Gawler River Floodplain Management Authority

Adelaide Hills Council, Adelaide Plains Council, The Barossa Council, Town of Gawler, Light Regional Council, City of Playford

KEY OUTCOMES SUMMARY

GRFMA Special Board Meeting – 15 April 2021

Gawler River Floodplain Mitigation

The meeting resolved to provide in principle support for a contribution (cash/in-kind/asset maintenance) towards projects 3 and 4 of the State Government Gawler River Floodplain Mitigation Program.

The Local Government GRFMA Project Delivery Group representatives will now convene and consider suitable options for relevant GRFMA contributions and ongoing asset maintenance costs and provide a recommendation report to the June 2021 GRFMA Board meeting for consideration.

The Executive Officer was requested to write to the Minister for Environment:

- acknowledging the contribution from the State Government to the "no regret" projects and the GRFMA in principle support for the projects
- requesting that savings to the State Government from the funding allocated to Projects 1 and 2 by Constituent Councils of the GRFMA is allocated to the development of the long term flood mitigation solutions identified through the Stormwater Management Plan, including:
 - detail design and costing;
 - o resolution of land tenure issues;
 - o community consultation; and
 - development of the business case.

GRFMA Stormwater Management Plan

Members noted that contracts for delivery of the GRFMA Stormwater Management Plan had been finalised and the body of works to deliver the plan have commenced.

Charter Review 2

The meeting requested the Charter Review 2 Working Group to further test the draft cost sharing model with the Northern Floodway Proposal and report back to the June 21 GRFMA Board meeting. It was also noted that the cost sharing model is currently at working draft status.

Notwithstanding model testing being undertaken opportunity for further discussion of the detail within each applicable weighting criteria will be facilitated at a later date.

GRFMA Strategic Management Plan

The meeting accepted the quotation from Jeff Tate Consulting for preparation and delivery of the GRFMA Strategic Management Plan 2026.

Next Ordinary Board Meeting

The next Ordinary Board Meeting will be held at 9:45am on Thursday 17 June 2021 at the Barossa Council.

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