

## Media Release

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## COMDAIN AWARDED THE YARRA VALLEY WATER DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION HEALTH & SAFETY AWARD - 2014

Comdain Infrastructure (“Comdain”) is proud to announce that it has recently been awarded **Yarra Valley Water’s Design & Construction Health & Safety Award - 2014**.

In recognition of Comdain’s commitment to ensuring the safety of its employees, subcontractors and all other stakeholders through its operations, Yarra Valley Water presented the award to Comdain’s Program Manager, Adam Maher at a ceremony on 3 December 2014. The award was based on Comdain’s approach to risk assessment and management surrounding fatigue specifically when working in regional areas.

Comdain collaboratively engaged work crews and subcontractors and highlighted the dangers of working / driving while fatigued. The collaborative effort resulted in changes to works scheduling and sequencing in order to reduce travelling times and therefore minimise the associated risks of fatigue.

Comdain’s National HSEQ Manager, Paul Harper said:

***“This is a great achievement for the Engineering group and Comdain Infrastructure as a whole. It shows, yet again, evidence of the hard work and leadership shown towards a safer culture.”***

Comdain’s Chief Operating Officer, Jim Gaha, who is currently leading an initiative to redefine Comdain’s Safety Vision, also said:

***“It’s fantastic to be acknowledged for the efforts Comdain go to ensure the safety of our people, clients and members of the public. Caring for everyone we interact with is a core theme in our safety vision and the team have demonstrated great leadership in their approach to working with subcontractors.”***



**For further information please contact Jim Gaha, Chief Operating Officer on 03 8405 0000.**

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### About Comdain Infrastructure

Established in 1962, Comdain Infrastructure is a dynamic organisation with an enviable reputation for being a leading **Engineering** and **Asset Management** services business specialising in the water, irrigation and gas sectors.

Comdain is one of the leading water network design, construction and maintenance services partners in Australia with a strong focus on continuous improvement delivering lower total cost of ownership for the benefit of all stakeholders including asset owners, managers and end customers. We develop collaborative, long term relationships with our clients for maintenance and deliver of energy network infrastructure. We have a strong presence across Australia’s eastern sea board, delivering over \$500m of infrastructure for both the private and government sectors over the last four years.

We are deliberately focused on having end-to-end capability in our areas of expertise. Our capability is demonstrated by our track record of achievement and it is underpinned by our commitment to complete the job regardless of what it takes. Robust management systems and processes exist to support our quality people who take full responsibility for their actions and pride in a job well done.

For more information about our capabilities across the water, irrigation and gas sectors, please visit us at: [www.comdaininfrastructure.com.au](http://www.comdaininfrastructure.com.au)

## About Yarra Valley Water

Yarra Valley Water is the largest of Melbourne's three water corporations providing water supply and sanitation services to over 1.7 million people and over 50,000 businesses in the northern and eastern suburbs of Melbourne.

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