
integration missing		



MELBOURNE - Water Systems Planning (h) Total votes = 0 (State government (0); Local government (0); Private (0); Water Utility = 0)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Planning for whole of life cycle costs/project delivery model to become standard practice	Advocate for appropriate maintenance costs as part of project development	 Not accept business cases without costed asset maintenance schedules

MELBOURNE – Water Systems Planning; Monitoring & Evaluation; Cost-benefit analysis (i) Total votes = 5 (State government (4); Local government (1); Private (0); Water Utility = 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Robust, simple, agreed, TOTEX economic evaluation framework for comparing options	 Case studies Identify top 3 non-market values Visualise 'story' comparison; 'look & feel' of options What do we lose if we continue with business as usual? E.g. waterway health decline 	 Provide case studies, also what didn't work Scenario planning Involve citizens e.g. via deliberative polling 	



MELBOURNE – Water Systems Planning; Cost-benefit analysis (j)

Total votes = 4 (State government (2); Local government (1); Private (1); Water Utility = 0)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
Understand the ingredients for a successful water sensitive project – CBA is one part Do strategic plans work?	 Assess the projects that got up & those that didn't Identify where resources should be spent 	• Nil		
	 Beyond CBA, identify what factors take WSC from a 3 to a 5 Examine internal planning & decision- making process 			
Melbourne		Social Capital		
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No.	Cluster		Total votes	Breakdown
а	Community Connection - Community understanding of water cycle – understand how landscape (land – water) connections work		12	 State Government = 5 Local Government = 2 Private = 4 Water utility = 1
b	Commu	nity Education	2	 State government = 0 Local government = 0 Private = 1 Water Utility = 1
С	Capacit	y building	19	 State government = 4 Local government = 10 Private = 3 Water Utility = 2
d	Science Learning	e influence & g Culture	16	 State government = 8 Local government = 4 Private = 1 Water Utility = 3
E	Leaders	ship	4	 State government = 3 Local government = 0 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0
F	Commu Science Culture	nity Connection; influence; Learning	19	 State government = 5 Local government = 6 Private = 5 Water Utility = 3

MELBOURNE - Community Connection - Community understanding of water cycle – understand how landscape (land – water) connections work (a)

Total votes = 12 (State Government = 5; Local Government = 2; Private = 4; Water utility = 1)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Community buy-in is critical for city wide transformation and questions of risk	 Avenues for community support and participation Help build support Achieve the 'right' level of support Find ways for the community to participate Identify the connections that resonate to encourage participation (different connections (recreational, productive, mental, sense of place) 	 Educate & Raise awareness Listen by engagement; what is acceptable and identify needs

MELBOURNE - Community Education (b)				
Total votes = 2 (State government = 0; Local government = 0; Private = 1; Water Utility = 2)				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
Base level water literacy	 Explain the benefits of having a water-literate community Finding ways to engage with uneducated citizens Competing with other educators (how can we deliver multiple messages?) 	 Use existing channels to engage & educate Campaigns (e.g. "Don't flush drinking water down the toilet") 		

MELBOURNE - Capacity Building (c)				
Total votes = 19 (State government = 4; Local government = 10; Private = 3; Water Utility = 2)				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
 Capacity to deliver from problem definition to evaluation Evaluate on framework Plan -> Design -> Construct -> Maintain -> Evaluate (loop) This underpins adaptive management Learning culture – accept experimentation 	 Training and capacity building content Support experimentation Updating design manuals 	 Planning Formalize design standards Co-invest on pilot projects with CRCWSC Manage community expectations that the pilot is acceptable with scientific backing Identify projects that are safe to fail 		
 Capacity Building linkages between tertiary, vocational, TAFE, Trade education & industry needs 	 Help identify the WSC future, to identify the WSC future, to identify capacity needs Influence the influencers Write for specific audiences 	 Identify current and future needs Capacity for planning, implementing, operating (& handovers) 		
Target non-watch agencies to provide leadership to achieve integrated outcomes	 Engage with other agencies: Vic Roads / Transport Engage with other CRC Organisations (CRC Low Carbon Living) 	Bring project ideas to the table		

MEL BOURNE - Science influence & Learning Culture (d)				
Total vetes = 16 (State government = $9:1$ and government = $4:$ Drivets = $1:$ Weter Litility = 2)				
Total votes – 16 (State government – 8, Local gover				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
Knowledge, knowledge • Sharing • using	 clarity of outcomes From T1 availability innovative ways of showing T1 T2 (how to develop) Best practice forums Technical manual 	 Establish industry forums to Share experiences Learn experiences Apply experiences Document experiences Mentoring across boundaries Recognizing/using "leaders" 		
 Science communication for different stakeholders Senior level politicians Community Management Champion & lobbying Not delivering on community communication Language not personalized enough Not front of mind of community Limited understanding of system & management 	 Charismatic scientists High profile approachable Capacity building for scientists communication Communication strategies for different stakeholders Improve communication amongst CRC partners Knowledge translation of science to difference practices. Accessible equals influence 	 Knowledge translation of science to difference practices. Accessible equals influence Identify if right network nodes for communication 		
 Knowledge transfer Working to ensure right people get right message Sharing of knowledge/learnings Engagement 	Have a strategy to achieve knowledge transfer and build ownership	 Participating in opportunities for knowledge transfer Making time/providing opportunity to increase knowledge Ownership through active participation in research 		

MELBOURNE – Leadership (e)

Total votes = 4 (State government = 3; Local government = 0; Private = 1; Water Utility = 0)

What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Developing emerging leaders to achieve a water sensitive city	 Capacity building – study tours, emerging leaders course, university course content Science policy – training for emerging leaders 	 Keep informed Identify & support emerging leaders Succession planning Embedding water sensitive cities into their way of thinking
Develop a market for WSC outcomes (new developments)	 Develop rating tools WSC Index Help communicate value proposition Clarify where markets work best 	 Embed tools into everyday process Provide case studies e.g. Sydney rain gardens at roundabouts Explore differential price & rate systems

MELBOURNE – Community Connection; Science influence; Learning Culture (f) Total votes = 19 (State government = 5; Local government = 6; Private = 5; Water Utility = 3)				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
Increasing community awareness of water cycle & their role & consequences & costs of their actions	 What are drivers for community to change their actions to benefit the environment What are the avenues to effectively engage the community to effect behavior change 	 Alignment of activities – common message based on research Work with CRCWSC to ensure programs they are running are applicable 		

