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Horticulture Code of Conduct Roadshow for Growers

FREE REGIONAL WORKSHOPS:

Bowen	03 August 11am – 1pm followed by lunch DAF Research Station
Mareeba	17 August 4.30pm – 6.30pm followed by dinner – Jackaroo Motel
Gayndah	22 August 4.30pm – 6.30 pm followed by dinner – Grand Hotel Gayndah
Bundaberg	23 August 2pm – 4pm followed by drinks – Burnett Club
Gatton	24 August 4pm – 6pm followed by dinner – DAF Research station
Stanthorpe	31 August 4.30pm – 6.30pm followed by dinner – DAF Research station



If you grow
fruit or
vegetables
then the
new Hort
Code will
most likely
apply to
you!

All growers and traders must have a Code compliant Horticulture Produce Agreement and the ACCC has the power to enforce civil penalties and infringement notices on both growers and traders.

The only exemptions are if you trade directly with a retailer, processor or exporter.

The new Code has been designed to protect growers but also reflect the flexibilities that need to operate in the market place.

Growcom, along with the regional horticulture bodies, invites you to attend regional free grower specific workshop to help you understand how the Code protects your business and to make sure you meet your obligations. We are pleased to announce that the ACCC will be attending the workshops as a guest speaker.

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You will walk out of this workshop understanding your rights and obligations, a template HPA, some ideas about how to streamline compliance and what to do if things go wrong.

PROGRAM

- Horticulture Code of Conduct overview – (Cynthia Tupicoff, ACCC)
- HPA template interactive workshop session - what to look out for, troubleshooting and common scenarios (Rachel Mackenzie, Growcom)
- Managing your compliance - an online consignment tool making Code Compliance easy (HiveXChange)

Please RSVP at www.growcom.com.au/hort-code-of-conduct or with your local grower organisation for catering purposes.

This program is an initiative of the Queensland Horticulture Council which is made up of:

