# 2024/25 Prices and Schedule of Charges



Notice is hereby given by the Goulburn-Murray Rural Water Corporation (GMW) of the making of a resolution setting and adopting the fees and charges in this Price List and Schedule of Charges (Schedule).

All fees and charges are set for services and works provided by GMW for the period 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025 except as otherwise provided. All prices are exempt from GST.

# Annual Fees and Charges

Valid from 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025 (this is the date from which each individual charge applies unless otherwise specified). You can use our pricing simulators to estimate your 2024/25 annual charges by visiting www.gmwater.com.au/pricingsimulator

## **CUSTOMER**

Fee / Charge	Unit	\$
Customer	\$ / Customer	138.00
Water Register	\$ / Entitlement	14.86

Legend					
HA	Hectares				
kL	Kilolitres				
km	Kilometres				
ML	Megalitres				
	HA kL km				

		IRRIGATION DISTRICT					
WATER DELIVERY		Goulburn Murray		Nyah	Tresco		
Fee / Charge	Unit	Murray Valley, Shepparton, Central Goulburn, Rochester, Loddon Valley, Torrumbarry	Woorinen				
Service Point - D&S	\$ / Each	145.00	145.00	145.00	145.00		
Service Point - Local Operate	\$ / Each	497.00	595.00	497.00	497.00		
Service Point - Remote Operate	\$ / Each	1,129.00	1,129.00	N/A	N/A		
Infrastructure Access <sup>1</sup>	\$ / ML/day	2,827.00	4,727.00	4,296.00	5,248.00		
Infrastructure Use <sup>1</sup>	\$ / ML	5.71	26.88	34.55	20.25		
Casual Infrastructure Use	\$ / ML	48.14	97.79	98.99	98.98		
Distribution Access	\$ / ML/day	2,827.00	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Distribution Use	\$ / ML	5.71	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Delivery Share Reservation	\$ / ML/day	2,827.00	4,727.00	4,296.00	5,248.00		
Termination <sup>2</sup>	\$ / ML/day	28,270.00	47,270.00	42,960.00	52,480.00		

			GOULBURN MURRAY IRRIGATION DISTRICT					
SURFACE DRAINAGE <sup>3</sup>		East		Central		West		
Fee / Charge	Unit	Murray Valley	Shepparton	Central Goulburn	Rochester- Campaspe	Loddon Valley	Torrumbarry	Tyntynder
Area	\$ / HA	13.97	16.77	11.62	10.82	8.65	5.62	19.76
Water Use	\$ / ML	2.41	2.80	2.18	1.95	3.79	1.49	5.45
Drainage Diversion Site	\$ / Each	56.00	56.00	56.00	56.00	56.00	56.00	56.00
Community Surface Drainage	\$ / km	745.00	745.00	745.00	745.00	745.00	745.00	N/A

				Nyah	Tresco						
SUBSURFACE DRAINAGE <sup>4</sup>		Ea	East		Central						
Fee / Charge	Unit	Murray Valley	Shepparton	Central Goulburn	Rochester	Woorinen					
Area	\$ / HA	4.75	N/A	4.60	4.60	3.53	N/A	N/A			
Water Use	\$ / ML	N/A	N/A	1.24	1.24	1.40	8.25	N/A			
Municipal Area	\$ / HA	19.02	N/A	18.40	18.40	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Subsurface Drainage	\$ / ML	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.36			

# DIVERSION

Fee / Charge	Unit	Regulated Waterways⁵	Unregulated Waterways <sup>6</sup>	Groundwater <sup>7</sup>	Shepparton Irrigation Region Groundwater
Service Point - Unmetered	\$ / Each	127.00	127.00	127.00	N/A
Service Point - Metered (excluding D&S)	\$ / Each	497.00	497.00	497.00	N/A
Access	\$ / Each Service Point	203.00	77.00	136.00	65.00
Resource Management	\$ / ML	N/A	3.34	4.58	0.77