 To clearly identify & articulate 'the problem" that WSC is helping to solve, how it is important to the individual, family, community Catalyse a national campaign to drive a change in behavior & practice related to water & green infrastructure Australian context: solar radiation, heat, water Water is a key enabler of communities 	 Help with problem articulation & methods of community engagement Evidence How to enhance willingness to pay/social licence to be charged Better articulation of the problem 	 Conduit between CRCWSC knowledge/evidence & community Develop & implement policies & actions (state & local) that support
Citizen attitudes, appreciation & engagement in total water cycle management e.g. community engaged in drought but not waterway	 Tools & technologies on how to engage & measure impact Role of market forces in selling the value 	Tell a story but not just their own



Brisbane, Qld Results

BRISBANE - Influence public & political opinion by building a compelling case for the Water Sensitive City in the local context Total votes = 12 (State government (4); Local government (1); Private (5); Water Utility (1); NGO (1))				
What are the most important things to	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support	What can industry do:		
achieve:	those priorities:			
Engage development industry, create whole of life value proposition, align needs/ opportunities for everyone's benefit.	 Influence urban planning and regulation Help create public demand to change policies Provide tools to inform system based thinking/ decision making 	 Advocate Demonstration projects Enable developers to "sell" new vision, create <u>branding</u> <u>Support innovation</u> in regulation Risk and costs get passed onto society/ community 		
Politics: - Clarify issues and provide evidence - Legitimising regulation – not throwing good elements out in reforms to remove red tape	 Offsite stormwater management Innovative, local approach Prescriptive vs performance based regulation with flexibility for locally based solutions and benefits balanced with or aligned with urban design guidelines etc More autonomy fro regional organisations Better transitions of research into policy relevant advice 	 Access to policy networks Better connection to information in 'elevated pictures' Apply community communication and engagement knowledge and tools, and build capacity in this area 		
Influencing public opinion_this drives most of the other structures/ processes/ pathways	 Provide <u>evidence</u> of benefits Help to create the <u>right</u> types of <u>communications</u> (images, examples etc) Create joint vision and objectives 	 Provide leadership Create joint objectives to align with actual interactions (catchment to bay) 		

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BRISBANE - Develop a snared vision & narrative for SEQ as a WSC that is locally specific					
Total votes = 5 (State government (1); Local gov	ernment (0); Private (3); Water Utility (0); NGO (1				
What are the most important things to	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support	What can industry do:			
achieve:	those priorities:				
Shared vision of a water sensitive SEQ Regional plan	 Independent facilitation Research knowledge Build compelling case for WSC to engage stakeholders 	 Influence 30 year water strategy Expert panel Peak bodies for urban development 			
 Vision & narrative How do you work out trade-offs & drivers Content specific Unified vision Simple meaning that make sense to people 	 WS Index WS toolkit Dance4water Facilitating role e.g. A2.4 visioning workshops Urban metabolism 	 Articulate drivers &hooks at different scales e.g. how does energy relate to WSC in green star rating Educating & informing developers about alternatives – get developers to the table. Communicating value to the developers Understanding & communicating lifecycles costs not just up-front costs 			

BRISBANE - Develop a new financial model that recognises the values and benefits of Water Sensitive Cities Total votes = 12 (State government (2): Local government (4): Private (4): Water Utility (1): NGO (1))				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
New financial model not penalizing WSC – Infrastructure/models/asp. Problems: 1- Costs are not right (supply/discharge) Infrastructure charging regime passes costs to community	 Infrastructure – charging regime – study – Plug-ins for different solutions at different institutions Understand and quantify the true costs of water + benefits – Supply + wastewater – Right tools to support this analysis Understand transition cost - cost to move 	 Advocate Share data 		

	 between systems Regional specific Tools to support that assessment Understand optimal solutions for different local contexts - optimal mix of solutions 	
Infrastructure charges framework	Research around whole of lifecycleCosting	Participate and leadChanges to current reforms
Create incentives that enable WSC outcomes	 Demonstrate environmental costs / benefits Assess / demonstrate whole-of-life / system-based outcomes / costs / benefits 	•

BRISBANE - Governance framework to enable coordination & collaboration across agencies & sectors		
What are the most important things to	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support	What can industry do:
achieve:	those priorities:	
 Whole of government systems e.g. whole water cycle management plans, and overall coordination role with shared targets (stretch targets) Water cycle fragmentation Lack of regional approach Disconnected roles & responsibilities Context of : restructuring/reforms/change of government 	 Advocacy for more alignment in policy & planning frameworks Informing business case with research from elsewhere Communication tools for broader benefits of good water management & to demonstrate attitudinal & behavioural change 	 Genuine commitment for water cycle management Review incentives for water cycle planning & actions Adopt goals beyond "no negative change" Find opportunities for embedding incentives, coordination requirements
Collaboration & bridging structure Loss of national coordination & advocacy body Fragmentation of water management responsibilities; storm water vs supply vs waste	Advocate for national body	 Lead by example – best practice Learn from each other about how collaboration can be established Kick start leadership

		Why do we do well in certain areas but not in others – learn!A
Co-ordinating entity/authority Role: Champion WSC & coordinating role Negotiate roles & responsibilities Avenue for revenue & funding	 Advise on effective models Who should be involved Need honest broker Identify international success stories 	Commit resources

BRISBANE - Understand and improve the legislative, negative and policy tools to enable and promote water sensitive practices Total votes = 10 (State government (2); Local government (2); Private (3); Water Utility (1); NGO (2)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Review of policies and legislation Highlight inconsistencies Align goals of agencies Integrate objectives 	 Independent + outside review of policy + legislation (best practice basis) GAPS analysis 	 Levels of government + water companies Agree + initiate review
 Legislation and regulation Flexibility and coordination What are minimum community standards Cost is about enabling to achieve performance 	 Help understand what min. community standard is? Capturing complexity into a policy / code Need good methods Local waterways needs and thresholds Revisions desired standards of service Packaging knowledge and presenting to ?? inform policy 	 Localised standards of service Allow flexibility to occur (i.e. not one size fits all) Be ?? performance feedback to Regulations Some Industry bodies age as knowledge brokers taking CRC → Industry

BRISBANE - Understand how to achieve multiple benefits through integrated planning and design of water systems & the urban form Total votes = 16 (State government (4): Local government (4): Private (5): Water Utility (1): NGO (2)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Integrated infrastructure planning at all scales 1. Holistic framework 2. Infill contested spaces Common vision	 WSC vision, translate 'infra' provision Parks, roads, stormwater standards What is the function Multiple functions, level of service Asset management Localised service levels – flood Non-asset solutions 	 Translating how – who pays, owns, manages Change service standards – acceptable solutions Councils/ DA, tools to assess
Systematically capturing & integrating multiple values (& disciplines) into industry & design standards	 Integrate decision support tools & frameworks Identify & fill knowledge gaps Develop standards with support from industyr 	 Create multidisciplinary teams Increase collaboration Adopt & champion multi-value industry standards
Incorporate systems thinking, holistic catchment & WSC planning at all levels (Local, regional, state, community) Practice IWRM at all levels	 Develop suite of measures & standards Communicate IWRM & systems knowledge 	 Lose water quality targets as sole/major priority Holistic outcome-focus

