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## MEDIA RELEASE

### Goldenfields Water's 'finest' receives national police medal

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Temora local and Goldenfields Water's Operations Manager Tony Goodyer was this week honoured with the National Police Service Medal at a special ceremony.

Mr Goodyer served for almost 20 years as a police officer in both the New South Wales and Queensland police forces from the late-1970s through to the mid-1990s.

Goldenfields Water's General Manager Phillip Rudd congratulated Mr Goodyer on receiving the special, Australia-wide honour.

"This National Police Service Medal recognises Tony's ethical and diligent service as a police officer over a very long period," Mr Rudd said.

"The high standards required for this award truly reflect his character, leadership ability and professionalism, which have also made him one of Goldenfields Water's finest.

"He continues to display these attributes in setting a great example for the other staff and I, as well as in delivering vital water supply services to the many communities that depend on us."

Mr Goodyer has been working at Goldenfields Water for over 16 years.

"All members of every Australian police force make a unique commitment and significant contribution to the communities they serve," Mr Goodyer said.

"Receiving the National Police Service Medal is an honour and a great reminder of the time I spent working alongside many other dedicated officers in both Queensland and New South Wales.

"I would like to especially pay tribute to the commitment, dedication and bravery of the police officers currently serving across Australia to make our country a better and safer place," he said.

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