

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 Board Meeting – 20 February 2025

Gawler River Flood Management Business Case

The meeting discussed progress with completion of the Gawler River Flood Management Business Case. The GRFMA Chairman was requested to undertake discussion with Constituent Councils and the State Government to facilitate further engagement of Federal Government funding opportunities.

The meeting endorsed work to apply to the Disaster Ready Fund to assist completion of the Business Case.

Gawler River Stormwater Management Plan

The community engagement framework for the Gawler River Stormwater Management Plan was endorsed and consultation will commence March 2025.

Financial Report and BR2

The financial report as of 31 January 2025 was received which showed a cash at bank balance of \$17,636.60. It was noted internal cash lending for CAD offset is \$349,376.65.

The GRFMA 2024/2025 Budget Review 2 documents January 2025, and the variances contained was adopted as the amended and current budget for the period ended 30 June 2025.

Flood Managers Australia (FMA)

Members authorised the GRFMA Chairman and GRFMA Executive Officer, to attend the 2025 FMA conference in Melbourne from 13-16 May 2025.

Draft 2025/2026 GRFMA Annual Business Plan and Draft 2025/2026 Budget

The meeting endorsed the Draft 2025/2026 GRFMA Annual Business Plan and Draft 2025/2026 Budget. Following subsequent receipt of Constituent Council feedback, the Board will consider adoption of the draft Annual Business Plan and Annual Budget at the June 2025 meeting.

Schedule of Meetings

The schedule of ordinary GRFMA meetings, each commencing at 9:45am, is:

- Thursday 17 April 2025 Adelaide Hills Council
- Thursday 19 June 2025, The Barossa Council
- Thursday 21 August 2025, Town of Gawler
- Thursday 16 October 2025, Adelaide Plains Council
- Thursday 4 December 2025, City of Playford