

Resource distribution announcement

Monday 3 July 2017



Murray Irrigation

Murray Irrigation will kick off the new irrigation season on a positive note, announcing a water resource distribution of three percent allocation (to be issued against delivery entitlements).

This follows the 11 percent opening allocation for NSW Murray general security entitlement holders (announced by DPI Water on Saturday 1 July) and is on top of carryover, which in the NSW Murray is approximately 42 percent on average (note: the repayment of Barmah-Millewa Allowance is triggered when general security allocations reach 30 percent).

Together with the three percent resource distribution announced today, this is a positive start to the 2017/18 irrigation season and I'm sure it will be welcomed news for our customers.

The Board and management are committed to encouraging water use within the Murray Irrigation area of operations and are seeking to maximise water availability and use through this distribution.

Following strong feedback from customers, and to give confidence for the 2017/18 season, the Board has agreed that customers will have full access to any resource distributions this financial year.

The current resource distribution will be made available to delivery entitlement holders who have paid all outstanding accounts up to and including the March quarter and will be credited to accounts on Tuesday 11 July.

Customers with an outstanding balance on their account must make payment by 5.00pm Friday 7 July in order to access the water resource distribution announced today.



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