STEWARDSHIP INCENTIVES FOR THE PASTORAL ZONE

Lunchtime Forum and Roundtable

Monday 28 May, 2018
12 for 12:30pm – 5.00pm

Auditorium, 111 George Street, Brisbane

Keynote presentation by Dr Geoff Edwards
President, Royal Society of Queensland

Refreshments from 12noon, Keynote and Q&A from 12.30–1.30pm, followed by eminent panellists leading into a roundtable discussion with attendees in a brainstorm format.

> Panellists Ms Megan Surawski (Department of Environment and Science)
> Dr Greg Leach (AgForce)
> Dr April Reside (Centre for Biodiversity and Conservation Science)
> Mr Stephen Robertson (Chair NRM Regions Queensland).

This is the fourth forum in a series hosted by the Society aiming to bridge science and policy, under the badging of the Queensland Policy Network. It is sponsored by NRM Regions, the peak body for Queensland's Regional Natural Resource Management Bodies.

- What is the duty of care for pastoralists in Queensland's rangelands and who defines it?
- To reduce the flow of sediment to the Great Barrier Reef, is tougher regulation – the stick approach – required, or would an incentive payment – the carrot approach – be more effective?
- In any case, what justification is there for taxpayers to fund remedial works on private land?
- Could trade in carbon credits pay for a general incentive payment?
- Who should deliver the Queensland Government's announced Land Restoration Fund?
- Why is the Landcare movement languishing?
- What can be done about regional youth unemployment now reportedly greater than 60%?

Come along to debate these issues with others who are knowledgeable in these fields.

The event is open to the public and free of charge. Attendees are required to register for catering and venue management purposes. The session will operate under Chatham House rules (no discussion publicly attributed without consent).

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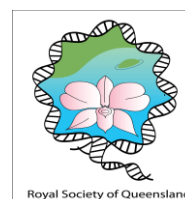https://www.eventbrite.com/e/stewardship-incentives-for-the-pastoral-zone-tickets-44954820077

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