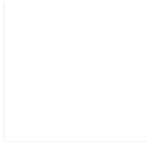


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Your details

Title Mr

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Submission details

I am making this submission as A resident in a flood-affected area

Submission type I am making a personal submission

Consent to make submission public I give my consent for this submission to be made public

Share your experience or tell your story

Your story I truly believe having a CSIRO engineered designed solution to benefit the Richmond & Wilson Rivers catchment area is the fairest and most permanent option. a flood channel starting above Lismore from the Wilson River passing through North Lismore near the showground (Cement) crossing through Leycester Creek. Digging a grass lined wide channel which

Intersects the Richmond River above Coraki thence taking the most direct route to the sea. This would be a CSIRO engineered designed solution. Every property would then be safe!!
Dredge silt from existing rivers.
Make Macadamia farmers place matting under trees to stop soil run off.
Plant appropriate vegetation to aid in land water absorption

Terms of Reference (optional)

The Inquiry welcomes submissions that address the particular matters identified in its [Terms of Reference](#)

1.1 Causes and contributing factors	land purchased in Lismore, country properties would still belong to the current owners who could use the very wide channel as it is used now.
1.2 Preparation and planning	computer modelling using all gathered water levels & volumes
1.3 Response to floods	this will stop disaster size floods
1.4 Transition from incident response to recovery	This could take 10-20 years, but so what!
1.6 Any other matters	This means life & property will be saved

Supporting documents or images
