Call for Proposals
Scoring Rubric

Reviewer Name:	Abstract Submitter or Title:
Role:	

Each abstract is reviewed by an IA selection committee using this scoring rubric. Not all submitted proposals may be invited to participate in the conference. Proposals that are acceptable will be included in the conference based on the scoring rubric results and available space.

Main criteria for selection: (a) Quality of written content, and (b) Demonstration of significance to the field
Scoring Range (0-10)

Abstract Content	Not Acceptable	Borderline	Fully Met	Exceeds	Exceptional
1. Title The title describes the ideas presented in the abstract, arouses the reader's interest, and is adequate in length.					
2. Description Purpose of presentation was stated clearly and concisely. The situation is presented in sufficient detail to understand the author's choice of approaches. There is specific information described for the presented activities, or the strategies, such that other conference participants can determine whether these activities might be useful to adopt or were informative.					
3. Background Sufficient background information was provided making it evident that the target audience chosen was appropriate and that the content focus area was well researched.					
4. Learning Impact and Significance Abstract addresses significance of content focus area. Appears to be highly engaging, interactive with practical component. Provides a compelling problem or topic pertinent to the green industry. The activities described have the potential to lead the field in new directions or add to and deepen understanding of issues associated with irrigation.					
5. Assessment If presentation has a practical or analytical approach, results are briefly summarized. If what is being presented is in progress, the presenters indicate expected outcomes.					
6. Mechanics Abstract is clear, succinct, and well-organized.					
7. Length Abstract does not exceed 250 words.					
Total Score Per Row (Add values in each row) **70 point maximum**	2	4	6	8	10
Total Score					
Outcome of Scoring (Select/Circle)	**Not Recommend** **Recommended as Alternate** **Highly Recommended**				