

'You never change things by fighting the existing reality.'

To change something , build a new model that makes the existing model obsolete'.

Buckminster Fuller (1895 to 1983).



**It's About
.. Time!**

'The REAL-TIME Initiative'

..... what the RTI can do for

our State and our Nation

Current Winter



Current Summer



Proposed Winter



Proposed Summer



A sunset scene over the ocean. The sun is a bright white circle on the horizon, casting a golden glow across the sky and water. The foreground shows dark silhouettes of reeds or grasses. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

How do we get there?

What needs fixing?

- **Eliminate** the confusion and frustrations that annoy us between October and April every year.
- **Synchronise** the clocks on the eastern seaboard – PERMANENTLY.

A sunset over the ocean with a bright sun low on the horizon, casting a golden glow across the sky and water. In the foreground, there are silhouettes of reeds or grasses. The text is overlaid on the upper and middle portions of the image.

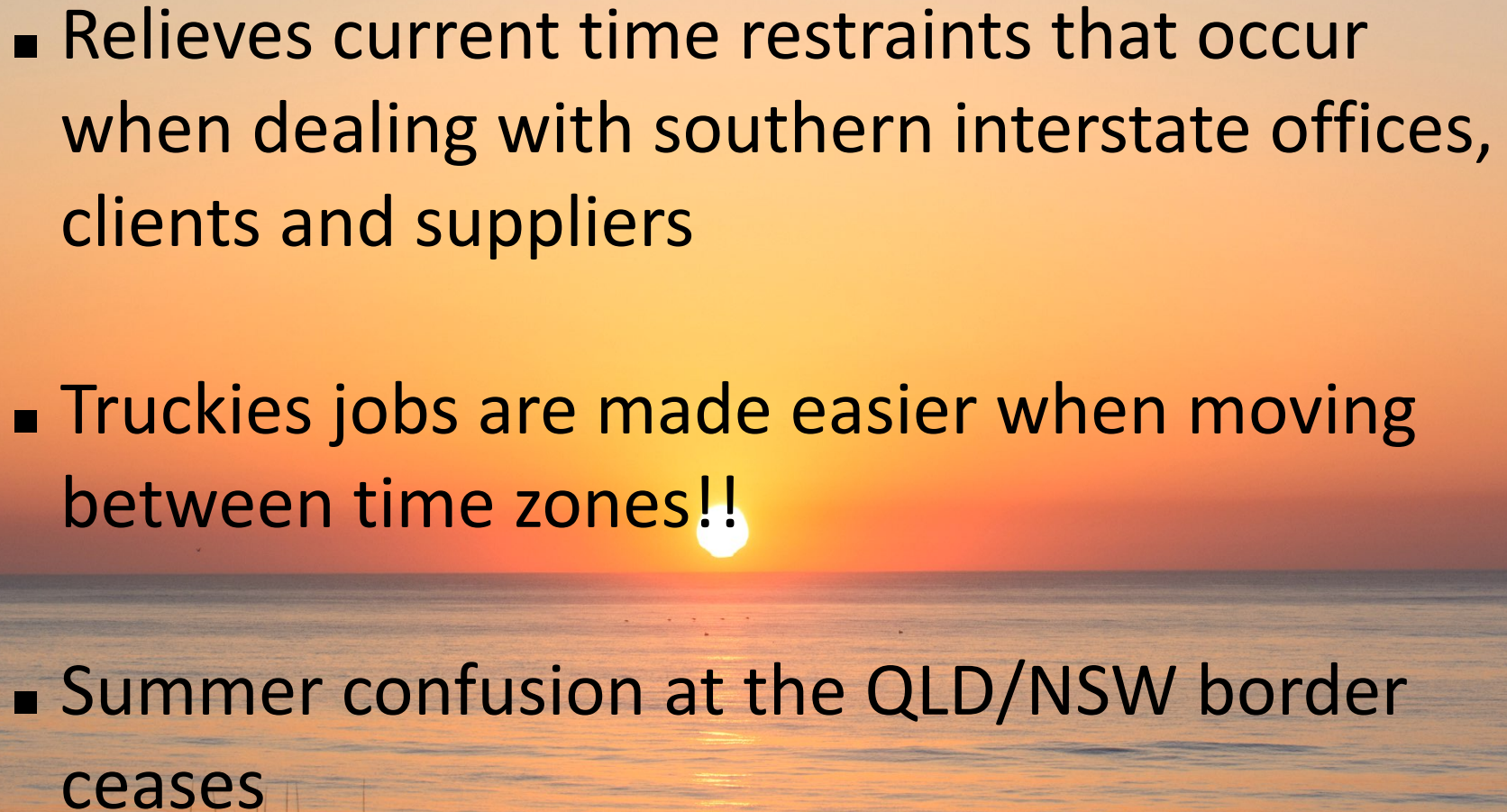
Save Our Federal and State economies

BILLION\$ OF DOLLAR\$ EVERY YEAR.

Ensure no more than 3 time zones
across Australia.

Benefits that accrue.....

- The State economy grows by more than \$6 Billion *every year* – [southern states???]
- Extra tax dollars generated *every year* for the Federal coffers
- Easier for Governments to achieve ‘mantra’ of “Jobs and Growth” – at little, if any, cost to the taxpayer

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- A sunset over the ocean with a beach in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm orange glow across the sky and reflecting on the water. The foreground shows the dark silhouettes of reeds or grasses on a beach.
- Relieves current time restraints that occur when dealing with southern interstate offices, clients and suppliers
 - Truckies jobs are made easier when moving between time zones!!
 - Summer confusion at the QLD/NSW border ceases

Benefits from RTI only.

- Inclusion of 42% of population outside Eastern Standard Time (EST)
- Restores 'status quo' between Adelaide and Brisbane – 1 hour time difference
- Establishes proper time difference between Perth and Brisbane – 2.5 hours

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- A sunset over the ocean with a beach in the foreground. The sun is a bright white circle in the center of the frame, casting a long, shimmering reflection on the water. The sky is a gradient of orange and yellow, transitioning to a darker blue at the top. The ocean is dark blue with white-capped waves breaking in the distance. In the foreground, the dark silhouettes of beach chairs and a beach are visible.
