



# Conference Program

*'Theme... Public Works Challenges- Closing the Gap'*

| Monday 7 May 2012          |  |   |
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| 3.30pm – 5.30pm            | Registration commences   |   |
| 6.00pm – 8.00pm            | <p><b>Welcome Reception</b></p> <p><i>John Roydhouse, Executive Officer, IPWEA NSW</i></p>                           |   |
| Tuesday 8 May 2012         |  |   |
| 8.00am – 9.00am            | Registration commences   |   |
| 9.00am – 10.15am           | <p><b>Opening Ceremony</b></p> <p>Welcome<br/><b>Greg Moran</b>, President IPWEA (NSW)</p>                           | <p><b>Jetty Harbour Room</b></p> <p>Chair: Warren Sharpe</p>  |
| 9.10am – 9.40am            | <p>Opening<br/><b>Cr Keith Rhoades</b>, Mayor of the City of Coffs Harbour</p>                                       |   |
| 9.40am – 10.15am           | <p>Keynote Address<br/><b>Carolyn McNally</b>, Deputy Director General, Planning and Programs, Transport for NSW</p> |   |
| <i>Morning Tea</i>         | <i>Morning Tea 10.15am – 10.30am</i>   | <i>Morning Tea 10.15am – 10.40am</i>  |
| <b>Concurrent Sessions</b> | <b>Roads Congress<br/>10.30am – 12.45pm<br/>Jetty Harbour Room</b>   | <b>Road Safety Forum<br/>10.45am – 12.45pm<br/>Marina Room</b>  |
| <i>Presenter</i>           | Regional Transport Planning<br><i>See Local Roads Congress Program</i>   | <p>10.45am – 11.00am<br/>Closing the Gap – Road systems approach and Local Government</p> <p><i>Mark Turner</i><br/>Executive Manager<br/>IPWEA NSW</p>                     |
|                            |  | <p>11.00am – 11.35am<br/>Staysafe, School Zone Safety: Report and Continuing Research</p> <p><i>Ian Faulks</i><br/>Partner<br/>Safety and Policy Analysis International</p> |
|                            |  | <p>11.35am – 12.15pm<br/>Driven to Distraction: Influences on Driver Behaviour</p> <p><i>Dr Julia Irwin</i><br/>Department of Psychology<br/>Macquarie University</p>       |
|                            |  | <p>12.15pm – 12.45pm<br/>Drive to Conditions</p> <p><i>Lisa Marshall</i><br/>Road Safety Officer<br/>Lismore City Council</p>   |
| <i>Lunch</i>               | <i>Lunch 12.45pm – 1.30pm</i>  | <i>Lunch 12.45pm – 1.45pm</i>   |



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| <i>Presenters</i>                              | Transport Topics<br><i>See Local Roads Congress Program</i>   | 1.45pm – 2.15pm<br>Safe Systems: a little less conversation, a little more action ... the Parkes Elvis Festival Street Parade Experience<br><br><i>Melanie Suitor</i><br><i>Road Safety and Injury Prevention Officer</i><br><i>Parkes, Forbes and Lachlan Shire Councils</i><br><br><i>Phil King</i><br><i>Manager Design and Traffic</i><br><i>Parkes Shire Council</i> |   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                               |   | 2.15pm – 2.45pm<br>Working together for Safer Roads<br><br><i>Lila Fisher</i><br><i>Project and Development Manager,</i><br><i>Moree Plains Shire Council</i>   |   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                               |   | 2.45pm – 3.15pm<br>Mining Safer Roads<br><br><i>Iris Dorsett</i><br><i>Road Safety Officer</i><br><i>Bathurst Regional &amp; Blayney Shire Councils</i>   |   |
| <i>Afternoon Tea</i>                           | <i>Afternoon Tea 3.15pm – 3.30pm</i>  | <i>Afternoon Tea 3.15pm – 3.45pm</i>  |   |
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|  | Roads Management<br><i>See Local Roads Congress Program</i>   | Workshop<br>Development of a unified submission on the future of the Road Safety Officer Project in NSW   |   |
| 6.30pm – 12.00am                               | <b>Engineering Excellence Awards Dinner</b>   |   |   |
| <b>Wednesday 9 May 2012</b>                    |   |   |   |
| <b>Concurrent Sessions</b><br>9.00am – 11.30am | <b>Water Directorate Forum</b><br><b>Boardroom 2</b>  | <b>Engineering Projects</b><br><b>Marina Room</b>   | <b>Out of the Box</b><br><b>Jetty Harbour Room</b>  |
| 9.00am – 9.30am<br><br><i>Presenter</i>        | Southern Regional Livestock Exchange Roof Project<br><br><i>Andrew Murdoch</i><br><i>Saleyard and RRC</i><br><i>Manager</i><br><i>Wingecarribee Shire Council</i>     | Lessons Learned from Design and Construction of Cowra's new Waste Water Treatment Facility<br><br><i>David Smith,</i><br><i>Project Manager</i><br><i>Cowra Council</i>   | 2011 National Study Tour Report<br><br><i>Garry Hemsworth</i><br><i>Executive Director</i><br><i>Infrastructure Services</i><br><i>Lismore City Council</i> |
| 9.30am – 10.00am<br><br><i>Presenter</i>       | Lessons Learnt: Sawtell Chlorine Spill<br><br><i>Adam Wilson</i><br><i>Manager Water Treatment</i><br><i>Coffs Harbour Water</i><br><i>Coffs Harbour City Council</i> | Yass High School Civil Infrastructure and Safety Improvements<br><br><i>Luka Kovacevic</i><br><i>Manager of Engineering</i><br><i>Services</i><br><i>Yass Valley Council</i>  | How to Deliver Public Private Partnership<br><br><i>Scott Williams</i><br><i>Managing Director</i><br><i>Complete Urban</i>                                 |