# WATER SLIPPLY<sup>8</sup>

WATER SUPPLY <sup>8</sup>		WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT							
Fee / Charge	Unit	East Loddon	Mitiamo	Normanville	Tungamah	East Loddon (North)	West Loddon		
Service Point	\$ / Each	145.00	145.00	145.00	145.00	N/A	N/A		
Water Allowance Storage	\$ / ML	10.97	10.97	10.97	10.97	10.97	10.97		
Infrastructure Access	\$ / kL/day	52.00	190.52	171.43	104.65	N/A	N/A		
Infrastructure Access	\$ / HA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.98	2.93		
Infrastructure Use	\$ / ML	106.21	30.06	165.37	80.32	N/A	N/A		
Distribution Access	\$ / ML/day	N/A	190.52	N/A	N/A	2,827.00	N/A		
Distribution Use	\$ / ML	N/A	30.06	N/A	N/A	5.71	N/A		
Excess	\$ / ML	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00		

LOCH GARRY FLOOD PROTECTION DISTRICT	Unit	\$
Flood Protection	\$ / HA	2.24

# ENTITI EMENT STORAGE

ENTILEMENT STURAGE	BASIN							
Fee / Charge	Unit	Broken	Goulburn	Campaspe	Loddon	Bullarook	Murray	Ovens
Water Share								
High Reliability Water Share Entitlement Storage	\$ / ML	10.97	10.97	10.97	10.97	10.97	12.17	12.17
Low Reliability Water Share Entitlement Storage	\$ / ML	5.01	5.01	5.01	5.01	5.01	4.46	N/A
Spill Reliability Water Share Entitlement Storage	\$ / ML	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4.46
Above Entitlement Storage	\$ / ML	N/A	4.52	18.86	N/A	N/A	4.77	N/A

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BULK WATER	BASIN							
Fee / Charge	Unit	Broken	Goulburn	Campaspe	Loddon	Bullarook	Murray	Ovens
Very High Reliability Entitlement	\$/ML	N/A	8.98	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
High Reliability Entitlement	\$/ML	69.13	8.57	29.97	50.87	532.45	10.28	87.20
Low Reliability Entitlement	\$/ML	N/A	4.43	18.49	N/A	322.61	4.68	N/A
WR Equivalent Entitlement	\$/ML	N/A	10.94	N/A	N/A	N/A	12.04	N/A
Coliban Capacity Share Source	\$/ML	N/A	N/A	37.62	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Above Entitlement Storage	\$/ML	N/A	4.43	18.49	N/A	N/A	4.68	N/A

REGIONAL URBAN STORAGE ANCILLARY FEE	Unit	\$
Regional Urban Storage Ancillary Fee	\$ / ML	10.00

HOUSEBOATS <sup>9</sup>		\$
Category 1	A trailable boat able to be transported without the need for a Vic Roads permit (not upgradeable) - Maximum size 10m x 3.5m	497.00
Category 2	One enclosed level, non trailable (not upgradeable) - Maximum size 10.6m x 4.5m	916.00
Category 3	Two or more enclosed levels (upgradeable) - Maximum size 10.6m x 4.5m Houseboat with one enclosed level (upgradeable) - Maximum size 13.7m x 5.5m	1,574.00
Category 4	Two or more enclosed levels (upgradeable) - Maximum size 13.7m x 5.5m One enclosed level (upgradeable) - Maximum size 15.2m x 6.25m	2,162.00
Category 5	Two or more enclosed levels (upgradeable) - Maximum size 15.2m x 6.25m One enclosed level (upgradeable) - Maximum size 18.3m x 7.25m	2,624.00
Category 6	Two enclosed levels (not upgradeable) - Maximum size 18.3m x 7.25m	3,142.00
Category 7	Special - commercial vessel - Maximum size 20m x 8m	3,667.00