- 88.8% of our total population in the same time zone between October and April
 - Streamlines Network TV and Radio broadcasts of News and summer sporting events
 - Opportunity to enjoy better lifestyle **ALL YEAR ROUND!**

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- A sunset over the ocean with reeds in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow over the water and sky. The reeds are silhouetted against the sunset.
- Thorny subject of AEDT disappears from east coast political agendas
 - Domestic Airline schedules make sense – **ALL YEAR ROUND!**
 - There are never more than 3 time zones across our great land!

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- A sunset over the ocean with reeds in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow over the water and sky. The reeds are silhouetted against the bright light of the setting sun.
- Organising interstate teleconferences becomes a breeze!!
 - The bi-annual changing of clocks disappears – **FOREVER!**

THE MEASUREMENT AND DETERMINATION OF TIME ZONES IN AUSTRALIA.

“.....responsibility for time zones and daylight saving currently resides with the States and Territories who prescribe both the time zone observed in their jurisdictions and any daylight saving arrangements in terms of UTC (*GMT*) plus an appropriate offset”.

Dr Richard Brittain LLB - Manager, Legal Metrology Authority Appointments

Legal Metrology Branch - National Measurement Institute

Department of Industry, Innovation, - Climate Change, Science, Research and Tertiary Education

Canberra 21 August 2013.

DAYLIGHT SAVING.

No. 33 of 1967.

AN ACT to promote the greater use of daylight in certain months of the years 1967 and 1968, in order to reduce the usage of electric power during the present shortage, and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

[22 September 1967.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

- 1** This Act may be cited as the *Daylight Saving Act 1967*.
- 2** In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears—
 - “standard time” means the time declared by the *Standard Time Act 1895* to be standard time throughout this State;
 - “Tasmanian clock time” means the time to be observed throughout this State as prescribed by this Act.



Queensland

Standard Time Act 1894

Current as at 1 September 2005

Standard Time Act 1894

[as amended by all amendments that commenced on or before 1 September 2005]

An Act to establish a standard of time

1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Standard Time Act 1894*.