BRISBANE - Develop next generation flood risk assessment framework and tools as part of a WSC approach Total votes = 16 (State government (2): Local government (4): Private (0): Water Utility (0): NGO (1)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Quantifying flood mitigation benefits of alternative water systems & catchment management practices	 How to manage before/after floods (give Brisbane its kidney back) Integrated modelling Systems to account for flooding performance, impact of catchment management activities Engage with insurance industry for information 	•
Flood assessment tools & management strategies & frameworks Problems:	 Scenario simulations – design curve for certain technology New flood management framework for 	 Make resource allocation a priority Rigorous/robust assessment of flood events

Existing assessment tools & rationales
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BRISBANE - Better knowledge sharing to raise CRC profile and influence on-ground practices Total votes = 4 (State government (1); Local government (1); Private (1); Water Utility (1); NGO (0)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
CRCWSC needs to raise its profile and awareness in South East Queensland industry	 Transfer CRC knowledge to future generation Increase CRCWSC knowledge to current professional in water and broader stakeholders More self promotion 	 Help CRCWSC with opportunity to explain its vision and research (through AWA, SWA local govt. etc)
Better knowledge sharing	 Make the CRCWSC website more accessible and usable Directory of industry practitioners Integrated model 	 Report on its case studies Be proactive itself in finding out what the CRCWSC is doing

BRISBANE - Monitoring and evaluation to provide local evidence for improved water system design and performance Total votes = 15 (State government (4); Local government (2); Private (5); Water Utility (1); NGO (3)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Locally –relevant monitoring + evaluation systems to collect info on success + failures to share knowledge better Lesson learned + feedback + dissemination	 Framework to collect + disseminate data Communicate learnings in accessible ways Consider local context + make learnings applicable to it 	 Providing data + information Champion - advocate learning Include data & information on processes that support & champion WSCs
Learn from current projects and case studies	 Report of project outcomes Life cycle costs analysis Ground proof existing tools 	 Bring forward their projects Collaborate with researchers Identify existing barriers hindering application

BRISBANE - Guidance on how to develop context- Total votes = 8 (State government (4); Local government	-specific solutions and asset management regimes ment (1); Private (3); Water Utility (1); NGO (0)	
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Guidance on offsite stormwater management including off-set schemes to incentivise alternative solutions / system designs	 Maintenance costs Monitoring and evaluation of long-term performance Rural riparian restoration Training → feeding into Water by Design, contribute resources Economic models for alternative schemes Improve science on efficiency and costs of catchment management 	 Coordinate training and capacity building effort including learning from failures and successes Develop 'off-set' Schemes based on CRC science to provide incentive for multiple benefit solutions
For Urban Infill (<2,500m ² lots) - On the lot - Informed by catchment and context	 Identify what's possible, effective, effective, economically viable, socially acceptable. Economic / funding (e.g. reverse auctions) DA tools 	 Good integrated design at smaller scales DA, planning
Asset Management Financial Level of services Roles and responsibilities 	 ZAM – City Manningham Visual Amenity SVB tropical 	 Integrated Asset Management Resource recovery Close loop
Context-specific alternative solutions (e.g. stormwater treatment) Performance under tropical conditions	 Testing systems (e.g. bioretention) in tropical / sub-tropical conditions & developing guidance manuals System performance at different scales – optimum solution for different scales? Long term performance Recycling Centre of Excellence Adopt Water VAL (testing framework for stormwater technologies 	 Helping to identify and access demonstration sites (Local Gov & Developers)

BRISBANE - Creating a culture that embraces uncertainty, encourages learning and supports innovation		
Total votes = 8 (State government (2); Loca	al government (3); Private (3); Water Utility (0); NGC	D (0)
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Innovative culture of learning Cross sectoral / organizational/ level Appreciation of experimentation	 To take the fear out of uncertainty. Encourage innovation and new solution Model of engagement between industry and government - exchange 	New measurements of success and performance indicators
Support innovation	CRCWSC can lead to: Cost efficiencies Business case Cost effective Innovation pathway. Risk outline Risk framework Demo projects Seed financial required	 Calculated risk Areas of most benefit Information support

BRISBANE - Build community connection and ownership to promote behaviours for WSCs		
Total votes = 8 (State government (4); Loca	Il government (3); Private (5); Water Utility (3); NGC	O (0)
What are the most important things to	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those	What can industry do:
achieve:	priorities:	
Proactive campaign	 Market research on what would/could work? 	Engage industry media/marketing departments
A new campaign with WSC messages (e.g.	WSC index	Create an award for the best WSC campaign
River Cities, Blue Brisbane)	Awareness (competition)	•
Capacity building /knowledge building –	Legal point discharge	Community asset management
community	Raingarden	Community education campaigns
 To help meet WSC goals 	Low impact development	Facilitation
Targets – non asset solutions	Body corporate management	 Legislation, local laws, state laws
	Incentives through DA	
	 Behavioural change engagement 	
	 Business case ↔ 10,000 raingardens 	
	Hip pocket & water energy news, water use	
	Pricing	
Communication with media + influencing	Bring in relevant disciplines for media comms.	 Bring in relevant disciplines for media comms.

as a way to connect and inform communities and politics	 Media training 	 Media training •
Community understanding Awareness and demand for WS – practices / goals	 Informing industry on what the community wants (performances, drivers, etc) → Help inform industry to undertake right activities 	 Building up community capacity at non-crisis times Learn from recent experiences (flood/drought) and leverage from that to increase awareness
Creating community connections - To water issues and water cycles - For water behaviours To broader water valves (e.g. role in food and fiber production)	 Increase water literacy (e.g. water cycle, embedded water in food) Engaging science spokesperson / personalities (e.g. Dr Karl) Utilising social media to connect to primary and secondary school students (e.g. youtube, WSC apps) Capture info on community attitudes and behaviour and feed back into industry programs and policy) 	 Increase investment in community education programs → behaviour change Communicate the cost of water supply and use (not see it as a risk or a way to lose revenue) Engage more with community on the design of their common spaces and use water to connect

RISBANE - Encourage & empower community leadership for WSCs		
Total votes = 10 (State government (4); Loca	al government (2); Private (2); Water Utility (0); NG	O (2)
What are the most important things to	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those	What can industry do:
achieve:	priorities:	
WSC Communication champions	 Identify & engage champions 	Align key messages
Science –community – industry – media	 Support champions with information 	AWA support
Leadership	 Average "joe" to create relatedness messages re WSC 	Use industry customers to sell WSC messages
	 E.g. Rhonda from AAMI. Student from UQ, customers from RACQ 	
Identifying community leadership/champions Also work outside industry – sporting clubs, social clubs etc	 Identify & map community leadership inside urban areas Identify potential channels & approaches to connect with & motivate this leadership 	 Provide leadership through industry bodies & champions Assist community leaders spread the mission/vision/narrative

