

CAPABILITY STATEMENT

David McClure



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QUALIFICATIONS

- Master of Agriculture
- Bachelor Environmental Science (Hons)
- Diploma of Irrigation
- Diploma of Work Health and Safety

David is a Senior Environmental Consultant with over 20 years' experience in irrigated agriculture and natural resource management across NSW's Western Division and Riverina. He specialises in environmental policy, soil and contamination projects, and the development of Environmental and WHS Management Systems for corporate clients.

David has delivered major regional initiatives, including irrigation efficiency programs, farm reconfiguration projects and the Mallee Irrigation Regional Land and Water Management Plan. He provides expert advice on environmental approvals, undertakes research and investigations, and prepares detailed technical reports. His background also includes managing large-scale irrigated cropping operations and obtaining regulatory approvals for new developments.

Areas of expertise

- Contaminated site assessment
- New irrigation developments
- EPA approvals
- EPA registrations, permits and licences
- Waste categorization in VIC and NSW
- Site assessments according to NEPM ASC
- Land development and irrigation infrastructure approvals
- Environmental management plans and risk assessments

Professional experience

- Pinion Advisory – Senior Environmental Consultant – Planning and Environment, 2025-current
- James Golsworthy Consulting – Senior Environmental Consultant, 2022-2025
- Mallee CMA Salinity and Irrigation Unit – Project Manager, 2021-2022
- Webster Limited – Workplace Health and Safety Manager, 2015-2021
- Tandou Ltd – Environmental Manager/irrigation Agronomist, 1997-2015

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Relevant projects

PROJECT	ROLE	CLIENT	YEAR/S DELIVERED
Site contamination assessment	Assessment of soil and water contamination impacts arising from agricultural and industrial activity	Various	2022-ongoing
Work Authority for limestone extraction	Regulatory approvals for limestone quarries including developing work plans and risk management plans	Mildura Rural City Council	2023-ongoing
Environmental Values Assessment - Murray Sunset and Barmah National Parks	Manage a team of vegetation assessors and ecologists to assess impacts to environmental values arising from infrastructure upgrades	Parks Victoria	2025
EPA approvals (Operating Licences, Development Licences) for a range of scheduled activities	Develop applications for a range of scheduled EPA Activities including Waste to Energy, Organic Waste Processing, Tyre Storage and Food Processing	Various corporate clients	2023-ongoing
New irrigation developments	Obtain statutory approvals permitting the development of green field irrigation developments	Various	2022-ongoing
Risk assessments for agricultural activities	Develop risk management strategies for aerial treatment of invasive woody weeds in the western division of NSW; Develop a Land Use Capability Risk Assessment for an abattoir	Various	2023-ongoing