

MEETING RECORD

MEETING: WA Electricity Consultative Forum (WAECF)

DATE: Wednesday, 24 August 2022

TIME: 1:00 PM (AWST)
LOCATION: Microsoft Teams

CONTACT: <u>WAelectricityforum@aemo.com.au</u>

ATTENDEES:

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NAME	COMPANY
Dean Sharafi (Chair)	AEMO
Laura Tomkins (Secretariat)	AEMO
Patrick Peake	AGL
Andrew Scarfone	AGL
John Nguyen	AGL
Jasper Sng	AGL
Mark Riley	AGL
Suzanne Bentley	Alcoa
Oscar Carlberg	Alinta
Annabel Keogh	Office of the Hon Bill Johnston MLA
Eddy Buckovic	APA
Donohue, Naomi	APA
Geoff Gaston	Change Energy
Rebecca White	Collgar
Gill Willmer	Community Electricity
Michelle Thomas	EDL Energy
Hyatt, James (Enel X)	Enel X
Zoey Peng	Entego
Stephen Eliot	EPWA
Dora Guzeleva	EPWA
Bronwyn Gunn	EPWA
WILLIAMS, Jay	EPWA
Gavin White	ERA
Natalie Robins	ERA
Donna Todesco	ERA
Robert Pullella	ERA
Dylan Teh	Kleenheat
Bobby Ditric	Lantau Group
Penny Ling	Metro Power
Vlasta Barac	Metro Power
Timothy Harrison	Monadelphous
Tim Robinson	RBP Consulting
Jennifer Lao	Res-group
Michelle Nguyen	Shell
Charles Loh	Shell
Paul Arias	Shell
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Walker, Andrew	South 32
Neil Canby	Sunrise Energy
Sophie Maio	Synergy
Dominic Regnard	Synergy
Denver May	Synergy
Natalie Ristoski	Synergy
Brent Quinn	Synergy
Rodney Littlejohn	Tersum Energy
Jess Ting	Transalta
Peter Huxtable	Water Corp
Dean Frost	Western Power
Mark McKinnon	Western Power
Dugald Bell	Western Power
Rob Chandler	Western Power
Judy Hunter	Western Power
Noel Schubert	
Paul Elliott	AEMO
Hamish McKay	AEMO
Grace Liu	AEMO
Mark Katsikandarakis	AEMO
Bruce Redmond	AEMO



1. Welcome and Previous meeting minutes

Dean Sharafi (AEMO) opened the meeting at 1.02 pm the minutes from the previous WAECF (29 June 2022) were endorsed. AEMO to publish the minutes as final on the <u>website</u> (Action Item 1.1).

2. AEMO Operational Updates

2.1. Power System Update

Paul Elliott (AEMO) presented a power system update noting, the load volatility on 1 August 2022, winter peak and unusual peak loads.

2.2. Reserve Capacity update

Grace Liu (AEMO) presented an update on Reserve Capacity activities providing an update on the following items:

- The winter reserve capacity testing outcomes for the 2021 and 2022 capacity year.
 Except for facilities currently on outages that cannot be tested, the rest of the facilities have passed the verification by observation for this winter testing period. The next reserve capacity testing cycle with commence 1 October 2022 for the 2022 and 2023 capacity year. Market Participants (MP) will be notified when the timeline is ready.
- The 2022 WEM Electricity Statement of Opportunities (ESOO) survey closes on 25 August 2022

Grace also provided a forward plan for the next three Forecasting Reference Group meetings, noting the next one is on 31 August 2022. Invites will be sent to WA MP.

Questions and feedback can be directed to wa.capacity@aemo.com.au

2.3. Data Dashboard Uplift

AEMO has recently uplifted the Data Dashboard on <u>AEMO's website.</u> Hamish McKay (AEMO) walked participants through the changes in a live demonstration. Any feedback and suggestions can be sent the <u>wa.operations@aemo.com.au</u>

3. AEMO Project Update

3.1. WEM Reform update

Mark Katsikandarakis (AEMO) presented a high-level update on the WEM Reform Program, noting the key achievements for July and August 2022. The overall program status remains amber due to the impact of resourcing. More information and any feedback can be provided to WA.ETS@aemo.com.au

3.2. WA DER Roadmap Update

Bruce Redmond (AEMO) presented an update on the DER Program activities, noting the upcoming WA DER Market Participation forum is scheduled for 13 September 2022. More information and any feedback can be provided to WADERProgram@aemo.com.au all DER previous presentations can be found on AEMO's website.

4. Other Business

No other business was raised

5. Next Meeting

Dean Sharafi (AEMO) informed participants that the date for the next WAECF is scheduled for 12 October 2022. The meeting was closed at 1.47 pm.



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- This document is a summary only and is not a complete record of discussion at the forum.
- For presentation purposes, some points have been grouped together by theme and do not necessarily appear in the order they were discussed.
- The views expressed at the forum and reflected here are not necessarily those of AEMO.