



STORMWATER VICTORIA

Annual Report

2018 - 2019

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STORMWATER VICTORIA COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2018 - 2019

Executive Committee



President

Chris Beardshaw



Vice President

Jamie Tainton



Treasurer

Sarah Watkins



Secretary

Harry Virahsawmy

Stormwater Victoria Committee Members

Name	Organisation	Position
Rachelle Adamowicz	Melbourne Water	Committee Member
Charlotte Beresford	Melbourne Water	Committee Member
Jamie Comley	J Comley and Associates	Committee Member
Aaron Dowling	E2Designlab	Committee Member
Bahman Esfandiar	WSP	Committee Member
Emma Hendy	Wallbridge Gilbert Aztec	Committee Member
Sam Innes	E2Designlab	Committee Member
Birgit Jordan	Melbourne Water	Committee Member
Philip Joyce	GHD	Committee Member
Aram Manjikian	Beveridge Williams	Committee Member
Kate Matthews	Cardno	Committee Member
Colin McLeod	Maroondah City Council	Committee Member
Tracey Pham	Afflux	Committee Member
Elizabeth Smolinska	Jacobs	Committee Member

SUB COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2018 - 2019

Conference and Awards Sub Committee

Elizabeth Smolinska (Chair - Conference)
Bahman Esfandiar
Colin McLeod
Jamie Tainton (Executive Representative)

Networking and Membership Sub Committee

Charlotte Beresford (Chair
Emmy Hendy
Tracey Pham
Harry Virahsawmy

Advocacy Sub Committee

Sam Innes (Chair)
Chris Beardshaw
Aaron Dowling
Philip Joyce

Technical Events

Rachelle Adamowicz (Chair)
Jamie Comley
Kate Matthews
Sarah Watkins

National Representatives

Chris Beardshaw
Jamie Tainton

CORPORATE AND SUSTAINING MEMBERS 2018 - 2019

Sustaining Members

AECOM	E2DesignLab	GHD
Humes	Jacobs	Kingspan Water and Energy
Melbourne Water	Ocean Protect	Rocla
SPEL Environmental	Storm Consulting	Vinindex
Water Technology		

Corporate Members

ADS Water
Afflux Consulting Stormwater Management
Sololutions
Aurecon (VIC)
Banyule City Council
City of Casey
City of Glen Eira
City of Greater Geelong
City of Knox
City of Melbourne
City of Monash
City of Port Phillip
City West Water
Clearwater
Dalton Consulting Engineers Pty Ltd
DELWP
DPM Consulting Group
E-Struct
LD Eng Pty Ltd
Manningham City Council
Moonee Valley City Council
Mornington Peninsula Shire
Reeds Consulting
S.V.C. Products Pty Ltd
South East Water Limited
Spiire
Total Drain Cleaning Services Pty Ltd
URS Australia Pty Ltd
Yarra City Council
Yarra Ranges Council

PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Thank you all for coming to the AGM, and for listening to what will be my last Presidents report.

This year has seen continued and steady growth in both the membership and participation, culminating in our largest conference ever with over 160 people attending. Again the Victorian stormwater community has proved that a strong culture of encouragement and learning provides many benefits. I hope that we can continue to build on this momentum (or current) as we host the National Stormwater Conference in Melbourne next year. Its our turn to show the other states the fantastic work going on in Victoria. I can't thank the conference committee enough for hosting such a great Victorian conference, then doubling down to lean into the National conference, thanks team.

Our team has also been able to deliver a number of mini-seminars and information sessions to keep the industry up with the current regulations and policies in the stormwater space. A big thank you to the events sub-committee and drainage manual committee for hosting events on ARR2019 and the changes associated with Clause 53.18, both of events highlighted game changing policies for our industry and took a lot of behind the scenes work.

