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Your submission for this review:

I agree with draft decision on water pricing, and believe that with a careful watch on costs that this should be sufficient. The cost of delivering water can be made very expensive if other costs are put onto delivering water ie Dam related set cost such as cranes and Work, Health and Safety. I believe these costs benefit the whole community and should be shared. As a result of changes to volumes in water sales, the difference in volumes should not be loaded on the users. Yanco Creek Levy as been at 90 cents for a period whilst cost of delivery service has increased. So I feel an increase is justified. Services provided include : -maintaining and improving a system to deliver water -reducing stream impediments -fish surveys -looking after the ecosystems -aboriginal cultural needs -local schools involvement in projects Other matters to consider: -foreign ownership of water licenses