

# Dow Chemical 2018 Review for ACNCG

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**Dow updates: September – November 2018** 

- Company Compliance
- Regulatory Compliance
- Companies activities/updates



## **Company Compliance YTD**

#### 1. Safety Case

- Dow granted 5-year unconditional MHF license
- Brief summary will be shared by Safety Case Coordinator

#### 2. Personal injury

• **ZERO** recordable injury since May 2016

#### 3. Loss of Containment

• <u>One</u> recordable containment loss in March 2018 of 4-29 kg of nonhazardous product into inadequate secondary containment.



# **Regulatory Compliance YTD**

#### EPA:

- Annual Performance Statement (APS) and National Pollutant Inventory (NPI) reporting submitted in September.
- 3 improvement notices on environmental risk assessment, site assessment and air emissions have been completed and Dow has received revocation notices.

#### Worksafe:

- No reportable events.
- 1 oversight visit since granting of renewed MHF license

#### City West Water:

• 1 license condition exceedance (Glycol) in June 2018.





# Company activities and updates

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# **EHS Improvement: Oxide Emission Reduction Project**

- Route process vent containing oxide vapor to site boilers for incineration to further improve oxide emission
- 99% destruction efficiency, further protect environment
- USD 1.2 MM
- Project commence in Feb 2018
- EPA Works Approval division sighted the project in July 2018
- Mechanical completion in Oct
- At commissioning stage now
- After commissioning, Energy Safe Victoria will also verify incineration system





### **Others updates**

- Workforce Diversity & Inclusion
  - 5 different countries represented with > 6 different languages/dialect spoken
  - o TTR
  - First female operator in the 57 year history of Altona site!
- Production challenges









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