2 Commencement of Act

This Act shall commence and take effect on and from the 1 January 1895.

3 **Standard time**

- (1) Standard time in Queensland is **10** hours in advance of Co-ordinated Universal Time.
- (2) In this section—

Co-ordinated Universal Time means Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC) as determined by the International Bureau of Weights and Measures and maintained under the *National Measurement Act 1960* (Cwlth), section 8AA.

4 **The time mentioned in Acts etc. to mean standard time**

Whenever any expression of time occurs in any Act, order in council, rule, regulation, by-law, deed, or in any instrument whatsoever, and whenever the doing or not doing anything at a certain time of day or night, or during a certain part of the day or the night, has an effect in law, such time shall, unless it is otherwise specifically stated, be held to be standard time throughout Queensland as declared by this Act.

For simplicity, I use the term Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) as the base for calculating longitude co-ordinates for various points around the globe.

I am well aware of the 1972/75 recommendation that Coordinated Universal Time (UTC) should replace GMT as the basis for legal time. The differences are minuscule.



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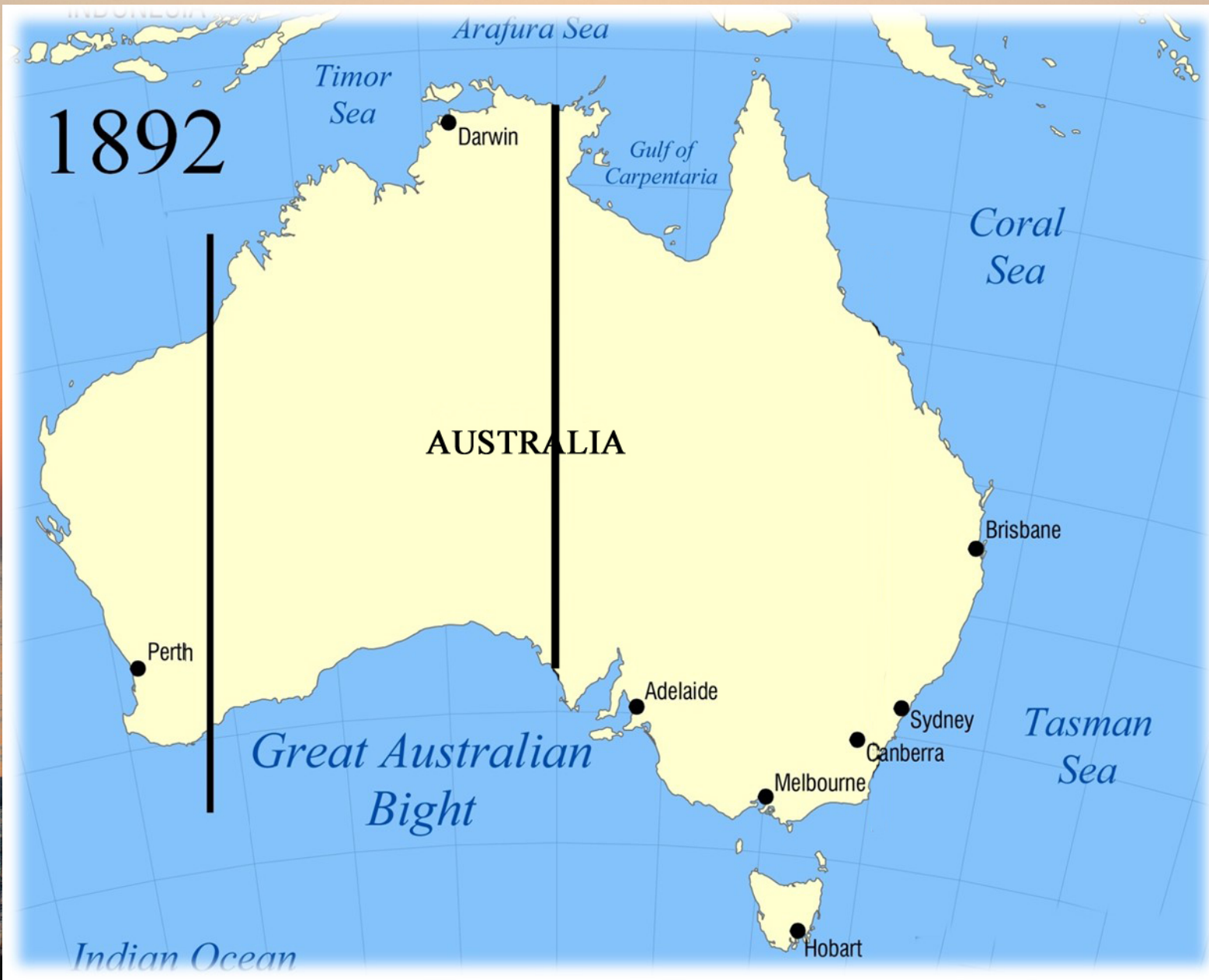
