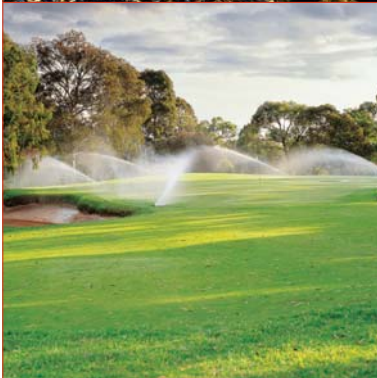


# THE VICTORIAN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE, 2005

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## Speakers at the conference will include:

- The Hon John Thwaites, Minister for Environment and Water
- The Hon Theo Theophanous, Minister for Resources
- Dr Ian McPhail, Commissioner for Environmental Sustainability
- Ian Porter, Executive Director, Sustainability and Greenhouse Policy, Department of Sustainability and Environment
- Greg Wilson, Deputy Secretary, Water Sector Development, Department of Sustainability and Environment
- Brian Bayley, Head, Eastern Region Recycled Water Project, Department of Sustainability and Environment
- Terry A'Hearn, Director, Sustainable Development, EPA
- Ian Coles, CEO, EcoRecycle, and President, Waste Management Association of Australia
- Timothy Piper, Director of the Victorian division of the AIGroup
- Dennis Brockenshire, CEO, Barwon Region Water Authority
- Colin Dunkley, CEO, Glenelg Hopkins Catchment Management Authority
- Maria Simonelli, Executive Manager, International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives - Australia/New Zealand
- Terry Chapman, CEO, United KG Water Projects
- Marcus Godinho, Executive Director, Environment Victoria
- John Nolan, Victorian President, Waste Management Association of Australia
- Dr John White, Managing Director, Global Renewables Ltd
- Emma Herd, Senior Adviser, Corporate Responsibility & Sustainability, Westpac Banking Corporation
- Graham Wolfe, Executive Director - Victoria, Housing Industry Association
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# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE

DAY I: Tuesday 15 March 2005

**MORNING 9.00am - 12.30pm**

## VICTORIAN ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY & PROGRESS - The Road Ahead

Chair: **Terry A'hearn** Director Sustainable Development, EPA

8.55am - Opening comments from the Chair

### KEYNOTE ADDRESS

9.00am - VICTORIAN GOVERNMENT ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY - Directions and Progress. **The Hon John Thwaites, MP, Minister for Environment and Water, DSE**

9.30am - BUILDING A SUSTAINABLE STATE - what projects are helping Victoria achieve this objective. **Dr Ian McPhail, Commissioner for Environmental Sustainability**

10.00am - BUSINESS LEADERS ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT CARD - How is Victorian business contributing to sustainable development? **Timothy Piper, Director, Vic AIGroup**

10.25am - ENVIRONMENT REPORT CARD - **Marcus Godinho, Executive Director, Environment Victoria**

10.45am - MORNING TEA

### SUSTAINABILITY BEST PRACTICE

11.00am - **Maria Simonelli, Executive Director, International Council for Local Environment Initiatives - Australia/New Zealand**

11.20am - Local Government Best Practice - TRIPLE BOTTOM LINE TOOLKIT Environmental Management, **Adam Briscomb, Senior Project Officer, Sustainability & Innovation, City of Melbourne**

11.40am - **Sophie Constance, Director, Constance Creative Marketing**

12pm - Industry Best Practice - HIA GREENSMART PROGRAM - **Graham Wolfe**

12.20pm - QUESTION TIME

12.30pm-1.20pm - LUNCH

**AFTERNOON 1.30pm - 5.30pm**

## GREENHOUSE - The Way Forward

Chair: **Jan Dekker, MD, Centre for Energy and Greenhouse Technologies (CEGT)**

1.30pm - Opening comments from the Chair

### KEYNOTE ADDRESS

1.35pm - VICTORIAN ENERGY INDUSTRY DIRECTIONS FOR 2050 and linkages with the Federal Government's Energy Policy. How will Victoria meet its energy requirements in the next 50 years? **The Hon Theo Theophanous, MLC, Minister for Resources**

1.55pm - VICTORIAN GREENHOUSE STRATEGY - Directions and Progress. **Ian Porter, Executive Director, Sustainability Strategy, Department of Sustainability and Environment**

2.15pm - CARBON TRADING IMPACTS ON BUSINESS - opportunities, costs and legal frameworks. **Andrew Thompson or Damon Jones, Solicitor, Minter Ellison**