Our advocacy team has been active on a number of fronts this year, including commenting on possible plumbing industry training regulation (an important step as 53.18 pushes more work into the domestic realm) and matters of national policy. The national policy space has become tricky this year, as the game changing SQDEP protocol becomes a reality. For those that haven't caught up with the protocol, as an industry we have been trying to put a standardised way of testing and accepting propriety stormwater devices removal efficiencies together for over 10 years. SV was integral in initiating the work way back in 2008, but since then Stormwater Australia has taken the lead. The protocol spends a lot of time putting in place governance arrangements and standardised testing, based on international experience, to allow us as an industry to accept treatment efficiencies. This is particularly important in Victoria now with the 53.18 clause, with many more situations requiring flexibility in treatment arrangements. Whilst I will always remain a vegetated system first advocate, I realise that to achieve good stormwater outcomes we need a range of solutions and a way to trust stated stormwater removal efficiencies. I encourage all of you to view the webinar (you can listen as a podcast – yes it might be best to help you go to sleep)

Finally some thank yous and reflections. Firstly to GEMS our secretariat, without your help we could not be the profession outfit that we strive to be. To Peta and Julie in particular thank you. As always there is some turnover with the committee each year, and we have not always been great at acknowledging the work that people do. It's a demanding role to juggle SV with other life commitments, but I'm sure most would say a truly rewarding experience. In no particular order:

Birgit Jordan – a tireless worker and passionate stormwater advocate that has been on the committee several terms. Thank you for your work in the drainage advocacy space and events/conference beforehand. I'm sure we'll see you again.

Sam Innes – A long term member that has been around the committee for the best part of a decade. A leader in the advocacy space for a long time, thank you for all your work in moving the organisation and industry forward

Phil Joyce – Another decade long member that has held a number of executive roles and been a big part of the committee shaping our form. Thank you Phil, your influence will be missed, but I'm sure you'll continue to be involved in the background

Jamie Comely – A double stint hardworking member that keeps coming back for more. A fantastic worker in our events team, really driving professional events. I'll miss having our philosophical chats and discussing the direction of the industry. Thanks again for all your hard work.

Emma Hendy – a past executive secretary and 5 year plus member. Has helped to improve our membership committee, and has been a driving force behind the water drinks. Thank you, and hopefully another stint in the future

Charlotte Beresford – A driver behind much of the SV social networking policy, procedures and posts. Thank you for bringing us into the 21st century!!

Harry Virahsawmy – Our current secretary and advocate for change in the committee. Thank you for all of your hard work, and hopefully another stint in the near future.

Along with Phil and Sam, I've also been on the committee for a decade, with the last 3 years as president. I inherited a fantastic culture from the past presidents, and hopefully I have helped to encourage this as an industry going forward. As an industry I think we need to keep improving our professionalism, especially as big picture changes – Stormwater Charges, SQDEP, Chartered/Accredited Stormwater Status – to name a few come to the fore over the next few years. We need to continue to challenge the status quo, in particular in the IWM space, and make sure we are not the poor cousin of other parts of the water cycle. For the new committee members, and in particular the new executive I wish you every luck in the positions, but I am very sure that we are in safe hands. The fact that an election has been required again for committee positions is testament to the strength of the industry.

Cheers – and thanks for all the fish.



Chris Beardshaw
President
Stormwater Victoria

TREASURER'S REPORT

Stormwater Victoria AGM 2019

Treasurer's Report

Comments on Stormwater Victoria's accounts for the 2018-2019 financial year as follows:

- As of the 30 June 2019, the association's total assets were \$155,890, total liabilities were \$54,160 leaving net assets as \$101,730
- For reference, at the same time in 2018 net assets were \$100,164
- On paper the Association made a profit of \$32,037 for the financial year.
- The annual conference is a major source of revenue for the Association. The 2019 Conference was our largest and most successful yet. Profit shown in the financial reports relates to the profit achieved from the Melbourne 2018 Conference. In 2019, the profit from the Conference held in Marysville in June is estimated to be approximately \$21,000 and will be shown in the 2019-2020 accounts.
- The ongoing sponsorship from Melbourne Water, is in its final year of a three year term and will conclude in June 2020.
- The association has now lodged tax returns to the end of 2018.
- For the period between 2001 through to 2009 we do not have the necessary data to lodge tax returns. A letter has been prepared and submitted to the tax office to seek exemption for those early years.
- The association opened a new bank account with National Bank of Australia, with approval and access for the President, Vice President and Treasurer now in place.