# MISCELLANEOUS FEES AND CHARGES

GROUNDWATER	Form	\$
Works Licence		
Construct Works Licence - Non Licensable Bore - Issue New / Alter Existing / Amend Existing / Replace Existing	72	280.00
Construct Works Licence - Non Licensable Bore - Renew Existing / Transfer Ownership	72	280.00
Construct Works Licence - Non Licensable Bore - Additional Bore	72	155.00
Construct Works Licence - Licensable Bore - Issue New / Alter Existing / Amend Existing	70	2,245.00
Construct Works Licence - Licensable Bore - Renew Existing / Transfer Ownership	70	255.00
Construct Works Licence - Licensable Bore - Replace Existing	70	1,295.00
Construct Works Licence - Licensable Bore - Additional Bore	70	155.00
Construct Works Licence - Decommission Works	76	335.00
Online - Construct a Domestic and Stock Bore	N/A	241.40
Online - Amend and Renew a Domestic and Stock Bore	N/A	82.20
Online - Construct an Investigation or Monitoring Bore	N/A	241.40
Online - Amend and Renew an Investigation or Monitoring Bore	N/A	82.20
Take and Use License		
Licensable Bore - Issue New	91	2,245.00
Licensable Bore - Temporary Transfer Water Entitlement Tier 1	75GW	255.00
Licensable Bore - Temporary Transfer Water Entitlement Tier 2	75GW	1,955.00
Licensable Bore - Temporary Transfer Water Entitlement Tier 2B	75GW	565.00
Permanent Transfer Water Entitlement	74GW	2,245.00
Licensable Bore - Transfer Ownership / Transfer Extraction Share	93	255.00
Licensable Bore - Renew Existing	73GW	795.00
		255.00
Licensable Bore - Decrease Volume / Remove Land	91	233.00
Licensable Bore - Decrease Volume / Remove Land Licensable Bore - Subdivide a Licence	91 78	1,595.00
Licensable Bore - Subdivide a Licence	78	1,595.00
Licensable Bore - Subdivide a Licence Licensable Bore - Amalgamate Licences Licensable Bore - Amend Existing	78 77 91	1,595.00 1,595.00 1,060.00
Licensable Bore - Subdivide a Licence Licensable Bore - Amalgamate Licences Licensable Bore - Amend Existing PRIVATE DAMS	78 77	1,595.00 1,595.00
Licensable Bore - Subdivide a Licence Licensable Bore - Amalgamate Licences Licensable Bore - Amend Existing	78 77 91	1,595.00 1,595.00 1,060.00
Licensable Bore - Subdivide a Licence Licensable Bore - Amalgamate Licences Licensable Bore - Amend Existing PRIVATE DAMS Construct Works Licence - Licensable Dam - Alter	78 77 91 Form	1,595.00 1,595.00 1,060.00 \$

Operate Works Licence - Licensable Dam Transfer Ownership

PLACE OF TAKE	Form	\$
Trade of Extraction Share	16	221.60
Vary of Extraction Share	14	221.60

REGULATED RIVERS AND STREAMS	Form	\$
Works Licence		
Construct Works Licence - Issue New	29	890.00
Construct Works Licence - Renew Existing	31	280.00
Operate Works Licence - Issue New	29	890.00
Operate Works Licence - Amend Existing / Renew Existing	31	855.00
Operate Works Licence - Transfer Ownership	31	185.00
Water Use Licence or Registration		
Issue New - with Field Inspection	23	860.00
Issue New - without Field Inspection	23	150.00
Vary Existing	24	150.00
Subdivide or Amalgamate - with Field Inspection	25A	860.00 / lot
Subdivide or Amalgamate - without Field Inspection	25A	150.00 / lot

UNREGULATED RIVERS AND STREAMS	Form	\$
Works Licence		
Construct Works Licence - Transfer Ownership / Renew Existing	90	255.00
Construct Works Licence - Alter Existing / Amend Existing / Issue New	90	1,295.00
Construct Works Licence - Decommission Works	79	185.00
Take and Use Licence		
Issue New	71	2,120.00
Temporary Transfer Water Entitlement Tier 1	75SW	255.00
Temporary Transfer Water Entitlement Tier 2	75SW	1,865.00
Temporary Transfer Water Entitlement Tier 2B	75SW	565.00
Permanent Transfer Water Entitlement	74SW	2,120.00
Transfer Ownership / Transfer Extraction Share	93	255.00
Renew Existing	73SW	795.00
Amalgamate Licences	77	1,595.00
Subdivide a Licence	78	1,595.00
Amend Existing	71	1,060.00
Decrease volume / Remove land	71	255.00
Private Right Determination	95	795.00
Waterway Determination	96	930.00
Waterway Determination Additional Assessment	96	565.00

