

Water Efficiency for Business



Rous Water's Blue and Green Business Program, is available to businesses supplied from a Rous Water source in Ballina, Byron, Lismore and Richmond Valley local government areas.

Since the program began in 2009, over 40 businesses have accessed the program to become more water efficient and make savings on their water bills. These businesses have achieved a combined water saving of over 60 million litres each year.

FUNDING AVAILABLE

Rous Water promotes the efficient use of potable water and provides financial assistance to businesses that undertake water saving and water efficiency projects. Projects that reduce the demand for water from the Rous Water regional water supply system are eligible for financial assistance. Water audits are also available for eligible businesses. Walk-through audits are free and assistance can be provided with more complex audits.

Item	Rebate
Toilets and Urinals	\$150 per toilet
Showerheads	\$50 per showerhead
Taps	\$75 per tap/tap set
Rainwater Tanks	\$1,500 (for tank installations between 2kL and 10kL)
Commercial Washing Machines	\$500 per machine
Water Recycling	Lesser of \$3,500/ML/A saved or 50% of project cost
Leak Repairs	Lesser of \$3,500/ML/A saved or 50% of project cost
Water Meters	15% of the cost of purchase and installation of the meters
Other	Lesser of \$3,500/ML/A saved or 50% of project cost
All Projects	Upper Limit of \$25,000 per organisation

Eligibility criteria, terms and conditions apply.