

Having purchased our property in 2015 we purchased it with the understanding that the water prices would remain the same. It would be uneconomical to farm the property if the water prices were to exceedingly rise. Also it would be not be a viable investment if the water charges were to rise to these extremes.

The low sugar cane prices the last few years and the rising cost of running the property such as electricity, fertiliser & fuel.

With the abundance of water directly from the Haughton River is isn't reasonable for the cost of the water to be raised to this high level.