CAPITAL CHARGE FOR NEW GROUNDWATER ENTITLEMENT (per meg	alitre of licence volume)		
MDBA Groundwater Sustainable Diversion Limit Zone*	Depth of Bore (m)	Electro-conductivity (µS/cm)	Cost per ML of Licence Volume (\$)
Goulburn Murray Highlands	N/A	N/A	190.00
Goulburn Murray Sedimentary Plain	<=25	N/A	N/A
Goulburn Murray Sedimentary Plain	>25	<4,800	1,450.00
Goulburn Murray Sedimentary Plain	>25	>4,800	190.00

185.00

\*Boundaries of the Groundwater Management Zones are shown on the Goulburn-Murray Water website at www.gmwater.com.au/capital-charges

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WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT	Form	\$
Amalgamate Properties	171	410.00
Issue New	172	1,220.00
Subdivide a Property	170	410.00 / lot

INFORMATION STATEMENTS & SPECIAL METER READINGS	\$
Copy of Record	32.00
Information Statement	115.00
Information Statement Express service	180.00
Special Meter Reading	115.00

IRRIGATION DISTRICTS	Form	\$
Amend District Boundary	150	670.00
Delivery Share		
Transfer	36	255.00
Vary Existing	35	255.00
Issue New	34	255.00
Reservation	34	255.00
Capacity Assessment	N/A	255.00
Private Works		
Issue New	130	1,345.00
Security Deposit	130	25% of job (min 1,000.00)
Supervision fee	130	5% of job (min 275.00)
Transfer Ownership	131	185.00
Renew Existing	131	535.00
Installation of a New Service Point	135	670.00
Supply Agreement		
Drainage Diversion - Issue New - without Field Inspection	143	240.00
Drainage Diversion - Issue New - with Field Inspection	143	535.00
Amend Existing / Issue New	141	565.00
Mobile Collection - Issue New	142	205.00
Water Use Licence or Registration		
Issue New - with Field Inspection	23	860.00
Issue New - without Field Inspection	23	150.00
Vary Existing	24	150.00
Subdivide or Amalgamate - with Field Inspection	25A	860.00 / lot
Subdivide or Amalgamate - without Field Inspection	25A	150.00 / lot

WATER SHARE AND ALLOCATION APPLICATIONS <sup>10</sup>	Form	\$
Transfer a Water Share	1	221.60
Divide a Water Share	5	186.70
Consolidate Water Shares	6	186.70
Issue of a Water Share	7	221.60
Cancel a Water Share	8	221.60
Vary and / or Associate, or Revoke the Association of a Water Share	9	98.60
Limited Term transfer	10	221.60
Trade Water Allocation	39	98.60
Trade Water Allocation (submitted via My Water)	39	52.40

HOUSEBOAT APPLICATION, INSPECTION AND TRANSFER FEES	\$
Application fee for initial houseboat licence	323.80
Inspection fee for both single and multi-deck houseboats at Eildon	525.00
Inspection fee for both single and multi-deck houseboats at other locations	739.90
Fee for transfer of houseboat licence to another person under regulation 12	323.80
Application fee for restricted term licence	158.60

