

## AIMS – Queensland Subcommittee Annual Report November 2020

To all AIMS Members,

Similar to other states and industries, it has been an unusual year as we navigated COVID-19 and adapted to the new working conditions and restrictions. As a consequence some of the QLD AIMS 2020 plan was not fully implemented, however below is a summary of 2020 activity and agenda items in the coming months and year.

The QLD AIMS Subcommittee held several meetings over the course of the last 12 months, recording minutes and all information passed on to the board for review and consideration.

The subcommittee has been involved with the review of an updated Recognised Standard 10. Ken Cross has done some really good work engaging the wider industry, seeking feedback and providing guidance.

We were fortunate to host an AIMS networking event at The Breakfast Creek Hotel in late August this year, with an outstanding turnout by both AIMS members and suppliers. Thank you to the following sponsors of the event for making it possible; Position Partners, C.R. Kennedy, BHP, seamsurveys, UPG, & AAM. The event was run at a profit, with the remaining funds planned for a second networking event.

Continuing in 2020 and early 2021 the subcommittee will continue to progress with the following:

- Organise and host a second AIMS networking event
- Review options to organise and host additional AIMS training days for members
- Organise more candidate sessions with the possibility of more virtual sessions to accommodate larger groups
- Finalise the QLD AIMS mentor program. This has been somewhat slow going unfortunately.
- Continue providing guidance and input to the development of RS10.

Big thank you to Mick Harris, Ken Cross, David Ericson, Paul Hancock and Callum McNaughton for their continued effort and volunteered time in the subcommittee. Anyone interested in being involved with committee should feel free contact me for inclusion.

Kind regards,

Quentin Albertyn Chairman of AIMS QLD Subcommittee