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**Environmental Health
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**Public Health and Wellbeing
Nuisance Forum**



Wednesday 20 August 2014, 8.30 am – 5.00pm
CQ Functions, 113 Queen Street, Melbourne, 3000

The Public Health and Wellbeing Special Interest Group is proud to present the first Nuisance Forum, designed specifically for Environmental Health Practitioners. The forum is intended to encourage robust discussion around the various complexities of nuisance complaints. We also encourage practitioners to participate in the EPA Consultation Session on changes to SEPP (noise) at the conclusion of the forum.

Program:	
8.30am	Registration
9.00am	Welcome Graeme Gillespie - Director, Health Protection Health Protection Branch, Department of Health
9.15am	Defining Nuisance Marcus Health, Russell Kennedy Lawyers
9.45am	Determining Private vs Public Nuisance Marcus Health, Russell Kennedy Lawyers
10.10am	Gathering Evidence Mathew Sherwell, Sherwell Harrison Munro Lawyers
10.40am	Morning Tea
11.00am	Nuisance Workshop A – Industrial, when to involve the Environment Protection Authority Sean McArdle, Environment Protection Authority Victoria
	Workshop B – Gathering Evidence, practical advice for collection of evidence to assess nuisance Mathew Sherwell, Sherwell Harrison Munro Lawyers
	Workshop C – Limitations in resolving wastewater complaints Speaker to be confirmed
11.50pm	Setting community expectations - Guidance on setting clear expectations on complaint resolution Victorian Dispute Resolution Centre
12.30pm	Lunch
1.10pm	Odour Complaint - Agricultural Odour Nuisance Sarah Annells, Moorabool Shire Council
1.40pm	Risk Assessment and Council Liability Michael Beasley, Michael Beasley Law
2.10pm	Nuisance Prosecution – A case study Louisa Dicker, M& K Lawyers
3.00pm	Afternoon Tea
3.20pm	Trending Issues: Managing bee complaints in residential settings Steve McGrath, Whitehorse City Council
4.00pm	Forum Close
4.00 – 5.00pm	EPA Consultation Session – Changes to SEPP (noise)



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