Sarah Watkins

Stormwater Victoria Treasurer

CONFERENCE SUB COMMITTEE REPORT 2018 - 2019

The 2019 State Conference was held regionally in Marysville, Victoria on the 4th and 5th of June 2019. The Conference program included two days of multi-stream sessions as well as a co-located trade exhibition. The theme of the Conference was: **River for Liveability. Promote, Protect and Preserve.** The Conference also included a Welcome Function on the evening of the 3rd of June, as well as a Conference Dinner on the 4th of June.

The Conference committee identified a number of success factors at the commencement of the planning process. A summary of outcomes against those success factors has been provided below.

Success Factor: Maintained or Increased Conference attendance numbers

Success Factor Item	Result
Aiming for approximately 150 Conference attendees (as per previous years)	Exceeded this target with the largest attended State Conference held to date – 163 delegates. 65 delegates attended the Welcome Function and 108 delegates attended the Conference Dinner.

Success Factor: Financial Viability of Conference

Success Factor Item	Result
Target of approximately \$15k per annum profit from the Conference – as the Conference provides funds for SV Committee operations	Achieved. The Conference has broken even and achieved a \$21k+ surplus.
Locking down Conference Sponsorship and Trade Exhibitors is needed to achieve this target	Achieved. Good representation of trade exhibitors and sponsors.

Success Factor: Diversity of speakers

Success Factor Item	Result
Aim for a diverse list of speakers from a various mix of organisations (including a healthy mix of government and consultancy)	Achieved. A good mix of speakers, including government and consultants.
Appoint keynote speakers that tie in with the Conference theme	Achieved. Great Keynote speakers, including high profile ones like Christine Nixon (Former Chief Commissioner, Victoria Police) to open up Day 1 and give local context. A Welcome to Country by Corlene Cooper, a Taungurung woman, as well as a welcome from Craig Lloyd, the CEO of Murrindindi Shire Council to help set the scene. Other speakers included Associate Professor Rory Nathan from the University of Melbourne,

	Zinta Lazdins from Melbourne Water and Associate Professor Ian Rutherford from University of Melbourne.
Consider gender diversity – especially for Keynote speakers	Achieved. Good gender balance of Keynote Speakers. 2 male and 2 female Keynote Speakers. Female speaker for Conference Dinner – Jacqui Cooper, aerial skier.
Consider age diversity – encourage first time speakers	Achieved. A good amount of young first-time speakers accepted to present at the Conference.

Success Factor: Quality of Event

Success Factor Item	Result
An over-supply of abstracts received	Achieved an over supply of abstracts. Rejected a few abstracts based on quality of abstracts. Also had a waitlist for other abstracts that did not make the first cut. Some of those on the waitlist were invited to speak at the Conference as 2-3 main speakers pulled out.
Repeat attendance from previous Conference attendees	Achieved. A large number of attendees were repeat attendees. However, we also had a large number of first-time attendees at the Conference which was a great result and will hopefully encourage repeat attendance next year.
Online engagement of attendees through LinkedIn posts whilst at the Conference	Good online engagement, a few posts about the Conference went up on LinkedIn by attendees of the Conference, however the number of posts and promotion could have been higher. Would suggest brainstorming ideas to boost online engagement for the next State Conference. The Conference Chair posted on LinkedIn a number of times during the Conference itself (as Stormwater Victoria) – these posts had great engagement and were widely viewed.
Obtaining positive event feedback in the survey of attendees which will be sent out upon completion of the Conference (including positive feedback on venue, catering, Conference program, timing, Conference Dinner)	Feedback generally very positive. Attendees liked the Conference venue, location, duration and program. Great feedback about most of the Keynote Speakers. Some feedback regarding the social functions and other aspects of the Conference that can be improved – would suggest that future Conference planning committee go through feedback from a couple of past years to assess in more detail.