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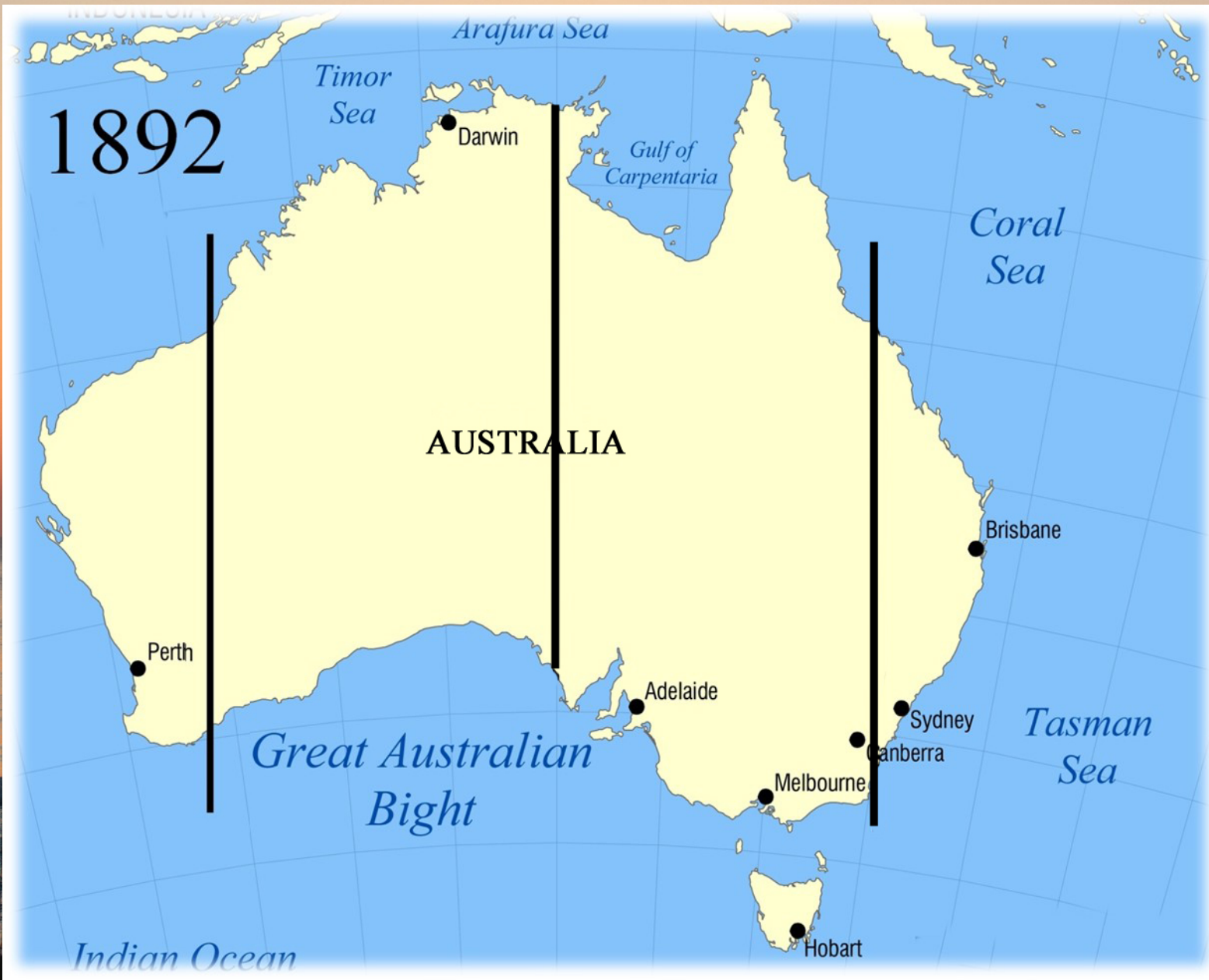
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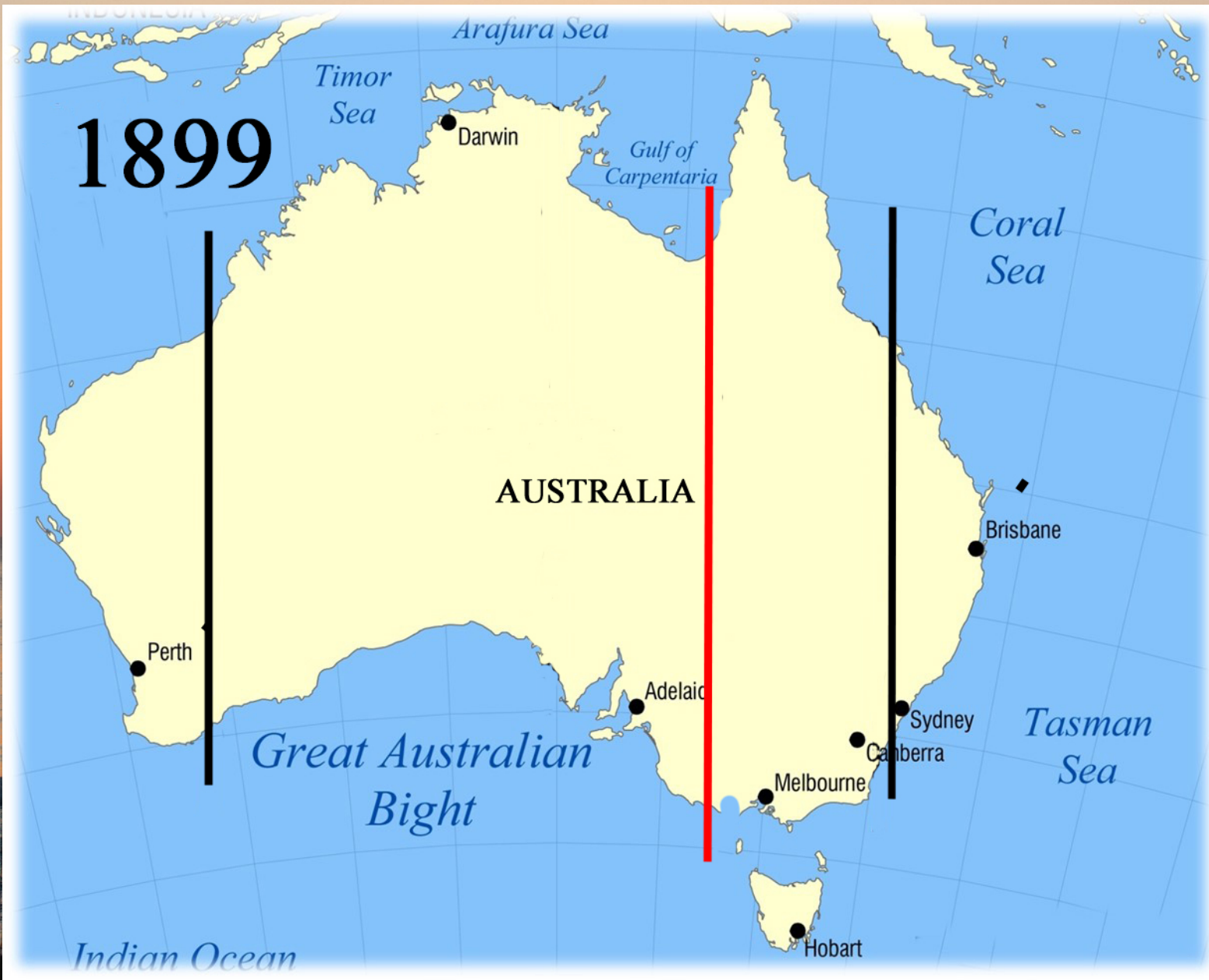
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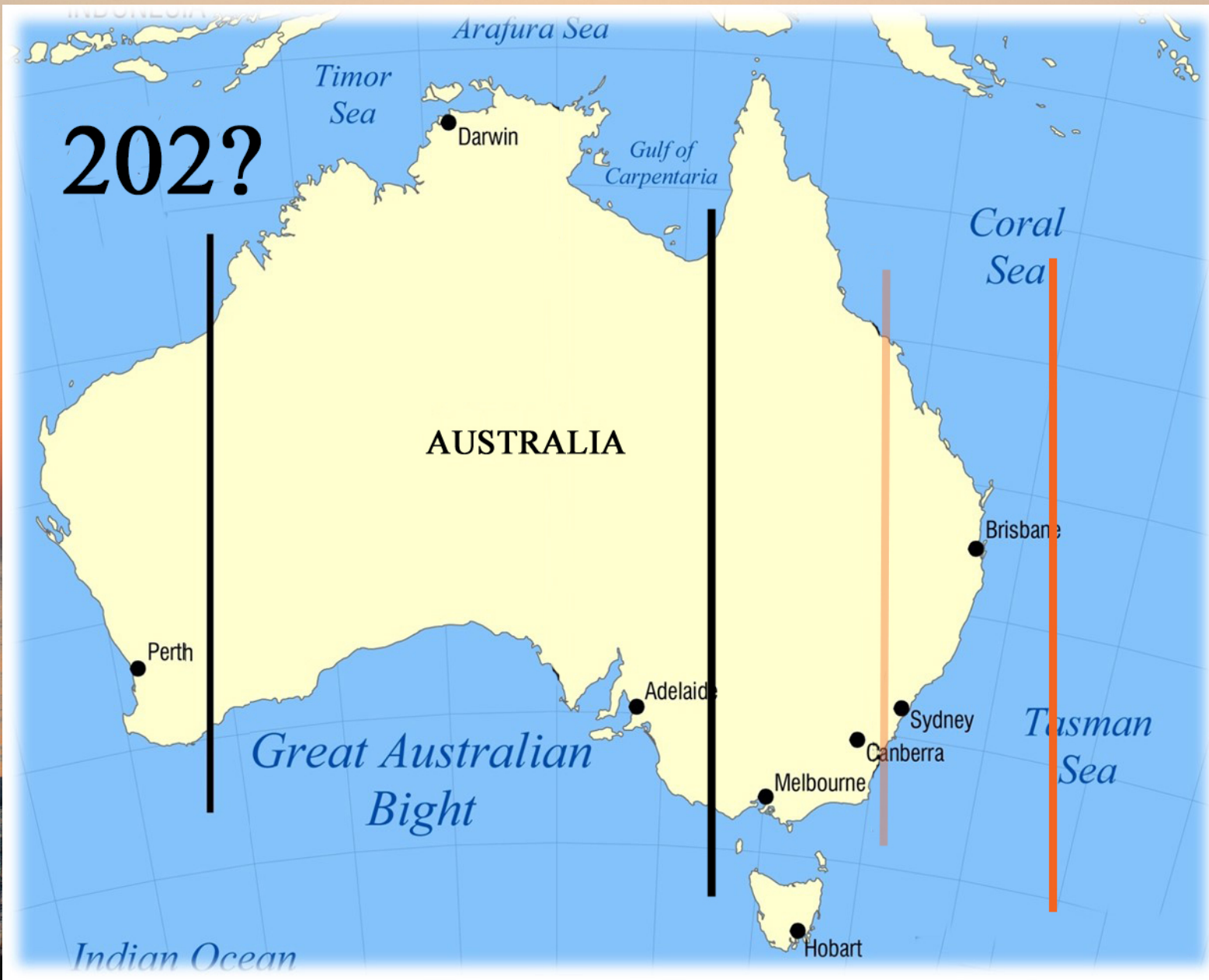
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A sunset over a beach with reeds in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow over the scene. The water is calm, and the reeds are silhouetted against the bright sky.

