

Agenda

The forum is a ‘hybrid-training workshop’ that will **inform, educate** and **enable** those who wish to apply the Water Balance Model to support a Design with Nature approach to land development which results in Green Value.

Three groups are represented at the forum: land owners/developers; planning/engineering consultants; and local government reviewers.

Three case study applications of the Water Balance Model will build a common understanding of how to achieve **runoff-based performance targets** for rainwater management and green infrastructure.

Before Lunch 1000 - 1215	Establishing Expectations: Create liveable communities & protect stream health
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PART ONE: <i>Living Water Smart: Today's expectations are tomorrow's standards</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Context and Overview (Kate Miller, Jay Bradley & Kim Stephens) b. How Water Moves Through Soil & Trees Intercept Rainfall (Richard Boase) c. Stormwater Guidebook, Performance Targets and the Water Balance Model (Kim Stephens & Richard Boase) 2. PART TWO: <i>Use the Water Balance Model to inform land development strategies</i> (Jim Dumont) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Define the Problem First b. Place the Emphasis on What is Important c. Generate Reliable Numbers Quickly d. Application of the Water Balance Model at Three Scales: Introduction to Case Studies
	Take a break, re-energize and start a conversation!
After Lunch 1300 - 1500	Meeting Expectations: How do you know when you have been successful?
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PART THREE: <i>Case Study Reports: What we learned, and how we anticipate using the Water Balance Model in future</i> (Michelle Mahovlich/Oleh Dubek; Shaun McIntyre; Dave Conway) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Each case study team will make a 20-minute presentation in order to share their experience in applying the WBM, the outputs they generated, and how the process has influenced their thinking. – This reporting out will set the scene for the roundtable segment. 2. PART FOUR: <i>Town Hall Sharing: Creating our future – taking actions on-the-ground that add up</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – The purpose of the town hall segment is to provide a roundtable opportunity for Forum participants to reflect on what they have heard, and to talk about what they have done or what they want to do.