### **RANGELANDS POLICY DIALOGUE:**

# After drought and debt – what next?

A roadmap for transitioning Queensland's pastoral industry towards resilience, stewardship, regeneration of natural capital and profitability.

Monday 1 (10am-6pm) and Tuesday 2 (9am-5pm) July 2019 – Auditorium, 111 George St Brisbane

Discussion will be led by short "spark plug" presentations from knowledgeable panellists interspersed with extensive plenary discussion.

#### Panellists will include:

- lan Heiner, CEO, NRM Regions Queensland
- Dr Greg Leach, AgForce Queensland
- Dr Geoff Edwards, President, Royal Society of Qld.

This dialogue aims to compile a "roadmap" to transition broadacre pastoralism in Queensland's rangelands to a condition of sustainable profitability and environmental sustainability, absorbing the concepts of resilience, stewardship and regeneration of natural capital in an era of accelerating climate change and weather extremes. It is sponsored by the Queensland Department of Environment and Science.

The Royal Society of Queensland is the State's oldest scientific institution and seeks to uphold the standards of evidence-led enquiry.

AgForce Queensland is a peak organisation representing Queensland's rural producers, which strives to ensure the long-term growth, viability, competitiveness and profitability of broad acre industries of cattle, grain, sheep and wool in Queensland.

NRM Regions Queensland focuses on the state-wide delivery of regional natural resource management outcomes in partnership with industry, community and government.

## **Event organised by:**



# The Royal Society of Queensland

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## **NRM Regions** Queensland

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The event is free. It will particularly suit policy-aware graziers, professionals, professional societies, scholarly experts, peak bodies, public servants, business people and members of civil society engaged in policy formulation. The session will operate under Chatham House rule (no discussion attributed without consent).

To ensure representation of all sectors, attendance initially is by invitation

The organisers acknowledge several donations that have allowed us to waive registration fees.



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