



# Notice

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## Economic Regulation Authority Consumer Consultative Committee

The Economic Regulation Authority Consumer Consultative Committee (**ERACCC**) held its fourth and final meeting of the year on 5 December 2016. The following presentations were made to members:

- **Inquiry into the efficient costs and tariffs of the Water Corporation, Aqwest and Busselton Water** - Leonie Browner, ERA, explained the purpose and process for the ERA's fourth major review of water prices. Ms Browner advised that the ERA would soon be releasing an issues paper and calling for public submissions.
- **2015 review of the Synergy regulatory scheme** – Natalie Robins, ERA, provided a presentation on the 2015 review of the effectiveness of the regulatory scheme for Synergy. Ms Robins explained the recommendations that were made as a result of the review.
- **Battery storage devices** – Aden Barker, Public Utilities Office, provided a presentation on battery storage. Mr Barker explained the capabilities of the current technology and provided results of modelling for the estimated payback periods.
- **Review of the Water Code** – Caroline Coutts-Kleijer, ERA, provided a brief update on the progress of the Water Code review.

The ERACCC provides comment to the ERA on issues affecting Western Australian consumers and, in turn, acts as an information distribution channel for the ERA. ERACCC members represent the interests of a wide range of consumers.

More information about the ERACCC is available on the ERA [website](#).

The ERACCC will next meet in March 2017.

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