RECREATION AND LAND MANAGEMENT MISCELLANEOUS FEE	\$
Occupation Licence (Foreshore, Grazing, Access, Other) Storage Perimeter or GMID	
Application for a New Occupation Licence	345.00
Application to Renew Licence, Transfer or Vary	405.00
Occupation Licence (Commercial Business Operator)	
Application for a New Licence (Seasonal Tour Operator)	765.00
Application to Renew, Transfer or Vary Licence (Seasonal Tour Operator) includes site inspection	490.00
Application for a New Licence (Commercial Hire & Drive Houseboat Licence)	765.00
Application to Renew Licence, Transfer or Vary (Commercial Hire & Drive Houseboat Licence) includes site inspection	490.00
Works on Storage Perimeter Land Permit	
Application to Undertake Works or Maintenance on GMW Land - Minor Works (ie. tree lopping, vegetation clearance, jetty / decking board replacement)	N/A
Application to Undertake Works or Maintenance on GMW Land - Major Works	205.00
Request for Land Dealing / Enquiries	
Application for a Letter of Consent, Title verification, Withdrawal of Caveats, removal of easements etc.	175.00
Deed of Agreement - Land Development eg. S173 Agreement	575.00
Additional Charges	
Site assessment and supervision fee for construction of approved works	5% job (\$330.00 min)
Works Refundable Security Deposit	25% job (\$1,000.00 min)
Title Search (per search)	32.00
Company Search (per search)	32.00
Copy of Record	32.00

EVENT FEES	\$
Application Processing Fee	345.00
Event Fee Per Day	175.00

TECHNICAL ADVICE FOR HIGH RISK OR COMPLEX APPLICATIONS	\$
Technical Advice for High Risk or Complex Applications	155.00 / hr

## FIXED ANNUAL FEES AND CHARGES

#### When are fees payable?

Fixed Annual Fees and Charges are due by the following dates:

SERVICE TYPE	DUE DATE
Customer, Water Delivery, Surface Drainage, Subsurface Drainage, Diversion, Water Supply, Flood Protection, Entitlement Storage	16 December 2024 <sup>a,b</sup>
Bulk Water, Regional Urban Storage Ancillary Fee	16 December 2024
Houseboats	30 June 2024°

#### a. Payment Options

Pay in full by 16 December 2024. We are also offering instalment options for 2024/25 Fixed Charges Accounts. Pay 8 equal instalments of 12.5% on the 16th of each month, starting on 16 September 2024 with the final payment due on 16 April 2025.

#### b. Concessions

There is a Victorian Government concession available upon application, to eligible persons for the services defined in the Concession (Water Corporation) Order 2013 (as amended from time to time). The Water Concession is 50% on the Fixed Charges Accounts, with a maximum cap for 2024/25 set at \$181.50.

c. Annual Licence Fees must be paid by 30 June 2024.

### **VARIABLE FEES**

Variable fees and charges are payable within 30 days of the invoice date.

SERVICE TYPE	INVOICE DATE
Water Delivery, Surface Drainage, Subsurface Drainage, Water Supply	16 July 2025
Entitlement Storage, Bulk Water	16 July 2025ª

a. Applies only to Above Entitlement Storage.

### MISCELLANEOUS FEES AND CHARGES

Miscellaneous fees and charges are payable on application.

### INTEREST

Interest shall be payable in respect to all amounts payable under a fee or charge if the amount is not paid by the due date. The interest rate applicable to amounts not paid by the due date calculated in accordance with the Water Act 1989 (Vic) is 6.2% for the 2024/25 Financial Year. Prior to applying interest we will inform the customer when interest is to be applied to the outstanding amounts. Interest will not be payable on overdue account balances by customers who enter into and comply with a payment arrangement. This applies for balances from a prior period where a payment arrangement is still in force. Payments are applied on the following basis: Legal costs owing (if any); Interest owing (if any); Arrears owing (if any); Current rates and charges (divided evenly across all charges), unless otherwise requested by the owner.

#### HOW OUR FEES AND CHARGES ARE DETERMINED

GMW determines fees and charges for the forthcoming financial year following consultation with customers. Customers may participate or provide feedback on GMW's process for setting its fees and charges by calling us on 1800 013 357 or emailing us at *reception@gmwater.com.au* 

Our regulated and prescribed annual and miscellaneous fees and charges are approved by the Essential Services Commission.