2.35pm - QUESTION TIME

### SUSTAINABILITY BEST PRACTICE

2.45pm - THE ROLE OF FOREST INDUSTRIES IN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT - **Tricia Caswell, Chief Executive Officer, Victorian Association of Forest Industries**

3.05pm - SUSTAINABILITY IN THE FINANCIAL SECTOR - **Emma Herd, Senior Advisor, Corporate Strategy, Westpac Banking Corporation**

3.25pm - ASSEMBLING A 3-LEGGED STOOL: THE TRIPLE-BOTTOM LINE CHALLENGE IN HIGHER EDUCATION - **Professor Chris Cocklin, Director, Monash Environment Institute**

3.45pm - **Henry O'Clery, CEO, Greenfleet**

4pm - NETWORKING DRINKS

# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE

DAY 2: Wednesday 16 March 2005

**MORNING 9.00pm - 1.00pm**

## DIRECTIONS IN WATER CONSERVATION

**Chair: John Barnes, Chair, The Victorian Water Industry Association**

**8.55am** - Opening comments from the Chair

## KEYNOTE ADDRESS

**9.00am** - SECURING OUR WATER FUTURE TOGETHER STRATEGY - New directions from Securing Our Water Future Together, NWI COAG interface with Vic Water policy and Vic targets. **Greg Wilson, Deputy Secretary, Water Sector Development, DSE**

**9.30am** - Prof Gary Jones, Director, e-Water CRC

**10.00am** - ADDRESSING THE NEED FOR NEW INVESTMENT IN WATER SAVING INFRASTRUCTURE IN AUSTRALIA. **Terry Chapman, CEO, United KG Water Projects**

**10.30am** - MORNING TEA

**10.50am** - WATER RECYCLING - PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE from the Securing our Water Future Together Strategy. Eg, the Vic Government's target to recycle 20 per cent of Melbourne's "waste water" by 2010. **Brian Bayley, Head, Eastern Region Recycled Water Project, Department of Sustainability and Environment**

**11.20am** - VICTORIA'S NEW CATCHMENT MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES - What will the new strategies mean for water flows, river health and agriculture? Linkage between environmental policy and water conservation. **Colin Dunkley, CEO, Glenelg Hopkins Catchment Management Authority**

**11.40** - LOCAL GOVERNMENT WATER PLANS/CLEARWATER PROGRAM, **Jacquie White, Municipal Association of Victoria**

## PANEL DISCUSSION and QUESTIONS - WATER

**12.00pm - 12.30pm - (4 panelists):**

- ▶ **Colin Dunkley, Director, CEO, Glenelg Hopkins CMA**
- ▶ **Dennis Brockenshire, CEO, Barwon Region Water Authority**
- ▶ **Greg Wilson, Deputy Secretary, Water Sector Development DSE,**
- ▶ **Mark Batty, Water Campaign Australia Program Manager, ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability Australia & New Zealand Office**

**12.30pm** - LUNCH

**AFTERNOON 1.30pm - 4.30pm**

## TRENDS IN RESOURCE RECOVERY

**Chair: Peter Allan, Director, Nolan ITU**

**1.30pm** - Opening comments from the Chair

## OPENING ADDRESS

**1.35pm** - WASTE AND RESOURCE RECOVERY POLICY - Directions and progress in achieving significant reductions in prescribed industrial and commercial waste. **Bruce Dawson, Executive Director Regional Services, EPA**

**1.55pm** - TOWARDS ZERO WASTE STRATEGY - Implications from new targets and product stewardship focus. **Ian Coles, CEO, EcoRecycle and Waste Management Association of Australia (WMAA)**

**2.25pm** - IMPLICATIONS FOR THE WASTE MANAGEMENT INDUSTRY - from higher landfill recovery targets of 75% 2013 from Towards Zero Waste Strategy. **John Nolan, Victorian President, WMAA**

**2.55pm** - AFTERNOON TEA

## INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY - THE FUTURE OF VICTORIAN SUSTAINABILITY

**Chair: Terence Jeyaretnam, National Chair, Environmental Engineering Society**

**3.15pm** - **Mark Cummins, Director, Advanced Environmental Concepts**

**3.30pm** - **Linda Condon, Manager, National Centre for Sustainability**

**3.45pm** - **Dr John White, Global Renewables Ltd**

**4.00pm** - **WAYNE RUDLAND, Chief Executive, CBD Energy**

**4.10pm** - QUESTION TIME

**4.30pm** - NETWORKING DRINKS

## ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Sustainability has become a core priority for governments and a key yardstick for governments and business to measure activities, plans, and developments.

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