Forum meeting record

Forum:	WA Gas Consultative Forum
Date:	10 August 2023
Time:	1:00pm
Location:	Microsoft Teams
Contact:	WAgasforum@aemo.com.au

Attendees:

Name	Company Department
Laura Tomkins (Secretariat)	AEMO
Martin Maticka (Chair)	AEMO
Trent Leach	AGIG
Mark Riley	AGL
Jodie McDonnell	CSBP
Suzanne Bentley	Alcoa
Richard Beverley	Alinta
Joe Sanches	ATCO
Richard Stella	Beach Energy
Joanne Khoo	BP
Jason Ridley	Chevron
Dominic Rodwell	Citic Pacific Mining
Jia Wu	Citic Pacific Mining
Linh Nguyen	CME WA

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Name	Company Department
Noelle Leonard	EPWA
Stephen Eliot	EPWA
Dora Guzeleva	EPWA
Jenny Laidlaw	EPWA
Isadora Rebelo Salviano	EPWA
Jay WILLIAMS	EPWA
Robert Pullella	ERA
Elizabeth Walters	ERA
Tyson Self	ERA
Greg McIntosh	FMG
Rhyse Maughan	FMG
Paul Bresloff-Barry	Gas Trading
Mike Lauer	Gas Trading
Arun Sri	Gentrack
Vicky Hibben	Glencore
Hans Niklasson	Horizon Power
Ana Stankovic	Kleenheat
Roger Farinha	Kleenheat
Richard de Bont	KUFPEC
Julie-Anne Simmons	Mitsi
Surena Ho	Osaka Gas
Andrew Scarfone	Perth Energy
Lisa Darsono	Perth Energy
Jayesh Halai	Perth Energy

Name	Company Department
Tom Higgins	Perth Energy
Joachim Tan	Rio Tinto
Kwok Wai Lau	Rio Tinto
Amanda Wilson	Rio Tinto
Brenda Chang	Santos
Tessa Liddelow	Shell Energy
Charles Loh	Shell Energy
Lucy Wu	South32
Jasper Sng	South32
Andrew Walker	South32
Neeraj Srivatsava	South32
David Cullam	Strike Energy
Jenny O'Donoghue	Synergy
Alex Cokic	Tronox
Austen Fresson	Warrego Energy
John Gibb	Wood Mackenzie
Susana Jardim	Woodside
Debbie Campise	Woodside
Christopher Gorman	Woodside
Peter Kolf	KPK Specialist Advisory Services Pty Ltd
Christopher Meredith	AEMO
Robert Jackson	AEMO
Toby Price	AEMO

1 Welcome and previous meeting minutes

Martin Maticka (AEMO) opened the meeting at 1:02pm, welcomed attendees to WAGCF No. 22.

Martin noted a change to the agenda, item 4.0 DBP linepack incident update has been moved to the next WAGCF. The minutes from the previous WAGCF (26 May 2023) were endorsed. AEMO to publish the minutes as final on the website (action item 1.1).

2 WA Gas Statement of opportunities (GSOO) Formal Information Request (FIR) and Timeline

Christopher Meredith (AEMO) presented the preliminary analysis of the data received from the 2023 FIR process, noting data reconciliation is still underway, so findings are likely to change, and further analysis and final conclusions will be presented in the 2023 WA GSOO. Christopher also noted there will be a WA Gas Forecasting Reference Group held in September where there will be an opportunity to provide feedback on initial forecasts, followed by a WA Gas Consultative Forum in November providing an opportunity to provide further feedback on draft forecasts before publication in December.

3 Quarterly Energy Dynamics (QED) and Operational Update

Robert Jackson (AEMO) presented the key highlights from Quarter 2 QED that was published on 27 July 2023, noting:

- Q2 record high average gas-fired generation and Q2 record low average coal-fired generation.
- An increase in gas production and gas demand for electricity generation.
- Steps taken to overcome challenging operational conditions.
- Record high weighted average Balancing Price and Q2 record high STEM Price.

4 Other business

No other business was raised.

5 Meeting close

Martin Maticka (AEMO) informed participants that the date for the next WAGCF is scheduled for November 2023. The closed the meeting at 1:27pm.

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- This document is a summary only and is not a complete record of discussion at the forum.
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