Planning and management charges are charges determined by or on behalf of an agency of the Commonwealth or an agency of a State, excluding charges determined by a local government body. The Minister for Water delegated certain functions and responsibilities under the Water Act 1989 (Vic) to GMW in the Instrument of Delegation dated 13 December 2019. This includes determining fees for the issuing, varying or cancelling of water use or works licences. Additionally, Water Share and Allocation Application fees and charges and fees and charges related to the Victorian Water Register, excluding the Water Register Fee, are prescribed under Victorian regulations<sup>11</sup>.

Tariffs for Customer, Water Delivery, Surface Drainage, Subsurface Drainage, Water Supply, Flood Protection and Water Supply Protection service types are calculated in accordance with the 2024/25 Tariff Procedure, which is available at *www.gmwater.com.au/customer-services/pricing* and GMW's office located at 40 Casey Street, Tatura 3616. This document includes the Corporation's "List of Types of Fees and Charges" which sets out the works and services for which each of the Corporation's fees and charges are imposed, and is attached as Appendix A to this Procedure.

### FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information in relation to your fees and charges, please also see our Customer Charter at *www.gmwater.com.au/customer-charter* 

#### **ENQUIRIES**

If you have any questions or wish to dispute your bill, please phone 1800 013 357 or for other options, please visit our website at *www.gmwater.com.au/feedback* or email *ComplaintsMgtSys@gmwater.com.au* 

# UNDERSTANDING YOUR FEES AND CHARGES

**Above Entitlement Storage Fee** is payable by customers who hold more water in storage than their entitlement volume.

Access Fee is a fee for the service of ensuring water is accessed according to the Corporation's rules and plans. This includes water ordering, rosters and restrictions, interference management and compliance with other requirements of rules and plans. The fee is payable by customers with surface water and/or groundwater licences.

**Area Fee** is a fee for the service of operating, maintaining and renewing the drainage network (including subsurface drainage services) that services your irrigation district. This fee is payable by customers in the irrigation districts.

Bulk Water Entitlement Fees are payable for the storage and the delivery of water to Irrigation Infrastructure Operators, operators of reticulated water systems, and customers who divert bulk water directly from a watercourse for use and is made available through a service that is provided for the storage or delivery of water that is primarily stored or delivered on river relating to the Murray-Darling Basin. These fees are payable only by customers with bulk entitlements or environmental entitlements.

**Capital Charge for New Groundwater Entitlement** relates to the sale of a groundwater entitlement. This is a one-off charge per megalitre where space is available under management area groundwater caps. See www.gmwater.com.au/capital-charges for more information on the Capital Charge for New Groundwater Entitlement.

**Casual Infrastructure Use Fee** is a fee for each ML of water you have delivered during the season in excess of your Annual Delivery Allowance.

**Community Surface Drainage Fee** is a fee for administering the community surface drainage scheme in your Irrigation area. This fee is payable by the owner of a property within an Irrigation district or Irrigation area, who is a participant in a community surface drainage scheme.

**Customer Fee** is a fee for maintaining your land and water records, billing, debt management and central customer service. This fee is payable by all of our customers.

**Delivery Share Reservation Fee** is a fee applied to landowners in irrigation districts who choose to reserve access to delivery systems for a limited period while they are developing or expanding agricultural enterprises.

**Distribution Access Fee** is equivalent to the Infrastructure Access Fee but is payable by an urban water corporation whose bulk water is delivered by irrigation and/or water supply districts.

**Distribution Use Fee** is equivalent to the Infrastructure Use Fee but is payable by an urban water corporation whose bulk water is delivered by irrigation and/or water supply districts.

**Drainage Diversion Site Fee** is a fee for managing, maintaining and renewing drain diversion service points in your irrigation district. This fee is payable by customers in the irrigation districts.

**Entitlement Storage Fee** is a fee for operating and maintaining water storages that service your regulated river system. The costs are charged per ML of the type of entitlement you hold. This fee is payable by customers with water shares for regulated rivers.

**Event Fees** are charges for private, community or commercial events on or near GMW's waterways and are charged per day. See www.gmwater.com.au/recreation-tourism/event-permits for more information on Event Fees.