Australia's economy is significantly enhanced with uniform time zones across the Eastern States.

This proposal is a good example of 'creative thinking'.

CCI Queensland

A sunset over a beach with waves and reeds in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow over the scene. The water is dark with white foam from the waves. The reeds are silhouetted against the bright sky.

“Ai Group has long held the view that the current arrangements are not satisfactory given they result in significant costs for businesses. For companies with a national focus the situation is particularly problematic – with the confusion, inconvenience and additional costs that stem from being in a different time zone for half the year.

We would support exploration of any options that might bring Queensland in line with other Eastern States and therefore consider the idea currently being discussed as worthy of consideration”.

(Spokesperson for the Australian Industry Group).

‘Too much time has been wasted in Queensland debating the pros and cons of DST. It has no relevance in this state.

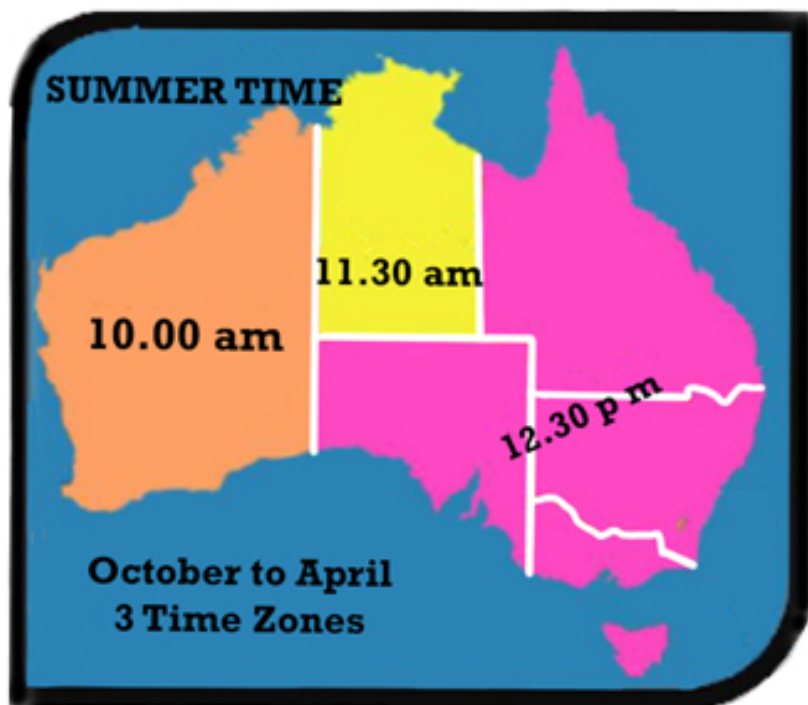
We need permanency in having only 3 time zones across Australia in the synchronising of clocks down the eastern seaboard thereby providing stability and certainty for our business and industry’.

Bundaberg Regional Council Mayor – Mal Forman - Retired.

A sunset over the ocean with a beach in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright orange and yellow glow. The water is dark blue with white waves. The beach is dark and silhouetted against the sunset.

**Former Federal Treasurer
Josh Frydenberg
saw The RTI as so important
as to suggest that
*the proposal deserved to be an
Agenda item at a
C.O.A.G. meeting.***

These maps illustrate the proposed solution Never more than 3 Time Zones



When we advance Australian Eastern Standard time by 30 minutes/ half-an-hour we:-

Eliminate

Synchronise

Save

Ensure

(Q.E.D.)

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR WEBSITE YET?

It's well worth a look.

www.letsfixthetime.com.au

WHAT IS MY 'ROLE' ON THE PLANET?

