

2023 LGNSW Water Management Conference

26 – 28 June, Parkes Leagues Club, Parkes

Call for Presentation Proposals – Guidelines

About LGNSW's Water Management Conference

The annual Local Government NSW (LGNSW) Water Management Conference presents the most current and relevant information from a local government perspective on water policy and regulation, water utility management, water security and quality and service delivery.

LGNSW's Water Management Conference is a major annual event which provides a dedicated forum to discuss water policy initiatives and trends, learn about the latest technical innovations and share best practice in water governance and management. It attracts up to 250 delegates from NSW and interstate including councillors and council general managers, water utility managers, professionals, policy makers, researchers, and other key industry stakeholders.

LGNSW is pleased to partner with Parkes Shire Council to co-host the 2023 Water Management Conference.

Deadline for submission of proposals

The closing date for submission of proposals is **Friday, 28 October 2022**.

Successful applicants will be notified by **Friday, 18 November 2022**.

Presentation proposals

Proposals should be submitted electronically using the online [Presentation Proposal Form](#). If you are unable to use the online form, please contact [Patrick Lee](#).

Presentation topics

Presentations should be relevant, topical and engaging. Areas of focus could include:

- Asset resilience during drought, fire and floods
- Water quality and supply for rural, remote and aboriginal communities
- Defining a minimum level of service
- Collaboration and alliances
- Innovation and Technology
- Regional Water Strategies
- Town water risk reduction
- A water workforce for the future
- Business Continuity during the pandemic
- Implantation of regulatory reform
- Water as an economic driver for regional communities

Length of presentations

Presentations, including Q&A, must not to exceed 30 minutes.

Supporting documents

You can attach documents to your proposal, although these should be kept to a minimum. Any attachments must be in Word or PDF format.

Submitting your proposal

Proposals should be submitted electronically using the online [Presentation Proposal Form](#). Upon successful lodgement, you will receive an automatic reply indicating that we have received your proposal.

Selection of presentations

Ultimately, presentations will be selected that complement the conference focus areas, provide a balanced program, and which are engaging for delegates.

Commercial presentations

LGNSW will not consider presentations that are primarily commercial in nature.

Further information

If you have any questions or require further information, please contact Patrick Lee, Senior Policy Officer Infrastructure and Finance on 02 9242 4073 or by email: patrick.lee@lgnsw.org.au.