The Conference was very well received, and the feedback was very positive. Attendees liked the regional location and the facilities of the hotel. The Conference structure, technical program and Keynote Speakers were all very well received. There were many comments about the success of this years' Conference. Overall a very positive atmosphere and great engagement amongst attendees.

Areas for improvement included the separate room out the back for the exhibitors – on Day 1 some felt a bit isolated with not many people aware of this area and not making their way down to see those exhibitors. Online engagement and promotion of the Conference could also be boosted – particularly with more Stormwater Victoria committee members posting about the Conference.

MEMBERSHIP SUB COMMITTEE REPORT 2018 - 2019

Key activities for Membership Sub Committee over the past 12 months:

- 3 successful Water Drinks in partnership with Clearwater
- New partnership model with Clearwater for future Water Drinks.
- Agreed approach for social media – specifically LinkedIn
- Dedicated council event on hold. Now planning for People's Choice Stormwater Awards

EVENTS 2018 - 2019

Best of 2018

Date: Tuesday, 6th December 2018

Time: 3:30pm – 7:30pm

Location: European Bier Café, Basement Level for Seminar and Level 1 for Water Drinks

SV representative: Rachelle Adamowicz

Number of Attendees: 42 Members, 10 non members

Speakers:

- Damien D'Aspramonte, Foresight Advisory (Victoria's IWM Planning Framework)
- Matt Pilcher, Yarra Ranges Council (The Nexus of Stormwater and Septics)
- Peter Gordan, Permeate Partners (Royal Melbourne Golf Club – Over 8 Years of Stormwater Harvesting and Treatment Experience)
- Belinda Kolek, Latrobe City Council (Gippsland Heavy Industrial Wetlands)

Australian Rainfall and Runoff 2016 Practitioners Breakfast – Bendigo

Date: Wednesday, 27th February 2019

Time: 7:45am – 12:00pm

Location: Capital Theatre Bendigo

SV representative: Chris Beardshaw

Number of Attendees: 35 Non members, 4 members

Speakers:

- Lindsey Brown, Foundry (ARR16 Change Context)
- Valerie and Michael Mag, Stormy Water Solutions (Small Consultancy Change)
- David Stephens, HARC (Rorb Model Changes and Use)
- Benjamin Kus, Watercom (DRAINS Software Changes and Use)

Stormwater Policy Changes Breakfast

Date: Thursday, 28th February 2019

Time: 7:45am – 10:00am

Location: Cardno Level 2, 501 Swanston Street

SV Representative: Kate Matthews

Number of Attendees: 57 Members, 29 non members , 20 webinar

Speakers:

- Chris Chesterfield, CRC for Water Sensitive Cities (Background to reforms)
- Emma Stewart, DELWP (What Changes? Planning scheme run down)
- Kate Matthews, Cardno (Implication of Policy Changes)
- Peter Durkin, DELWP (Panel Session)
- Kathryn Skidmore, Moreland City Council (Panel Session)
- Dr Sara Lloyd, E2 Design Lab (Panel Session)

2019 Stormwater Victoria Conference

Monday, 3rd June – Wednesday, 5th June

Vibe Hotel Marysville

Keynote Speakers:

- Christine Nixon, Former Police Commissioner, Victoria Police
- Dr Rory Nathan, The University of Melbourne
- Associate Professor Ian Rutherford, The University of Melbourne
- Zinta Lazdins, Melbourne Water
- Jacqui Cooper, Aerial Skiing World Champion

2018 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Stormwater Victoria Annual General Meeting Minutes

Melbourne Water
Level 1, 990 Latrobe Street, Docklands
Monday, 20th August, 2018

E-mail: office@stormwatervictoria.asn.au

ABN: 13 151 464 564

The 2018 Annual General Meeting of the Stormwater Victoria was held in The Terrace Room, Level 1, Melbourne Water, 990 Latrobe Street, Docklands from 4.00 pm until 4.30 pm.

