

# INVITATION from TOOWOOMBA 'WATER RESOURCES OLDIES'

Come along to our 'GATHERING' on Wed 21 May 2025

## Take in a 'TECHNICAL PRESENTATION'

**Time:** 3.00pm – 4.30pm

**Topic:** *Toowoomba to Warwick Pipeline*

**Speaker:** *John Porter (SEQ Water)*

**Venue:** City Library Level 3 – (Community Mtg Rooms)  
155 Herries St (cnr Victoria & Herries Sts).

*(Coffee; tea and biccies supplied)*

## Then take in some 'BEVERAGES & BANTER'

**Time:** 4.30pm Onwards

**Venue:** Burke & Wills Hotel – 554 Ruthven St  
(short stroll across from City Library)

*(Meals are available for those who wish to stay on)*



# Toowoomba Gathering

21 May 2025

[watersauces.org.au](http://watersauces.org.au)

**RSVP: Fri 16 May 2025 - to Jim Weller [james.weller1@bigpond.com](mailto:james.weller1@bigpond.com); 0429 700 750**

**PARKING:** City Library Undercover Car Park - Limited & free – 15 m, 1 hr, 2 hr & 3 hr under Library (entrance via Victoria St). Times not policed after 5:00 pm so a 2 or 3 hr park may serve well to cover the 'Tech Presentation' & 'Beverages and Banter' at the Burke and Wills, depending on your time of arrival.

The nominated closing time for the City Library Undercover Car Park is 7:30 pm unless there are other meetings in the meeting rooms to a later time. We will know this on the day.

Annand Street Car Park – directly behind and closest to the Burke and Wills, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, \$2 per hour, max \$9.50 per week day. No closing time.

**Re the WATERSHED theme in Our Logo** This Gathering is sponsored by the Water Resources Retiree's Association (WRRRA) through provision of financial & promotional support (for which we are grateful). The WRRRA attempt to sponsor two such events in the regions per year (ie 'Watersheds' in true 'water' terms). This decision was made in response to requests as to how the strong sense of camaraderie - experienced at the Q100 Get-Togethers in the regions in 2022 - could best be maintained. Such Gatherings provide a unique opportunity for any past 'water' colleagues to catch up on their own turf (whether they be WRRRA members or not), and to continue to grow the informal 'Grapevine' that exists in 'water'. Ours also provides half an excuse for those in Brisbane to 'come-to-the-bush' for a day and catch up with old colleagues 'On The Range'.

This Gathering follows the successful June 2024 event in our "Watershed" and follows the same theme, coming up with an Idea (ie whether it be a Topic of interest to present or a specific Event to celebrate etc etc); seizing on a Date; arranging a Time and Venue; and then advising the WRRRA Committee to enable them to promote it through a Flyer to their members and those on their 'Grapevine'.

**SO IF YOU HAVE YOUR OWN GRAPEVINE, PLEASE FORWARD THIS ON TO ANYONE ON IT**

**Hope to catch up on Wed 21<sup>st</sup> May.**

**WHO YOU THINK MAY BE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING.**

**David Free; Adrian McKay;**

**Jim Weller; Peter Hoopert**