**Excess Fee** is a fee for the number of megalitres supplied that exceeds the Seasonal Water Allowance.

**Flood Protection Fee** relates to the Loch Garry structure mitigating flooding for a defined area. This fee applies for each hectare in the Loch Garry area for the costs of operating and maintaining the structure. This fee is payable by all customers in the Loch Garry district.

**Groundwater Application Fees** are payable in relation to applications for licences to undertake works relating to groundwater or to take and use groundwater.

Houseboats Fees relate to applications for a licence and holding a houseboat licence at Lake Eildon. See www.gmwater.com.au/ recreation-tourism/houseboats for more information on Houseboats fees.

**Information Statements and Special Meter Reading Fees** are payable in relation to applications for information on the Water Register.

**Infrastructure Access Fee** is calculated on the amount of MLs per day of delivery share you hold and it is a fee for operating, maintaining and renewing the delivery network in your irrigation area. The delivery network can include channels, pipes, bridges, road crossings, siphons and subways. This fee is payable by irrigation and Domestic & Stock customers with delivery shares.

**Infrastructure Use Fee** is a fee for operating, maintaining and renewing the delivery network in your irrigation area. The fee applies per ML of water used during the season on your property. This fee is payable by irrigation and Domestic & Stock customers with delivery shares.

**Irrigation Districts Application Fees** are miscellaneous fees and charges applicable to the Murray Valley, Shepparton, Central Goulburn, Rochester, Loddon Valley and Torrumbarry irrigation districts.

**Municipal Area Fee** is a fee for the costs of operating, maintaining and renewing the drainage network that services the municipal area from local government entities.

**Place of Take** approval authorises an allocation account holder to take water from the identified approved place (at the service point), subject to any terms and conditions on the general place of take approval. For river diverters, the general place of take approval includes the holder's extraction share (notional rationing rate).

**Private Dam Fees** are fees and charges related to applications for the registration of privately-owned farm dams or licences to take water from privately-owned farm dams.

Recreation and Land Management Miscellaneous Fees are

miscellaneous fees and charges relating to applications for licences, works permits, land developments and other additional fees.

**Regulated Rivers and Streams Application Fees** are miscellaneous fees and charges related to the Murray-Darling Basin Authority or GMW's weirs, storages or dams on the river system to control the flow of water. **Resource Management Fee** is a fee for developing, managing and reviewing resource management plans for unregulated surface water and groundwater. This fee is payable by customers with unregulated surface water and groundwater licences.

**Regional Urban Storage Ancillary Fee** is a fee for managing the recreational component of storages which are not recovered by leasing and licensing fees. This fee is payable by Urban Water Corporations who hold bulk water entitlements.

**Subsurface Drainage Fee** is a fee for providing subsurface drainage services in your irrigation district. This fee is payable by customers in the irrigation districts.

#### Service Point Fee – Diversions

Applicable to Surface Water and Groundwater Diverters (except Shepparton Irrigation Region Groundwater Diverters). The fee is for operating and maintaining service points, including measuring use and maintaining compliant meters:

- Service Point Fee Unmetered is a fee applicable to service points that do not have a meter installed, or are used only for domestic and stock purposes.
- Service Point Fee Metered (excluding domestic and stock) is a fee applicable to service points where a meter is installed and is used for purposes other than domestic and stock.

These fees are payable by customers with surface water licences and/ or groundwater licences.

Service Point Fee – Water Supply is a fee for operating and maintaining service points which connect your property to our assets in your water supply district.

Service Point Fee – Water Delivery is a fee for operating and maintaining service points (meters and outlets) which connect your property to our assets in your irrigation district. This fee applies for each of the following service points:

- Domestic and Stock (D&S) is a fee for operating and maintaining domestic and stock service points.
- Local Operate means a service point that is operated manually on site by customers and the meter readings are collected by GMW either remotely or by site visit.
- Remote Operate is a fee for a service point with electronic features that is automatically operated and the meter reading is automatically recorded.

These fees are payable by irrigation and D&S customers.

