



9th November, 2017

2018 Water Price Review

Essential Services Commission

Dear Sir

Anglesea Golf Club is writing in support of Barwon Water's Price Submission for Recycled Water Pricing for the 5 year period commencing 1 July 2018.

Anglesea Golf Club is a Not-For-Profit Golf Club in a small regional community. We donate the use of our course and Clubhouse to other local community clubs for their annual major fund raising golf days, such as the Local CFA, Anglesea Surf Life Saving Club and the Anglesea Football and Netball Club. Anglesea Golf Club prides itself on the condition of our golf course and see ourselves as a valuable community asset.

When the Club first connected to recycled water in 2001 the Club, through government grants and Club funds paid for all the infrastructure pipe lines, pumps etc to receive recycled water. Due to considerable increases in recycled water charges the Club cannot afford to continue to water our course as we had done in the past.

The Barwon Water Pricing Submission as proposed for the next five year period is in our opinion a more equitable offer to our Club and to the community that it services. If this submission is successful we envisage that the Club will use a higher volume of recycled water than in recent years.

The Club looks forward to a positive outcome to the Barwon Water Pricing Submission.

Kind regards

Rachel Kane

General Manager