

# Seasonal update and long-term outlook

## Information sessions

AGRICULTURE VICTORIA

Four free, cross-industry sessions will provide the latest on irrigation, commodities and climate settings and outlooks. There will also be an opportunity to hear from a local farmer about plans for the season and managing for the long-term.

### TOPICS

#### Situation and outlook

- Water availability in the southern connected Murray-Darling Basin
- Climate, rainfall and inflows – three-month and long-term outlook
- Grain and fodder – availability and outlook
- Key drivers of future irrigation water availability - including permanent plantation expansion and inter-valley trade limits.

#### Decision support

- Local farm case study.

#### EXPERT SPEAKERS INCLUDE

- Colin Peace, Director, Jumbuck Ag
- Vernon Carr, Sector Lead – Horticulture, Agriculture Program, BoM
- Craig Feuerherdt, Business Development Manager, H2OX
- Mark Mitchell, Senior Policy Officer, DELWP.

For catering purposes please RSVP to Darren at the Echuca office on (03) 5482 1922 or email [darren.carnie@agriculture.vic.gov.au](mailto:darren.carnie@agriculture.vic.gov.au)



### DATES AND TIMES

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| <b>Stanhope</b>   | Wednesday 18 September<br>12.30 pm – 3 pm (lunch at start)<br>Football Netball Clubrooms<br>Midland Highway |
| <b>Murrabit</b>   | Thursday 19 September<br>9.30 am - 11.30 am (lunch after)<br>Murrabit Golf Club<br>Kerang- Murrabit Road    |
| <b>Macorna</b>    | Thursday 19 September<br>12.30 pm – 3 pm (lunch at start)<br>Recreation Reserve<br>Macorna South Road       |
| <b>Katamatite</b> | Friday 20 September<br>9.30 am - 11.30 am (lunch after)<br>Recreation Reserve, Foy St                       |