

IPWEA – WA  
Executive Committee  
2025 – 2026

Members

Luke McGuirk, Convener: Governance, Audit & Risk Portfolio; Chair  
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Peter Pikor, Executive Manager  
Cathy Higgs, Office & Events Manager

Ian Duncan, WALGA Representative (Ex Officio)

Governance & Strategy  
Portfolio

Luke McGuirk – Convener  
Matthew Southern – Deputy Convener

Governance,  
Audit & Risk  
Chair: President

1. IPWEA WA Secretariat
2. Membership
  - Individual / Corporate (Growth & Development)
3. Code of Ethics & Governance
4. IPWEA National Board
5. Public Works Engineering Foundation
6. Strategic Relationships
- 6.1 Partner Organisations (MOUs)
  - Main Roads WA (Steering Committee)
  - WA Local Government Association (WALGA)
  - Australian Asphalt Pavement Association (AAPA)
- 6.2 Allied Government Agencies
  - Dept. of Planning (DoP)
  - Dept. of Transport (DoT)
  - Dept. of Aboriginal Affairs (DAA)
  - Dept. of Reg. Dev. (DRD)
  - Dept. of Environment
  - Office of Road Safety (ORS)
- 6.3 Allied Organisations
  - Engineers Australia
  - Urban Dev. Inst. of Aust. (UDIA)
  - Aust. Inst. of Traffic Planning & Mgt (AITPM)
  - ARRB Group
7. Awards
  - IPWEA State & National Awards
  - Other Awards
8. Communications
  - IPWEA WA Website
  - Publications

POP-UP

Awards  
Committee

Dennis Blair,  
Allan Claydon,  
Dave Harris, John  
King, Colin Leek,  
David Porter

1. FJ Bryant Outstanding Service Award
2. GK Watters Local Government Engineering Award
3. Sarkis Petrossian Award for Innovative Practice in Traffic Safety Management
4. Best Public Works Project
  - a) Under \$2m
  - b) \$2m - \$5m
  - c) Greater \$5m
5. Excellence in Asset Management
6. Excellence in Project Innovation
7. Excellence in Water Project
8. Excellence in Road Safety
9. Excellence in Environment & Sustainability

Member Services Portfolio

Kimberly Brosztl – Convener  
Sam Assaad – Deputy Convener

Road Safety  
Panel

Chair: Andy  
McMahon

1. Road Safety Auditor (RSA) Portal
2. RSA Training
3. RSA Accreditation
4. RSA Database
5. RSA Register Update
6. RSA CPD & Re-Certification
7. Road Funding (Blackspot)
8. Safe Systems
9. Roadwise
10. WALGA Road Safety Awards
11. Road Safety

Education &  
Training  
Committee

Chair:  
Tanvir  
Asgar

1. Public Works Training Week
2. Technical Tours
3. Breakfast and Lunch Forums
4. Professional Development Forums

Conferences  
Chair:  
Deputy  
President

State  
Conference  
Committee

Young  
IPWEA

Chair:  
Aaron  
MacNish

1. Membership Growth
2. Development (Courses / Forums)
3. Mentoring
4. Events
  - Mentoring
  - Technical Tours
  - Networking

South West  
Branch

Chair:  
Daniell  
Abrahamse

1. Annual Country Meeting
2. Professional Development Forums
3. Technical Tours

Asset Management  
Portfolio

Under Review, Convener  
Santosh Amasi – Dep. Convener

IPWEA WA  
Asset  
Management  
Committee

Chair: Santosh  
Amasi

Public Works Portfolio

Om Gupta – Convener  
Doug Elkins– Deputy Convener

Main Roads WA Technical Group  
Technical expert (as required) & outer  
Council representative

Transport  
Chair:  
Dwight  
Kostusik

1. Integrated Transport Planning, inc Bicycles and Pedestrians
2. Moving People Alternate modes
3. Heavy Vehicles
4. Parking
5. Public Transport

Roads  
Chair: Mark  
Bondietti

6. Design
7. Pavement Standards & Guidelines
8. Roads Funding (Improvement & MRRG)
9. Heavy Vehicle
10. Traffic Management

Development

IPWEA  
Sub-Div. Guidelines  
Steering Committee

Chair: Damien Martin

IPWEA  
Sub-Div. Guidelines  
Review Committee

Chair: Martyn Glover

Development in  
Groundwater  
Constrained  
Environments Steering  
Group

Chair: Ian Daniels

Western Power LG  
Government Strategic  
Liaison Group

IPWEA Rep: Rob Willis

Utilities Providers  
Services Committee

IPWEA Rep: Paul Devcic

Liveable Neighbourhoods

Environment Portfolio

Martyn Glover – Convener  
Position Vacant– Deputy Convener

POP-UP  
Areas for  
Collaboration

1. Natural Resource Management
2. Water
3. Energy
  - Western Power Vegetation Management Group
4. Climate Change
5. Waste Management
  - Waste Management C & D Working Group
6. Biodiversity
7. Statutes
8. Parks
9. Coastal

C = Chair

DLGC = Department of Local Government & Communities

UPSC = Utilities Providers Services Committee