BRISBANE - Increase capacity of current and future urban water professionals			
Total votes = 9 (State government (4); Local government (3); Private (2); Water Utility (0); NGO (0)			
What are the most important things to	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those	What can industry do:	
achieve:	priorities:		
Informing curriculum development. Formal programs. Training future interdisciplinary decision makers (undergraduates)	 Developing undergraduate courses Mentoring students / supervising post-graduate researchers (Eg.Expand on IWC Model) Networking with international capacity and educational capacity and education programs CRC can help answer: What are the training needs of industry? And provide knowledge and resources for training providers and/or provide targeted training 	 Contributing expertise and experience to teaching (guest lecturing) Eg. Expand IWC model Better coordination of professional development opportunities for industry 	
 Increasing capacity of urban water practitioners to influence and advocate: understand/ address risk who and what to communicate (in context) having evidence to do so build "why" case 	•	•	



Perth, WA Voting results

Enabling Structures:



Social Capital:













Perth			Enabling structures	
No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown	
а	Incentives for implementing water sensitive practices and solutions	13	 State government 4 Local government 3 Private 6 Water Utility 0 NGO 0 	
b	Effective and sustainable funding mechanisms for water sensitive practices (drainage and whole water cycle)	28	 State government: 9 Local government: 8 Private: 7 Water Utility: 1 NGO: 2 Research (non-CRC): 1 	
С	Coordinated and aligned legislation, regulation and policy for driving water sensitive outcomes	38	 State government 22 Local government 7 Private 4 Water Utility 3 NGO 2 	
d	Develop, communicate & translate a shared vision & narrative for different target audiences	12	 State government 6 Local government 2 Private 4 Water Utility 0 NGOs/Other 0 	
e	Integration and improved collaboration across organisations and sectors	31	 State government: 14 Local government: 9 Private: 4 Water Utility: 3 NGO: 1 	
f	Improved frameworks for evaluation of costs, risks & performance of water sensitive practices	13	 State government 6 Local government 1 Private 3 Water Utility 2 NGOs/Other 1 	

PERTH - Incentives for implementing water sensitive practices and solutions Total votes = 13 (State government (4): Local government (3): Private (6): Water Utility (2): NGO (1))			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Provide incentives for development industry to implement measures to work towards a Water Sensitive City	 Preparation of a guide for local/state government for identifying the benefits for working to a WSC CRC to provide a Business Case in terms of Benefits 	Ensure that industry are able to implement measures to work to delivering incentives	
Incentives: Broad need for incentives for local governments, utilities, developers, community, regulators	 Demonstrate costs and benefits Value non-cash benefits – compare – e.g. reduced land take for water management Which incentives are the most effective at driving change? E.g. from other places 	 Funding for WSC projects Awards Waterwise Star ratings Cost savings → reinvest these in WSC Keep exploring non-cash benefits 	
Increasing incentives for bodies responsible for implementation \$	 Lobby Lifecycle cost analysis Valuation of C & B 	 Adoption through accounting systems Cross subsidies 	

PERTH - <i>Effective and sustainable funding mechanisms for water sensitive practices (drainage and whole water cycle)</i> Total votes = 28 (State government (9); Local government (8); Private: (7); Water Utility (1); NGO (2); Other / Research (non-CRC):(3)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
 Revenue, funding + investment Link to community awareness + willingness to pay Need effective and sustainable funding 	 Provide economic analysis + evidence for sustainable funding models Provide demonstration (e.g. does 	 Advocate to have a stronger role in drainage + review + reform of funding models Demand review of drainage governance 	

mechanisms especially for drainage	this already work well elsewhere?)	 Water Corp – clear revenue + expenditure reporting on Each Product stream
 Revenue, funding + investment Not only drainage but also supply Integrated water supply 	 Provide evidence based Cost effectiveness Cost / benefits New methods / technologies Provide tools to allow assessment 	 Work together to develop sustainable funding mechanism / cost recovery

PERTH - Coordinated and aligned legislation, regulation and policy for driving water sensitive outcomes Total votes = 38 (State government (22); Local government (7); Private (4); Water Utility (3); NGO / Research (non-CRC) (2)		
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:
Legislation & Regulation Leadership • Political/governance • Understand/make priorities • Decision making • Trade offs • How to persuade/convince direction • Getting the right people in the room • What role for community? Is there sufficient engagement and leadership?	 Create networks to have the right conversation in the <u>same</u> room → influence leaders Get right info/narrative to have the right conversation in the right room Right evidence in right language/form 	 Help break-down silos, e.g. within government departments → CRCWSC as independent broker
 Change Water Corporation operating license to deliver broader water objectives (WQ, safety, amenity, environment) → all service providers; no mandate for WSC – regulation & legislation 	 Provide evidence base (published results, etc.) to give confidence in change Influence decision makers & politicians, DGs, etc. 	

Revenue tied to outcomes		
 Standardise Legislation across Governments State (Water, Planning, Housing) Local Enables assessment on common objectives to achieve Water Sensitive Cities 	 Influence Government decision makers Ministers Director Generals CEOs 	 Ensure Industry understands the minimum standards they are working towards
 Legislation & Governance Lack of clear direction Different/overlapping mandates Integrated solutions falling under various legislation and needing multiple approvals 	 Draft legislation provisions Advocate to politicians 	 Clearly articulated roles & responsibilities
 Policy, strategy, legislation, regulation Need to get coordinated approach that has power to influence the outcome 	 Provide evidence base to inform policy, strategy, legislation, regulation Advocacy 	 Decide/define roles & responsibilities Identify similarities & conflicts & work out how to resolve them Identify gaps, issues Influence infrastructure planning & funding Embed in documents (Liveable Neighbourhoods BUWM)
 Governance & Statutory Arrangements Consistency Alignment across agencies Coordinated vision & actions 	 A context specific translation of the "shared vision" Identify inhibitors to achieving alignment & consistency 	 Identify how I can contribute How does what I do contribute to the bigger picture & vision Provide capacity for finance & staffing
Coordination of policy, e.g. Liveable Neighbourhoods, is WSC integrated		 Address GAP between disciplines (e.g. planning, water) to avoid the policy gaps & discrepancies & practice gaps

