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The Toonumbar Water Users Association would like to endorse the Richmond River Area, Unregulated, Regulated and Alluvial Water Sources Plan in its current state as it pertains to the regulated portion of the system.

We believe, while there is clear ongoing consultation with all water users, equitable distribution of water, using the existing framework, is possible to all categories of users. This was demonstrated during the recent drought conditions in 2019 and early 2020 where the system requirements were met despite the extremely challenging conditions. This equitable water sharing fits directly with our need for water security for irrigation, stock and domestic, as well as meeting cultural and environmental requirements of the system. We would be reticent to support any changes that affect the current balance.

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on behalf of the Toonumbar Water Users Association