What is it that needs doing, that I know something

about, that probably won't happen unless

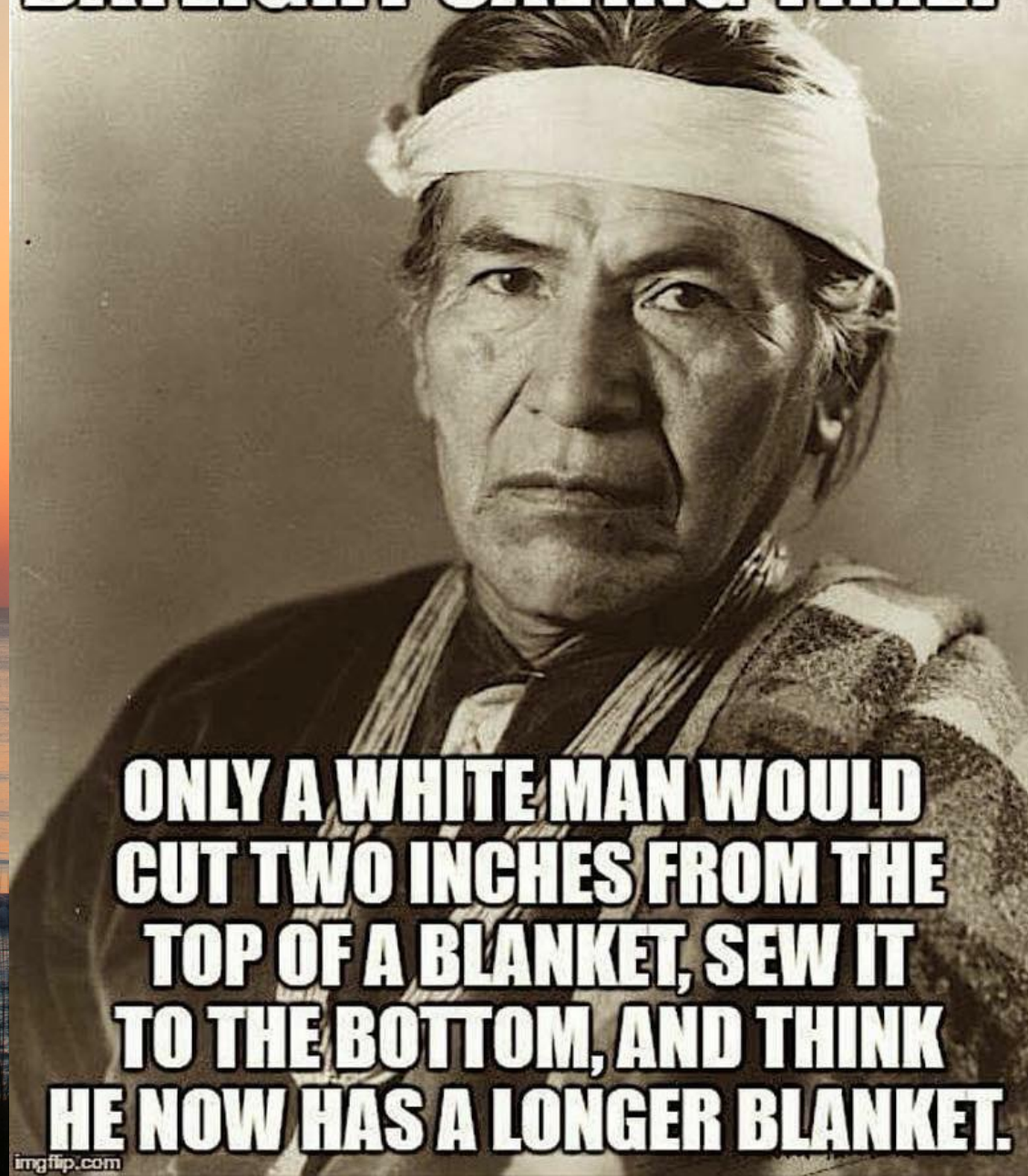
I take responsibility for it?

Buckminster Fuller [1895-1983]



A busy night at Stone Henge
as workers move all the stones
forward one hour...

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME?



**ONLY A WHITE MAN WOULD
CUT TWO INCHES FROM THE
TOP OF A BLANKET, SEW IT
TO THE BOTTOM, AND THINK
HE NOW HAS A LONGER BLANKET.**



It's About Real Time!

Real Time Initiative