PERTH - Develop, communicate & translate a shared vision & narrative for different target audiences Total votes = 12 (State government (6); Local government (2); Private (4); Water Utility (0); NGO/Other 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
 Vision & narrative Need a shared & agreed vision that everyone is committed to achieving 	 Provide the collaborative space to develop shared vision Communicate the vision to stakeholders & the community (create/develop the methodology) 	 Communicate the vision Demonstrate vision – examples Provide peer pressure via champions Embed the vision into policy, planning processes Inform politicians 	
 Vision & narrative Communicate to right audience Create/translate key messages –make more relevant, buy in/personal Create community connections Education, marketing materials 	 Focus on children e.g. SERCUL material Research to identify least/most effective techniques to communicate & enact behavioural change Role of social media? What practices are more compelling? What benefits to public? 	 Deliver communication strategies through government & community Identify funding sources Embed vision in policies (LG) Linking/interpreting policy 	

PERTH - Integration and improved collaboration across organisations and sectors Total votes = 31 (State government (14); Local government (9); Private (4); Water Utility (3); NGO: (1)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
 Collaboration between sectors and organisations and within organisations 	 Promote recognition and progress of "Champions" (e.g. through awards) Provide forums for discussion Trigger changes in capital works program 	 Recognise each other Facilitate change in the capital program Outreach / dialogue 	

	 (incl. modernise definition of an asset) Promote collaboration through: 1) Case studies 2) Facilitation of dialogue between / within organisation on specific issues Promote WSC index as a framework / pathway 	 Shared projects Strategic "outside box" projects Inform and use WSC index
 Improve integration across all sectors Policy and strategy Regulation Incentives 	 Independent advice / facilitation "No agenda" – seen as impartial 	 Agree on the vision and narrative
 State wide integrated approach, similar to IWCM (e.g. rivers, waterways – link with land ownership) 	Urban growth monitor for living streams	•

PERTH - Improved frameworks for evaluation of costs, risks & performance of water sensitive practices Total votes = 13 (State government (6); Local government (1); Private (3); Water Utility (2); NGO/Other (1)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Transparent cost benefit, information & frameworks – well understood & trusted	 Provide on-ground case studies to demonstrate how this can be done Evidence for the need to change What risks are associated with change 	 Tracking evidence for cost benefit & then sharing it Creating a safe space for sharing information 	
Accurate evaluation of risk:Manage perceived riskCost actual risk	 Develop specific risk assessment tools Partner LGIS Continue quantifying the performance of WSUD 	Adopt tool wholesale	

Perth		On ground Practices	
No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
а	Engage citizens to improve awareness, knowledge & behavior towards a WSC vision	18	 State government 4 Local government 7 Private 4 Water Utility 2 NGO/Other 1
b	Frameworks & evidence to support full life-cycle cost-benefit analyses that also consider non- monetary values	22	 State government 6 Local government 5 Private 6 Water Utility 2 NGOs/Other 3
С	Guidance on how to use urban & water system design to deliver multiple benefits	13	 State government 4 Local government 1 Private 2 Water Utility 1 NGOs/Other 5
d	Efficient & effective operations & maintenance systems to achieve WSC outcomes	13	 State government 4 Local government 2 Private 4 Water Utility 0 NGOs/Other 3
e	Integrated planning across sectors, agencies & water systems	24	 State government 10 Local government 7 Private 3 Water Utility 3 NGOs/Other 1
f	Integrated monitoring and evaluation through better data sharing	6	 State government 0 Local government 1 Private 2 Water Utility 1 NGOs/Other 2
g	Coherent understanding of groundwater systems & interactions with surface waters	20	 State government 8 Local government 7 Private 5 Water Utility 0 NGOs/Other 0

PERTH - Engage citizens to improve awareness, knowledge and behaviour towards WSC vision					
Total votes = 18 (State government (4); Local government (7); Private (4); Water Utility (2); NGO (1))					
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to	What can industry do:			
	lead/support those priorities:				
Improve citizen engagement	 Create vision for people to get behind (something bigger picture that 'take shorter showers') & positive Communicate the vision effectively 	 Citizen willingness to pay for amenity Educate people to engage in the decision making 			
Citizen engagement Need citizens to be more interested & informed	 Link the built environment to benefits streetscapes & parklands Info about what is the most effective way to influence behavior to achieve <u>change</u> (not just understanding or awareness) 	 Share good news stories & information in a way the community can digest Promote WSUD Engage citizens in design Consistent messaging – keep it running 			

PERTH - Frameworks + evidence to support full life cycle cost-benefit analyses that also consider non-monetary values.				
Total votes = 22 (State government (6); Local government (5); Private: (6); Water Utility (2); NGO (2); Other / Research (non-CRC):(3)				
What are the most important things to achieve: What can the CRCWSC do to What can industry do:				
	lead/support those priorities:			
 Cost benefit analysis – get the most out of it. apply c.b.a. processes through life cycle project monitoring performance Embed c.b.a. in practices, part of business case 	 Provide tools & educate Facilitate collaborative c.b.a. (e.g. consensus in weighting of different values) 	 Build c.b.a. into business cases Demonstrate social & environmental values in costing 		

Cost benefit analysis	Information of costs / benefits of	Share information on on-ground
 Across local governments / utilities 	 different on-gorund practices Innovative techniques Non-monetary values Provide guides on how to estimate costs / benefits Assist with identification of risks 	 practices – costs, benefits, risks Looks at full life-cycle costs (TWCM) Value non-monetary values Identify share of costs & benefits develop funding options

PERTH - Guidance on how to use urban & water system design to deliver multiple benefits Total votes = 13 (State government (4); Local government (1); Private (2); Water Utility (1); NGO / Research (non-CRC) (5))				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
 Water Systems Design Centralised one system fits all vs. agile, fit for purpose, integrated 	 Identify what systems work where Knowledge resource How to integrate Water System design and urban design to deliver multiple benefits Off the shelf analysis Bringing stakeholders together 	 Government – policy flexibility Product development 		
 Better Urban Landscape and Waterscape Design for retrofitting and infill 	CRC to provide research or a "test case" to inform the review of Liveable Neighbourhoods	Revise Liveable Neigbourhoods and "R Codes"		
 Appropriate water systems design practices What's the right system for the job? E.g. stormwater treatment, groundwater treatment, subsoil treatment Geographically & hydro-geologically & climatically appropriate 	 Seeing is believing Demo sites Data about efficacy of systems Data on costs & demonstrated benefits Guidelines Information to inform capacity building 	 Seeing is believing Demo sites Policy Information sharing 		