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| 10.00am – 10.30am                               | Micro boring and design of Miriam Sewage Pump Station and Sewer Mains   | Sydney Harbour Bridge Resurfacing Project   | Timor Leste Services and Infrastructure   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Roger Reynolds<br/>Water Infrastructure Engineer<br/>Dubbo City Council</i>  | <i>Mike Veysay<br/>RMS</i>  | <i>Neil Chesworth<br/>Civil Engineer<br/>Chesworth Management Services</i>                                  |
| 10.30am – 11.00am                               | <i>Morning Tea</i>  |   |   |
| <b>Concurrent Sessions</b><br>11.00am – 12.40pm | <b>Water Directorate Forum Boardroom 2</b>  | <b>People Marina Room</b>   | <b>Assets Jetty Harbour Room</b>  |
| 11.00am – 11.30am                               | Westdale Wastewater Augmentation and Reuse Farm   | Workforce engineering   | Asset Management in 3D  |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Bruce Logan<br/>Director - Water Enterprises<br/>Tamworth Regional Council</i>   | <i>Paul Humphreys<br/>Manager – Workforce Planning and Development Skills DMC</i>           | <i>Anthony Ogle<br/>Manager Assets Systems &amp; Austin Morris<br/>Manager Integration City of Ryde</i>     |
| 11.30am – 12.00pm                               | Lower Macquarie Water Utilities Alliance - Learnings from 2008 to Present   | Work Health & Safety Laws For Officers, Managers and Supervisors                            | Asset Management Study tour NZ Report   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Stewart McLeod<br/>Director Technical Services<br/>Dubbo City Council</i>  | <i>Colin Emerson<br/>Manager Professional Development and Critical Skills<br/>IPWEA NSW</i> | <i>Royce Toohey<br/>Asset Management Plan and Sustainability Co-ordinator<br/>Eurobodalla Shire Council</i> |
| 12.00pm – 12.40pm                               | <i>Lunch</i>  |   |   |
| 12.40pm – 1.00pm                                | <b>Presentation</b><br>Land Matters Manual - An Essential Council Resource  |   | <b>Jetty Harbour Room</b>   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Todd Neal, Senior Associate Public Law, Planning and Environment, Maddocks</i>   |   |   |
| 1.00pm – 2.00pm                                 | <b>IPWEA Q&amp;A Forum Panel session</b><br>An opportunity for delegates to bring forward issues, areas for discussion or concerns that IPWEA can assist with into the future. (Delegates will be encouraged to pre submit their questions, ideas, discussion topics during the Conference) |   |   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Moderated by John Roydhouse, Executive Officer, IPWEA NSW<br/>IPWEA NSW Board Members</i>  |   |   |
| 2.00pm – 2.40pm                                 | <b>Presentation</b><br>Good Governance, Contracts, Procurement, What Senior Engineers in Local Government Need to Know  |   |   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Yvonne Miles, ICAC</i>   |   |   |
| 2.40pm – 3.00pm                                 | <i>Afternoon Tea</i>  |   |   |
| 3.00pm – 3.40pm                                 | <b>Keynote address</b><br>Surviving Organisational Change - an Engineering perspective  |   |   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Stephen Blackadder, Management Consultancy</i>   |   |   |
| 3.40pm – 5.00pm                                 | <b>Keynote address</b><br>Speak Up and Influence People<br>Tailored Specifically for Leaders, Customer Service Providers and Members of Teams   |   |   |
| <i>Presenter</i>                                | <i>Michelle Bowden</i>  |   |   |
|   | <b>Closing Ceremony</b><br><i>Greg Moran, President IPWEA (NSW)</i>   |   |   |

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