

Member Communiqué

The Board of Directors met on 25th June 2026.
Below is a summary of key updates and decisions from the meeting.

World Drowning Prevention Day | 25 July 2026

- Delegated from RLSSWA with will attending National Water Safety Summit held 23 & 24 July in Sydney.

Impact Report

- Royal Life Saving is developing an Impact Report structured around five themes, where Royal Life Saving creates the greatest value:
 1. Driving success of Australia Water Safety Strategy
 2. Ensuring no child misses out on learning to Swim & Survive
 3. Championing the benefits of community swimming pools
 4. Leadership and safety skills across the aquatic workforce
 5. Advocating for safe access to inland waterways.

Financial Report

- Board reviewed and accepted the May financial report.
- Board approved the 2026/27 Budget.

Management Report

- Annual Report to Workforce Gender Equity Agency has been lodged.
- A reduction in the annual drowning toll will be recorded in 2025/26 compared to 2024/25.
- 3-year social investment agreements have been signed with BHP and Mitsui.
- End-of-financial year tax/donation appeal has commenced.
- Talent Pool program has expanded through to Karratha and Roebourne.
- Application submitted for re-registration as a Registered Training Organisation (RTO).
- School pool activation pilot project being developed in conjunction with the Department of Education.
- Board approved the 2026/27 Management KPI targets.

Governance

- Board is reviewing the Director Skills Matrix and succession planning.
- Board is reviewing the organisation's Risk Management Framework.

Membership

- May Membership applications were accepted.
- Membership application process to include a declaration that the applicant is a fit and proper person to participate in the activities of Royal Life Saving.

If Members have any questions or feedback on the matters raised, contact the Board Secretary via Board@royallifesavingwa.com.au

On behalf of the Board of Directors