Water availability and reuse	 Water options for irrigating public open space Provide info on viability of decentralized systems vs. traditional & connection to reticulated systems in future Suggestions for legislation that could be introduced Create awareness of policies & techniques & translate these for regional contexts Stormwater & wastewater treatment → recycling & reuse options High density developments & management of run-off 	 Provide region specific policy & examples Point to gaps in the policy
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PERTH - Efficient & effective operations & maintenance systems to achieve WSC outcomes Total votes = 13 (State government (4); Local government (2); Private (4); Water Utility (0); NGO/Other 3)				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
Operations and maintenance LGs do not have a good understanding of what to do & how	 Provide information + case studies on O&M Provide evidence of wat works best, cost effectiveness, management methods 	 Build capacity + understanding of O&M Have a good asset management system Planning for future management & costs Share information across + within LGs & water sector practitioners Feedback on what works, costs and issues 		
What are the 'true' operation & maintenance cost for IWW vs traditional	 What maintenance / operations activities How much does it costs ? 	Collect and share data		

Need a specific program for Operations & maintenance (needs to be proactive)	•	Identify emerging technologies for cost effective solutions More in-depth analyses of lost benefits	•	Proactive approach to O&M and monitoring
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PERTH - <i>Integrated planning across sectors, agencies and water systems</i> Total votes = 24 (State government (10); Local government (7); Private (3); Water Utility (3); NGO: (1))				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to	What can industry do:		
 Water Systems Planning E.g. underground water extraction Understand it, evaluate it, plan/policy Perth aquifers 	 Knowledge provision Assist policy options development (e.g. cost benefits/public good) 	 Develop UGW models (gov.) Policy on use options 		
 Water Systems Planning Need to integrate planning across silos, water sources Across entire planning process 	 Provide guidance for best practice water systems planning Compare jurisdictions Case studies Provide assessment of different water management options Evidence-based Provide neutral forum for information sharing 	 Better link land planning & infrastructure planning Role for government Government should give water the same priority it gives roads Government policy framework to implement expanded BUWM (to take in all forms of water – potable, non-potable) E.g. a government policy on water sensitive cities 		

PERTH - Integrated monitoring and evaluation through better data sharing				
Total votes = 13 (State government (4); Local government (2); Private (4); Water Utility (0); NGO/Other 3)				
What are the most important things to achieve: What can the CRCWSC do to What can industry do:				
Make monitoring meaningful	Collate existing data residing in	Personalised data, e.g. on water		

Get the most out of data collected Gather & collate data from different sources	 different organisations, e.g. water quality Make the data visual, e.g. interactive online map; info-graphics Value & use the data collected Share data more 	 bill – how close your house is to 'water-wise' target use Value & use the data collected Share data more
 Understanding the performance & effectiveness of interventions/treatments → short & long term 	 ATU's → impact on groundwater and waterways Water sensitive urban design: assess effectiveness Cost benefit analysis of: ATU's vs. Retic (traditional vs. onsite) Water sensitive urban design 	 Provide & share data Evaluating systems over the long term
 Monitoring & Evaluation Need to know how to monitor to demonstrate functionality & outcomes to review & modify practices 	 Produce monitoring protocols Benchmarks to compare monitoring results to Guidance on how to interpret w.r.t. local conditions E.g. robustness of receiving water body or factors of influence (nutrients spp.) Characterize problem & identify response 	 Implement monitoring protocols Coordinated data collection & availability
 Faced with the challenge of population, climate, environmental pressures we don't know enough about our groundwater abstraction Impact of what's going in & what's coming out 	 Data mine what we have Review work currently in progress Identify gaps Public open space irrigation 	

PERTH - Integrated monitoring and evaluation through better data sharing				
Total votes = 13 (State government (4); Local government (2); Private (4); Water Utility (0); NGO/Other 3				
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	lead/support those priorities:			
 Make monitoring meaningful Get the most out of data collected Gather & collate data from different sources 	 Collate existing data residing in different organisations, e.g. water quality Make the data visual, e.g. interactive online map; info-graphics Value & use the data collected Share data more 	 Personalised data, e.g. on water bill – how close your house is to 'water- wise' target use Value & use the data collected Share data more 		
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PERTH – Coherent understanding of groundwater systems and interactions with surface water				
Total votes = 13				
 State government (4); Local government (2); Private (4); Water Utility (0); NGO/Other 3 				
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to	What can industry do:		
	lead/support those priorities:			
Faced with the challenge of population, climate,	Data mine what we have			
environmental pressures we don't know enough	Review work currently in progress			
about our groundwater abstraction	Identify gaps			
Impact of what's going in & what's coming out	Public open space irrigation			
Hydrology investigations	Subsoil mounding	Sharing info so everyone is more aware		
	Separations/fill			
	Groundwater/surface water interactions			
	Recharge & infiltration rates			
Lack of understanding of hydrology & nutrient	On-going investigation in particular for	Provide data & information AND share!		
pathways	drinking water catchments			
	Impact of urban development			
	Measures to protect receiving			
	environment			
	Science on separation of groundwater for urban development & fill			
	requirements			
	Run-off co-efficients & infiltration rates			
	& methodologies			
	Subsoil drainage modelling &			
	mounding			
Long term solutions to high groundwater & poor	Provide science to fill the knowledge			
groundwater	gaps to address the problem			

PERTH	Social Capital		
No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
а	Create networks for communication, capacity building and influencing	11	 State government 5 Local government 2 Private 3 Water Utility 1 NGO 0
b	Better translation of scientific knowledge into practice and policy outcomes	31	 State government:10 Local government: 8 Private: 6 Water Utility: 3 NGO: 2 Research (non-CRC): 2
C	Build practitioner capacity through knowledge sharing demonstration and networks	18	 State government: 6 Local government: 4 Private: 4 Water Utility: 2 NGO: 1 Research (non-CRC): 1
d	Support/build leadership capacity of individuals and organisations to lead change	12	 State government: 3 Local government: 5 Private: 4 Water Utility: 0 NGO: 0 Research (non-CRC):
e	Improve water literacy beyond water savings to help drive change	21	 State government: 7 Local government: 8 Private: 3 Water Utility: 3 NGO: 0 Research (non-CRC): 0
PERTH - Create networks for communication, capacity building and influencing			
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Total votes = 11 (State government (5); Local gover	mment (2); Private (3); Water Utility (1); NGO	0)	
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Networks – communication is king	Bring influential people togetherHold a conference	Bring influential people togetherHold a conference	
 Bridging organization eg. New waterways networks professional capacity "building and training" "Water Sensitive" Day – celebrations / awards 			

PERTH - Better translation of scientific knowledge into practice and policy outcomes			
Total votes = 31 (State government:10 ; Local gover	nment: 8; Private: 6; Water Utility: 3; NGO: 2	2; Research (non-CRC): 2)	
What are the most important things to achieve: What can the CRCWSC do to What can industry do:			
	lead/support those priorities:		
 Science influence Provides the quantifiable benefits Empowers public 	 Provides research Provides data – knowledge Case studies 	 Confidence in policy making & decision making Case studies 	
How to transition from trusted science into policy?	 Reverse analysis successful policy & science Collate 	Provide research outcomesFeedback existing science/policy	

