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8.30 am	Registration Welcome to Country
	The big picture: an economic overview
Chair	Annabelle Homer ABC Rural
9.00 am	Jammie Penm ABARE <i>Economic issues affecting the region</i>
9.20 am	Mike Nolan Westpac <i>A banker's perspective on rural finances</i>
9.40 am	Panel discussion
10.00 am	Nick Champion MP Member for Wakefield <i>Opening address</i>
10.30 am	Morning tea
	Building sustainable agriculture
Chair	Mayor Allan Aughey Clare and Gilbert Valleys Council
11.00 am	Leanne Lawrance ABARE <i>Commodity outlook and farm performance</i>
11.20 am	Frank Nicholls Clare Region Winegrape Growers Assoc. Neville Rowe Clare Valley Winemakers <i>Operating in a tough and changing environment</i>
11.40 am	Mark Branson Clifton <i>Using modern farm systems to improve profit and the environment</i>
12.00 pm	Panel discussion
12.30 pm	Lunch

	Water and climate: critical factors
Chair	Rob Lewis SARDI
1.30 pm	Melanie Ford ABARE <i>Agriculture: moving toward emissions trading</i>
1.45 pm	Darren Ray Bureau of Meteorology <i>El Nino and climate change: an update for South Australia</i>
2.00 pm	Andy McPharlin Office for Water Security <i>Water for Good – ensuring South Australia's water future</i>
2.15 pm	John Gray Bureau of Rural Sciences <i>Soil carbon for productivity or trading?</i>
2.30 pm	Panel discussion
3.00 pm	Afternoon tea
	Taking the risk: succeeding in the region
Chair	Kay Matthias Mid North Regional Development Board
3.30 pm	Brett Roberts Australian Growers Direct <i>Building the grains supply chain</i>
3.45 pm	Sally Hawker Bungaree Station <i>Agritourism: making the farm lifestyle a business</i>
4.00 pm	Craig Jaeschke Hillriver Hay <i>Farming full circle for sustainability</i>
4.15 pm	Mary Retallack Retallack Viticulture <i>Helping grapegrowers become winegrowers</i>
4.30 pm	Panel discussion
5.00 pm	Conference close

About ABARE's Regional Outlook conferences

ABARE (the Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics) is hosting a series of Regional Outlook conferences across Australia in 2009.

Each conference features a diverse range of local speakers, complemented by ABARE economists and analysts.

With a conference program tailored to the region, delegates can access the latest commodity data, economic forecasts and research results plus hear innovative business stories and updates on regional industries.

Registration

Registration fee \$77 (including GST) includes:

- entrance to the conference
- copy of current issue of *Australian commodities*
- copies of available papers
- morning and afternoon tea and lunch

Please pass this brochure to a colleague who may also be interested in attending.

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