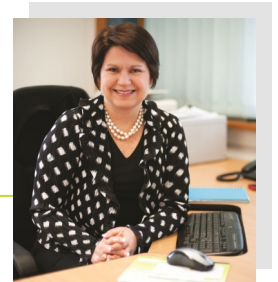




Developing the long term sustainability of our region

Newsflash from the CEO



From Northern Australia to Global Emerging Markets

Export and Investment Breakfast

4th December, 2015

Don't miss out! Get your tickets today!

RDA, in partnership with regional stakeholders who promote the growth of exports, is delighted to welcome Mr Grame Barty, General Manager, Growth and Emerging Markets and Ms Sally Phillips, State Manager— Queensland from Austrade, the Australian Trade Commission, to Townsville as special guest speakers at a business breakfast to promote emerging export and investment opportunities.

- Date:** Thursday, 4th December, 2014
- Time:** 7:00am for 7:15am to 8:30am
- Place:** North Queensland Club, 146 Denham Street, Townsville (near the corner of Walker St)
- Price:** \$50 per person
- RSVP:** <http://townsvilletickets.com.au/event?id=865> by COB Tuesday 2 December

Glenys Schuntner
Chief Executive Officer

RDA Committee

Mr Paul Woodhouse
Chairman



Paul joined RDA in 2012. Retiring from local government after serving 12 years as Mayor and Councillor of McKinlay Shire Council to follow other interests, Paul is a primary producer in north west Queensland.

Ms Lyn McLaughlin
Deputy Chair



Lyn joined RDA in 2009. She is a former Mayor and Councillor of Burdekin Shire Council and represents the region on several committees. Lyn is a primary school teacher.

Mr Jeff Jimmieson
Treasurer



Jeff Jimmieson is the Manager of Performing Arts, Events and Protocol for Townsville City. He has had an extensive career in event management, public relations and the performing arts, both in local government and private enterprise. His community service includes board memberships of PCVC and Rotary.

Mr David Kippin
Secretary



David brings 34 years of experience in Banking, Finance and International Trade, including 3 years in senior management and executive positions in Melbourne. He was CEO of a leading second tier accounting and financial services company in Queensland and runs his own consulting company.

Cr Rick Britton



Rick was elected to Boulia Shire Council in 2007 and has served as Mayor since 2008. Rick and his wife Ann own and operate the cattle station Goodwood Pastoral Company.

Prof. Sabina Knight



Sabina is the Director of the Mount Isa Centre for Rural and Remote Health and is an internationally recognised rural health leader with an extensive career in remote and rural primary health care, public health and education, and community development.

Cr Greg Jones



Greg is the Mayor of Flinders Shire where he has served as a Councillor since 1994. Greg and wife Carole operate an Electrical, Refrigeration & Air Conditioning business in Hughenden.

Positions Vacant

People interested in nominating for the Committee can find more information at <http://rda.gov.au/node/15>

Also please do not hesitate to call Glenys Schuntner, CEO on 07 4410 3365 for a discussion about the role.



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