PERTH - Build practitioner capacity through knowledge sharing demonstration and networks Total votes = 18 (State government (6): Local government (4): Private (4): Water Utility (2): NGO (1): Research (non-CRC) (1)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Leadership & capacity building to generate institutional change	 Assist with leadership Provide clear messaging Provide information & evidence 	 Embed capacity building into industry & local government Building upon networks, sharing information Cross-disciplinary 	
 Address knowledge gaps through science Research & influence to enable capacity building in long-term environmental impact on ground & surface water quality Demonstration sites – build capacity & learning 			
Capacity building to address barriers to implementation & sharing knowledge	Identify training requirementsShare results T1/T2	Training & support	

PERTH - <i>Support/build leadership capacity of individuals and organisations to lead change</i> Total votes = 12 (State government (3); Local government (5); Private (4); Water Utility (0); NGO/Other 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Leadership (see previous submission) It is so important we said it twice	 Providing solutions for leaders to use Providing data 	 Local champions as catalysts Education of leaders Government leadership for law/policy/governance 	
 Leadership Need political leadership different to organisational leadership (also a need) 	 Independent advocacy Examples of community driving political leadership 		

PERTH - Improve water literacy beyond water savings to help drive change				
Total votes = 21 (State government (7); Local government (8); Private (3); Water Utility (3); NGO: 0; Research (non-CRC): 0)				
What are the most important things to achieve:	lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:		
Engaging and educating the community on the importance of water	Translating the research being completed into understandable benefits by the community, i.e. Teaching Resource Kits			
Community Connection Need: Understanding <u>beyond</u> water saving. Community behavior & demands should reflect the total water cycle 	 Articulate connection of liveability to water cycle & WSC messages Identify how to respond to the Australian Water Literacy CRCWSC research How do we change the areas where knowledge is low? Provide info about the psychology of effective messaging to drive advocacy w.r.t. WSC specific messages Does the carrot or stick work better? 'nudging' 	 Water Corp has good water saving messaging Coordination of key messaging, e.g. across Swan River Trust, Local Governments, Department of Water, Water Corp, etc. Clear branding so community understand roles & responsibilities 		
Community Connection Education The community have the ability to drive change	 Help with the messaging Contribute to education & water literacy Provide the content & evidence Especially younger generation 	 Someone to take responsibility for education/communication (not just Water Corp) Total water cycle management Grey water Use different communication methods & engagement methods 		
 Ongoing community education With meaningful messaging Continuity of messaging from relevant agencies 	Demystify the science to provide good, reliable information			



Adelaide, SA Voting results

Enabling Structures:



Social Capital:













Adela	ide	Enabling Structures	
No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
а	Develop Shared vision and narrative for a WSC	15	 State government = 8 Local government = 5 Private = 1 Water Utility = 1
b	Need to develop a governance coordination and collaboration across agencies and sectors	1	 State government = 0 Local government = 1 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
С	Establishing enabling economic framework	7	 State government = 6 Local government = 1 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0
d	Understand the business case for the WSC (jobs & prosperity)	12	 State government = 5 Local government = 5 Private = 1 Water Utility = 1
e	Create positive incentive mechanism to drive the change to a WSC Adelaide	9	 State government = 6 Local government = 1 Private = 1 Water Utility = 1
f	Strengthen policy legislation and regulation to support transition to a WSC Adelaide	10	 State government = 5 Local government = 5 Private = 0 Water Utility = 0

ADELAIDE - Develop Shared vision and narrative for a WS	SC (a)		
Total votes = 15 (State government = 8; Local government = 5; Private = 1; Water Utility = 1)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Shared vision for water sensitive greater Adelaide (as a Start)	 State?/regional/city visioning workshop State?/regional/city transition plan Synthesise diverse stakeholder objective – bundles 	 Identify Stakeholders Express own objective bundles Participate! 	
 A vision of narrative that is: Unifying (not fragmented across issues Vision for social and ecological outcomes Provide traction for changes to legislations etc. 	 Help to structure (evidence base) the vision and enable political buy-in Advocacy – external perspective on need for change – national perspective Address economic and social barriers – the business case 	 Consistently promulgate the message Lead by example – promote and use it operationally Promote partnerships with big business to implement it eg. developers 	

ADELAIDE - Need to develop a governance coordination and collaboration across agencies and sectors (b)			
Total votes = 1 (State government = 0; Local government = 1; P	rivate = 0; Water Utility = 00		
What are the most important things to achieve: What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those What can industry do:			
	priorities:		
Establish enabling governance framework	 Examples from other jurisdictions Draw together different portfolios Frame political drivers for change 	 State government – develop legislation and regulation Coordinated catchment authorities 	

ADELAIDE - Establishing enabling economic framework (c)			
Total votes = 7 (State government = 6; Local government = 1; Private = 0; Water Utility = 00			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Establishing enabling economic framework	Nil	Nil	

ADELAIDE - Understand the business case for the WSC (jobs & prosperity) (d) Total votes = 12 (State government = 5; Local government = 5; Private = 1; Water Utility = 10			
What are the most important things to achieve:What can the CRCWSC do toWhat can industry do:lead/support those priorities:			
Incentives: WSUD industry to deliver jobs and new businesses	 Financial model of benefits Future scenarios growth 	Nil	
 Understand how WSC can drive prosperity? Opportunities from funds available instead of network argumentations 	services are needed to provide a water sensitive cities		

ADELAIDE - Create positive incentive mechanism to drive the change to a WSC Adelaide (e)					
Total votes = 9 (State government = 6 ; Local government = 1; Private = 1 \	Nater Utility = 1)				
What are the most important things to achieve:What can the CRCWSC do toWhat can industry do:					
	lead/support those priorities:				
Offsets and stormwater tradable credits -> a market as a driver for change	Library of offsets etc. that have national consistency	Nil			
Creating an economic driver for change	Creating an economic driver for change				

ADELAIDE - Strengthen policy legislation and regulation to support transition to a WSC) (f)			
Total votes = 10 (State government = 5; Local government = 5; Private = 0	; Water Utility = 00	1	
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to	What can industry do:	
	lead/support those priorities:		
Legislations: Building code and regs	Provide models for new regulations and methodologies	Create demand for change support change champions	
Create environment for economic instruments	to support discussion around	in industry	
 Planning regs -> Offset schemes -> Development Act. 	CBA assessment	Tap into the prevailing	
Water industry Act> regulation of utilities	Active engagement with	dialogue to link evidence to	
NRM Act> broader range of mechanisms to enable change -> Move	planning reforms currently	current narratives	
from Ag. To urban	underway		
	Create the evidence library but improve accessibility and its use		
SA WSUD policy embedded in regulation in a integrated way	Business case about all benefits	Ensure in state	
	beyond water quality outcomes	infrastructure projects	
 Planning (planning strategy) / bill 	 Examples of where it is being 	Champions	
Environment protection (EPP)	done better	Need shared vision	
Health (public, health)	• Understand community Vales to	commitment to deliver	
Climate change response (carbon neutral CBD)	design incentives		
	Livebility Index		