1. MEETING CHAIRMAN'S OPENING REMARKS

Chris Beardshaw welcomed members and guests to the AGM.

2. ATTENDANCE

Rod Wiese, Storm Consulting; Kate Matthews, Cardno; Bahman Esfandier, Water Technology; Aaron Dowling, E2Designlab; Lindsey Brown, Foundry; Philip Joyce, GHD; Elizabeth Smolinska, Jacobs; Aram Manjikian, Beveridge Williams; Birgit Jordan, Melbourne Water; Rachelle Adamowicz, Melbourne Water; Phil Edwards, Coolth Inc; Harry Virahsawmy, Alluvium; Jamie Tainton, LDeng; Colin McLeod, Maroondah City Council; Emmy Hendy, WGA; Chris Beardshaw, Afflux; Tracey Pham, Afflux.

APOLOGIES AND PROXIES

Name	Organisation	Proxy to
Peter Coombes	Urban WaterCycle Solutions	Jamie Tainton

3. MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 21st August 2017

Resolution: That the Minutes of AGM held on 21st August 2017 be confirmed.

MOVED: Philip Joyce **SECONDED:** Jamie Tainton

4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

There was no business arising from the minutes of the 2017 AGM.

5. CORRESPONDENCE

There was no correspondence tabled at the Annual General Meeting.

6. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The Presidents Report contained within the Annual Report, was read out at the meeting.

Resolution: That the President's Report be confirmed.

MOVED: Emma Hendy **SECONDED:** Harry Virahsawmy

7. TREASURERS REPORT AND PRESENTATION OF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The Treasurer's Report (including the Profit and Loss and Balance Sheet for 2017/2018) is contained within the Annual Report.

Resolution: That the Treasurer's Report be confirmed.

MOVED: Rachelle Adamowicz **SECONDED:** Lindsey Brown

8. ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS

The 2017/2018 Stormwater Victoria Executive Committee who were required to step down from their previous positions (President and Secretary) did so. In addition, the position of Vice President was declared vacant as Ann Pugh had stepped down from the committee. Julie McGraw read out the nominations for the 2018/2019 Executive Committee.

Chris Beardshaw
Elected unopposed as President of Stormwater Victoria

Jamie Tainton
Elected unopposed as Vice President of Stormwater Victoria

Harry Virahsawmy
Elected unopposed as Secretary of Stormwater Victoria

Moved: Philip Joyce Seconded: Rod Wiese

The following members were elected to positions on the Executive and the Committee for 2018/2019:

Name	Organisation	Position
Chris Beardshaw	Afflux Consulting	President
Jaime Tainton	LGeng	Vice President
Sarah Watkins	Melbourne Water	Treasurer
Harry Virahsawmy	Alluvium	Secretary
Rachelle Adamowicz	Clearwater	Committee Member
Charlotte Beresford	Melbourne Water	Committee Member
Jamie Comley	Jamie Comley Consulting	Committee Member
Aaron Dowling	E2Designlab	Committee Member
Bahman Esfandiar	Water Technology	Committee Member
Emma Hendy	Wallbridge Gilbert Aztec	Committee Member
Sam Innes	City of Port Melbourne	Committee Member
Birgit Jordan	Melbourne Water	Committee Member
Phil Joyce	GHD	Committee Member
Colin McLeod	Moorandah Council	Committee Member
Aram Manjikian	Beveridge Williams	Committee Member
Kate Matthews	Cardno	Committee Member
Tracey Pham	Afflux Consulting	Committee Member
Elizabeth Smolinska	Jacobs	Committee Member

Resolution: That the nominations for the positions of President, Vice President and Secretary and the positions of Committee Members for Stormwater Victoria for the 2017/2018 year be accepted. (Treasurer's Tenure expires at the 2019 AGM)

MOVED: Lindsey Brown **SECONDED:** Rod Wiese

Phil Edwards has volunteered to be a part of one of the Sub Committees as a non Committee Member for 2018/19

9. APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR

Resolution: That E H Tan be reappointed as auditors for the Stormwater Victoria for 2018/2019

MOVED: Rachelle Adamowicz **SECONDED:** Jamie Tainton

10. GENERAL BUSINESS

Lindsey Brown, President of AWA Victoria mentioned that OzWater will be held in May 2019 and AWA would like to invite Victoria industry partners to participate as presenters at OzWater 2019. Further information to be provided in due course.

