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**From:** Allan Gibson [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 11 March 2014 2:46 PM  
**To:** State Water Submissions  
**Subject:** Fee Structure for Peel Valley Water Users.

I wish to register my complete disgust at the absolutely frightening thought of the cost of Water that will be thrust upon this great city of Tamworth, it's Citizens & it's Farming community. We are already struggling to meet the cost of Water now so how on earth can the ACCC see any justification in charging the hard working citizens of this Valley 22 times more for Water than the Murray & even 2.5 times the cost of Water that our neighbours in the Namoi Valley pay. It is totally unjust, unfair & unsustainable & it will have a massive impact on Industry, Farmers & the general population as a whole. The NSW Government talks about decentralization & getting people, Industry & new Business to move to cities like Tamworth & if this decision comes to fruition it will have the opposite affect & drive people out. For the ACCC to be considering this fee structure increase on top of what are already disproportionate Water Rates we pay now compared to other areas of the State flies in the face of what to my mind the ACCC should be about & that is making sure issues such as this are fair & equitable & the proposed fee hike for our Water is frightening to say the least & there will be nothing about it that will be fair or equitable!!! We didn't build Chaffey Dam so please don't crucify today's citizens for the mistakes of the past. Please repeal these hikes in fees to our fair city & maybe spread the burden of cost around to other areas as well. You have the power so please listen to the people.

Yours in anticipation . Rhonda & Allan Gibson.

Sent from my iPad