## **Media Release**

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2016



## Storage and Rainfall Update

Rainfall was recorded at South Gippsland Water's storages from **20<sup>th</sup> August 2016 – 26<sup>th</sup> August 2016**. Lance Creek 22mm, Ruby Creek 38mm, Coalition Creek 27mm, Deep Creek 44mm, Little Bass 43mm and Battery Creek 33mm.

Total rainfall for the month of August is recorded as: Lance Creek 48mm, Ruby Creek 59mm, Coalition Creek 68mm, Deep Creek 71mm, Little Bass 72mm and Battery Creek 52mm.

Even with water storages replenished by winter rainfall, South Gippsland Water encourages customers to always use water wisely. Permanent Water Saving Rules continue to be in place across all Victorian systems and townships.

Information comparing water storage levels can be found in the Services section of South Gippsland Water's website www.sgwater.com.au.

Reservoir	Major towns supplied	Capacity level %	Current Status
Lance Creek	Wonthaggi, Inverloch and Cape Paterson	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Ruby Creek	Leongatha and surrounds	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Coalition Creek	Korumburra and surrounds	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Foster Dam – Deep Creek	Foster area	96	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Little Bass	Poowong, Nyora and Loch	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Battery Creek	Fish Creek	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures

River Systems	Major Town Supplied	Current Status
Tarwin	Meeniyan, 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