11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next Annual General Meeting for Stormwater Victoria will be held in August 2019.

12. CLOSE OF MEETING

There being no further business, the President, Chris Beardshaw closed the meeting at 4.30 pm.

These minutes form a true record of the business of the Stormwater Victoria Annual General Meeting held on Monday, 20th August, 2018

Prepared by: Julie McGraw, GEMS

Date: Monday, 20th August 2018

2018 – 2019 AUDIT REPORT

STORMWATER INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2019

		2019
INCOME		
Conference Revenue		
Member	13,542	
Non Member	5,531	
Reimbursement of Seeding Funds	-	19,073
Events Income		
Member	4,623	
Non Member	3,759	8,382
Interest Income		258
Interest Income - ATO		450
Membership Income		
Corporate Membership	29,799	
Individual Membership	10,004	39,803
Miscellaneous Revenue		-
National Levy Rebates	-	53
Other income - Credit Card Processing		37
Sponsorship - Melbourne Water		16,000
Water Drinks Revenue		789
		<u>84,739</u>
EXPENSES		
Accountancy Fees		4,400
AGM Expenses		-
Awards, Conference & Event Expenses		10,234
Bank Charges		126
Committee Expenses		402
Consultancy Fees		-
Filing Fees		363
Insurance		2,458
Interest Expenses - ATO		193
Overheads		70
Secretariate Fees		21,304
SIA National Levy		11,544
Travel		387
Website Design & Maintenance		1,221
		<u>52,702</u>
NET INCOME FOR YEAR		<u><u>\$ 32,037</u></u>

STORMWATER INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 2019

	2019
EQUITY	
Opening Balance	69,693
Net Income for year	32,037
	<u>\$ 101,730</u>
REPRESENTED BY:	
CURRENT ASSETS	
Accounts Receivables	43,143
Business Saver Account - CBA	60,631
Commonwealth Bank Chequing - CBA Business Account #1	13,044
National Operation Account	35,507
GST Refundable	-
Tax Refundable	3,565
	<u>155,890</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>155,890</u>
Less CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable	2,824
Suspense Account	40,336
Prepayments	11,000
	<u>54,160</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>54,160</u>
NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 101,730</u>

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE STORMWATER INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Stormwater Industry Association of Victoria (the "Association"), which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2019, the income and expenditure statement for the year then ended and notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The committee of the association is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report, and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 is appropriate to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (VIC) and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The committee's responsibility also includes such internal control as the committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion of the financial report based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Association's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Association's internal control. An audit also includes evaluation the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

The financial report has been prepared for the distribution to members for the purpose of fulfilling the committee's financial reporting under the Associations Incorporation Act 2009. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF THE STORMWATER INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA**

Basis for Qualified Auditor's Opinion

The nature of the activities of the incorporated entity is such that income received from membership, sponsorship and public events conducted during the year, representing a significant source of revenue for the Association, is recorded on a cash basis. The committee has determined that it is impracticable to establish control over the collection of cash sponsorships and public event receipts prior to their initial entry in the accounting records. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on whether all receipts have been properly recognised.

Qualified Auditor's Opinion

Subject to the above reservation, in our opinion, the financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Stormwater Industry Association of VIC as at 30 June 2019 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (VIC).

Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Stormwater Industry Association of VIC to meet the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 2009. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.

26 August 2019



ENG HWA TAN
PARTNER
E H TAN & CO
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Chris Beadshaw
President

Sarah Watkins
Treasurer

Dated this 30th day of August 2019