Adelaide		On-ground practices	
No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
a	Improve our understanding of O&M / lifecycle cost and consider these explicitly up front in planning new developments	5	 State government = 1 Local government = 3 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0
b	Articulate benefits of a WSC to/across difference sectors	6	 State government = 4 Local government = 1 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0
с	Change asset planning so that it considers, vales and evaluates water sensitive outcomes	12	 State government = 6 Local government = 5 Private = 0 Water Utility = 1
d	How to achieve WSC outcomes through integrated planning and design of water systems and the urban form	11	 State government = 6 Local government = 4 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0
e	How to develop context specific solutions especially for smaller spaces and infill situations	11	 State government = 9 Local government = 1 Private = 1 Water Utility = 0

ADELAIDE – Improve our understanding of O&M / lifecycle cost and consider these explicitly up front in planning new developments (a)			
Total votes = 5 (State government = 1; Local government = 3; Private = 1; Water Utility = 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Opportunities & maintenance:	G/L exist -> make them accessible	Nil	
Better understand O&M cost and requirements to lock them in up front in new developments	Fact SheetsCapacity building		
Get a more realistic understanding of life cycle cost / O&M costs.	To turn knowledge into practice which doesn't rely on individuals		

ADELAIDE – Articulate benefits of a WSC to/across difference sectors (b)			
Total votes = 6 (State government = 4; Local government = 1; Private = 1; Water Utility = 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to	What can industry do:	
	lead/support those priorities:		
Cost benefit analysis:	Nil	Nil	
 Linking previous priorities 1 + 2 			
 Benefits across all sectors (one can pay for another's benefits) 			
Cost/benefit input metrics	Database of non-market values	Provide un-maintained systems	
	Maintenance / Lifecycle costs		
	 Quantify reduced benefits on non- maintained systems 		

ADELAIDE – Change asset planning so that it considers, vales and evaluates water sensitive outcomes (c)			
Total votes = 12 (State government = 6; Local government = 5; Private = 0; Water Utility = 1)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to	What can industry do:	
	lead/support those priorities:		
 Monitoring for value achievement Compliance Technical applicability (fit for purpose) Community acceptance 	Smart monitoring (reduce cost) Conduit for peer to peer learning	Peer to peer learning	
Maintenance			
 Monitoring and evaluation Need to be in asset plans Linkage and feedback of monitoring back into planning and maintenance Actions evidence based strategy/policy and decision making Good evaluation of current performance of assets Focus on the outcome and the service experience (Outcome focus before solution) 	Nil	Nil	
 Need to include council and other agencies management systems so they consider WS options for asset renewals Want these systems to become integrated across issues -> consider a range of outcomes Asset management and rewards is not like-for-like and WS is not seem as "enhancement" A more mature asset management system Life cycle cost Downstream benefits and costs Extremities 	 Show/demonstrate options to like- for-like and the benefits of options Guidelines on asset options design guidelines that show how it is done Business case that sells benefits to decision makers Build life cycle costs and values /benefits of WS and traditional assets into decision frameworks 	 Create discussions with the planners and decision makers: IPWEA as key organisation Asset engineers Finance teams Design engineers Councillors 	
Evaluation of performing – requirement for audit for implementation eg. Private development scale & state project scale	Nil	Nil	

ADELAIDE – How to achieve WSC outcomes through integrated planning and design of water systems and the urban form (d)			
Total votes = 11 (State government = 6; Local government = 4;Private = 1; Water Utility = 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
 Water systems planning Plus urban and landscape design plus water system design 	Nil	Nil	
With a view to 1. Incorporate all water sources			
• Fit for purpose non-traditional uses for all water solutions.			
Landscape character of WSC	Could provide design guide	Nil	
Non-tangible benefits			
Architecture			
Aesthetes			
Design principles			

ADELAIDE – How to develop context specific solutions especially for smaller spaces and infill situations (e)			
Total votes = 11 (State government = 9; Local government = 1; Private = 1;Water Utility = 0)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
 Landscape and WSUD next to roads and footings Limited building footprints (houses and roads) How to fit WUSD in SMALL spaces 	Proof of concept Design guide / stand	Case Studies	

Adelaide		Social Capital	
No.	Cluster	Total votes	Breakdown
а	Identify and utilise leavers of influence at different org. and political scales	27	 State government = 17 Local government = 8 Private = 1 Water Utility = 2
b	Create community groundswell through connections and WSC messaging!	21	 State government = 11 Local government = 8 Private = 1 Water Utility = 1

ADELAIDE - Identify and utilise leavers of influence at different org. and political scales (a)			
Total votes = 27 (State government = 17; Local government = 8 ; Private = 1 ; Water Utility = 2)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
Get engagement of developers specifically and their customers -> big scale Influencing property owners who want to develop on purchase new properties – small scale	 The business case to a developer Capacity building of developer sector 	 Engage UDIA (Local Chapter) Reality TV show for WSC "Pimp my city" 	
Influence / department and ministers Coalition of minister to influence – northern Adelaide plane redevelopment	 Connect with Tony and ministers -> Big event Collaboration with Goyder (low carbon Adelaide, Northern Adelaide plains Event possibility: MAR community of practice National event Water Security Scenarios Tested 	 Demonstration Manage up within our own organisations 	
Networks and connections influence and brokering at a higher level (Ministers directors higher level management)	Influence broker	Identify the connections	
Better engage at executive level (top down) > shared vison at organisation level	Nil	Bring CRC to organisation at exec level To facilitate developed at shared vision	

ADELAIDE – Create community grounds well through connections and WSC messaging! (b)			
Total votes = 21 (State government = 11; Local government = 8; Private = 1; Water Utility = 1)			
What are the most important things to achieve:	What can the CRCWSC do to lead/support those priorities:	What can industry do:	
 Community connection Better demonstrate the value to the community Community driven messages -> consistency Community champions -> Mayors, business leaders etc. 	 Craft messages / delivery " train the trainer" Reconnect with federal government urban focus Understand community connection / evaluation of water sensitive / green infrastructures 	 Connect CRC with community champions / organisations 	
 Moving the community (citizens) What's in it for me? Marketing and communicating the message Tools for engaging the community Identify the benefits 	 Data and research to put into marketing and materials 	• Context	



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