

Monday 15 February 2016

No Rainfall For Region's Water Storages

No rainfall was recorded at South Gippsland Water's storages from **6th of February 2016 to 12th of February 2016**. Lance Creek 0mm, Ruby Creek 0mm, Coalition Creek 0mm, Deep Creek 0 mm, Little Bass 0mm and Battery Creek 0mm.

Philippe du Plessis, Managing Director, South Gippsland Water said, "During this time of dry climate conditions, no rainfall over the past week and continuing demand on water storages has resulted in a 1-3% drop in storage levels compared with the previous week's figures."

"We are monitoring all storages closely, in particular the smaller systems with Stage One Water Restrictions imminent for the Little Bass water supply system that services Poowong, Loch and Nyora. The Battery Creek system, servicing Fish Creek, is likely to move to Stage Two Water Restrictions in the coming weeks. We urge all customers to continue to use household water wisely in these dry times."

Information regarding Permanent Water Saving Rules, which apply across the region, and Stage 1 "ALERT" Water Restrictions, which are currently in force for Korumburra and Fish Creek, can be found at www.sgwater.com.au or contact South Gippsland Water on 1300 851 636 with questions or concerns regarding smarter water usage.

Reservoir	Major towns supplied	Capacity level %	Comments
Lance Creek	Wonthaggi, Inverloch and Cape Paterson	70	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Ruby Creek	Leongatha & surrounds	56	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Coalition Creek	Korumburra and surrounds	60	Stage 1 Restrictions
Foster Dam – Deep Creek	Foster area	82	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Little Bass	Poowong, Nyora & Loch	57	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Battery Creek	Fish Creek	58	Stage 1 Restrictions

River Systems	Major Town Supplied	Current Status
Tarwin	Meeniyana, Dumbalk	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Agnes	Welshpool, Port Welshpool, Toora, Port Franklin	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Tarra	Yarram, Alberton, Port Albert	Permanent Water Saving Measures