

Water

Development
Environment



PROJECT FOCUS

Department of Environment and Primary Industries:

Eastern Irrigation Scheme extension

Feasibility and roundtable

Project brief:

Following representations from local government, water users and others, the State government sought a re-evaluation of a peri-urban irrigation scheme which had been the subject of a previous feasibility scheme proposing a project of up to \$900m.

Also required was the production of briefing papers and facilitation of a roundtable meeting convened by the Minister with heads of water businesses and councils attending along with other stakeholders such as senior representatives of government departments.

Psi Delta's role:

Review previous studies
Conduct rigorous market research to establish true demand for water
Commission pipeline design and scheme capital and operating cost estimate
Produce financial model in evaluating and optimising options
Effectively facilitate a large meeting of diverse participants
Indicate the way in which more affordable water supply options were achievable through policy change rather than infrastructure building
Propose a range of practicable options valued at \$8-50m

Our achievements:

Rationalised the project to what was achievable

Facilitated what was potentially a difficult meeting given the diverse and in some cases contrary interests

Psi Delta completed:

Project completed to the satisfaction of the client and the stakeholders with diverse requirements.

Our project collaborators:

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