**Technical Advice for High Risk or Complex Applications Fee** is charged for advice provided by GMW regarding high risk or complex licence applications. For example, this fee may be charged in relation to obtaining additional information such as a report of Hydrological and/or Ecological assessments for unregulated surface water applications.

**Termination Fee** is a fee charged to a customer who holds a delivery share upon termination of all or part of that share.

**Unregulated Rivers and Streams Application Fees** are miscellaneous fees and charges when the flow in the river or stream is not controlled by Murray-Darling Basin Authority or GMW's weirs, storages or dams.

Water Allowance Storage Fee is a fee for operating and maintaining the water storages that store water for water supply districts. This fee is payable by water supply customers.

Water Share and Allocation Applications relate to applications to transfer, divide, consolidate, issue, cancel, vary etc. water share and/or water allocations.

Water Supply District Application Fees are miscellaneous fees and charges applicable to the Tungamah, East Loddon, East Loddon North, West Loddon, Normanville and Mitiamo districts.

Water Register Fee is a fee for storing your records on the Victorian Water Register (Register) and is levied based on the number of your water entitlements. Examples of water entitlements are bulk entitlement, water share, section 51 licence, supply by agreement and water district water allowance. This fee is payable by all customers with water entitlements stored on the Register.

Water Use Fee is a fee for operating, maintaining and renewing the drainage network (including subsurface drainage services) in your irrigation district.

#### **Our customers**

We provide services and works to:

- Irrigation customers
- D&S customers
- Environmental watering customers
- Urban water supply customers
- Water investment customers
- Flood protection customers
- $\cdot$  Recreation customers
- Commercial leasing customers
- Farm dam registrations and Private Rights customers
- Contract services customers
- Power generation customers
- Water District customers
- Drainage customers
- Groundwater customers

#### Water resource

Our annual and miscellaneous fees and charges relate to Murray-Darling Basin water resources.

#### NOTES

- Infrastructure fees for water delivery in the Goulburn-Murray Irrigation District (excluding Woorinen) are set for the period 15 August 2024 to 15 May 2025.
- 2. These fees are indicative: The figures shown will generally apply to terminations requested to apply within 6 months of a customer submitting a written information request. For terminations requested to apply more than 6 months after the written information request is submitted, the termination fee will be the fee that is applicable at the date of termination and calculated in accordance with Part 10 of the Water Charge Rules 2010 (Cth) as at the termination. This termination fee will form part of the Termination Information Statement given to the customer.
- Prices applied only relate to the 'Area Fee' and 'Water Use' Fee. There are 8 Drainage Divisions. The Fees listed are for the 1st Division. Adjustments are made for other Divisions as applicable. Please refer to the 'Tariff Procedures' on our website: www.gmwater.com.au/pricing
- Prices applied are for Service Level A / Drainage Division 1. Adjustments are made for various Service Levels / Divisions in the applicable Areas. Please refer to the 'Tariff Procedures' on our website: www.gmwater.com.au/pricing
- Regulated Waterways are a natural system of streams, creeks and rivers that are controlled or 'regulated' water storages, enabling water to be released when it is required. These fees are payable by customers with regulated surface water licences.
- 6. These fees apply to water in unregulated waterways and other unregulated surface water. These fees are payable by customers with unregulated surface water licenses.
- 7. These fees are applicable to groundwater diverters and payable by customers with groundwater licences.
- East Loddon North and West Loddon prices applied for Infrastructure Access and Water Allowance Storage are as per Division 1. There are 4 Divisions and adjustments are made for the other Divisions as applicable. Please refer to the 'Tariff Procedures' on our website: www.gmwater.com.au/pricing
- These fees are prescribed under the Water (Lake Eildon Recreational Area) (Houseboats) Regulations 2024 (Vic).
- The Water Share and Allocation Application fees recover the application fees prescribed by the Water (Resource Management) Regulations 2017 (Vic). These fees are collected by GMW but payable to the Department.
- 11. Water (Resource Management) Regulations 2017 (Vic).