

SOUTHERN REGION WASTE RESOURCE AUTHORITY

Annual Report 2014





SRWRA is a regional subsidiary established by the Cities of Onkaparinga, Marion and Holdfast Bay, pursuant to Section 43 of the Local Government Act, 1999.

Under our Charter, SRWRA is responsible for providing and operating waste management services on behalf of our constituent Councils.

At a practical level, our core business activity is the management of our wholly-owned SRWRA Landflll Operation (formerly the Southern Region Waste Disposal Depot) located at Seaford Heights, South Australia. This is one of the State's major landflll operations currently receiving around 125,000 tonnes of waste annually.

Energy Developments Limited has been extracting landfill gas (methane) from the site since 1996 and through its generating plant, In the 2013/14 financial year, EDL generated 18,864MWh from the SRWRA Landfill facility, equivalent to powering more than 2,500 local homes. As a result more than 6.7m cubic metres of methane form the SRWRA's Landfill Gas site was consumed, CO2 abatement equivalent to taking 26,000 cars off the road.

The SRWRA's joint venture operation with Integrated Waste Services (IWS) has developed through 2013 with the commissioning of a recycling programme and the start of the jointly operated Southern Recycling Centre (SRC).

JOINT VENTURE



CONSTITUENT COUNCILS









# CHAIRMAN'S REPORT Mark Booth

It gives me great pleasure to submit the Annual Report for the 2014 flnancial year and to confirm that the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority, as the owner and operator of one of the State's major landfill operations, continues to fulfil the objectives and responsibilities outlined in its Charter in a flscally and environmentally responsible manner.

In addition to the responsible management of waste disposal to landfill, over the past twelve months the Authority has continued to progress our objectives to encourage waste management practices that support and promote resource recovery and which encourage sustainability in our society. Notably, over the past twelve months the Authority has:

- increased our on-site resources recovery activities in conjunction with our partners, Integrated Waste Services and Veolia, which of course also assists in extending the life of the facility through the diversion of material which would otherwise have been disposed of to landfill;
- secured Development Approval for a large scale resource recovery facility which should move into the construction phase over the next twelve months; and
- provided three local schools with grant funds, under the Les Perry Memorial grant program, to encourage them to undertake and promote waste management and recycling activities amongst their students.

Our efforts in this area will only increase over time as we strive to ensure there is a sustainable long term waste disposal path for our Constituent Councils and for our customers.

We continue to operate our business in a flnancially sustainable manner, ensuring that our trading performance provides adequate, fully funded, cash reserves to undertake the capital expenditures required to develop the site and meet our post closure monitoring and rehabilitation obligations. This is re‡ected in the \$1.475 million increase in the cash position of the Authority over the past year at a time when more than \$1.1 million was spent on land and cell capping. Although it should also be noted that the equity position of the Authority decreased during this period due to the revaluation of land holdings which were affected by changes in zoning.

It is important to recognise the hard work and diligence of the Board who collectively are significant contributors to the success of the Authority. In extending my thanks to each member of the Board it is important to also note the outstanding services of Mr Terry Sutcliffe and Mr Jeff Rittberger who both retired as board members during the year. I wish to thank our committed and accomplished staff whose efforts ensure our success. This team is very capably led by Mr Mark Hindmarsh who commenced as Executive Officer during the year and whose considerable waste management experience has already resulted in some significant improvements to our operations.

On behalf of the Board I commend the 2013/2014 Annual Report to you.

# **BOARD OF MANAGEMENT**

# As at 30th June 2014

# **CHAIRPERSON**



# **MEMBERS**



Steve Mathewson City of Onkaparinga

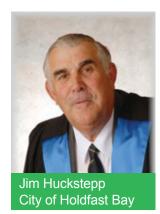


Vincent Mifsud

City of Marion







# **DEPUTY MEMBERS**









# EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT Mark Hindmarsh

The Southern Region Waste Resource Authority can look back on the 2013/14 flnancial year with the knowledge that we have achieved a lot, in tough markets and against the major economic and environmental changes affecting the waste management and recycling sectors. The Authority has tailored its strategic direction to ensure we focus our service on offering our Constituent Councils and clients' integrated and sustainable waste management solutions for the life of the Landfill and beyond.

In August 2013 I began my role with the Authority as Executive Officer. The past year has been exciting and challenging for the Authority with the completion of a number of projects and the beginning of some new ventures which will create long-term environmentally sustainable recycling and waste disposal for our Constituent Councils and customers.

2013/14 has seen the completion of the cell capping of two major areas at the Seaford Heights Landfill, with completion of capping to the Northern Area and Cell 2 sites. These areas were both planted with over 7000 native species of trees, flora and grasses, which have brought an abundant array of wildlife to these areas which play a vital role in balancing the natural ecosystem of the site.

After a top down and bottom up review across all the environmental and business sectors of the Landfill operation, in the past 12 months, we have made major changes to the way the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority is structured and operated, with the Board continuing to play a pivotal role in monitoring the management of the Authority. I would like to thank our Board for

their assistance and guidance over the past year and also to the members of our Audit Committee who also play a key role in assisting the board to fulfil its corporate governance and oversight responsibilities in relation to the Authorities flnancial reporting, internal control systems, risk management and the internal and external audit functions.

The SRWRA wishes to express its deep sadness at the sudden passing of Mr Allen Bolaffl on 1 June 2014. Allen served on the Authority's Audit Committee since its inception in 2009 as Independent Chair of the Committee. Allen showed great passion for Council and the Local Government sector generally and worked enthusiastically to improve the efficiency and sustainability of the Authority. Allen's passing is a great loss to the Local Government community in South Australia and he will be greatly missed.

The SRWRA's joint venture operation with Integrated Waste Services (IWS) has developed through 2013 with the commissioning of a recycling programme and the start of the jointly operated Southern Recycling Centre (SRC). The development application for the new recycling facility which forms part of the SRC was approved in early 2014 by City of Onkaparinga Development and Planning. The development is currently in the engineering stages, however the SRC has been able to develop the current infrastructure at the SRWRA site, to meet the criteria set out by the EPA in relation to recycling.

In 2010 in honour of the late Les Perry, the SRWRA Board approved the Les Perry Memorial Grant Programme. In 2014, 3 schools in the Constituent Council areas were awarded grants

# EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT (cont.)

# **Mark Hindmarsh**

of approximately \$500 each to focus on recycling and educating children on the importance of recycling and re-use of common household waste materials.

Over the 2013/14 flnancial period the Authority showed an operating surplus of \$1.28 million. This is a good result, built around the improvements and efficiencies gained from examples such as the new compactor commissioned in 2013 and the Landfill daily cover system, which combined have assisted in significantly increasing the compaction ratio at the site.

With the completion of some of the major works around the site and new developments, the SRWRA's dedicated team have been integral to the many efficiencies and continuous improvements across the administration and operations of the SRWRA Landfill and Recycling facility. Renewable energy and recycling are proven technologies and are integral to SRWRA's commitment and responsibilities to environmental management.

I look forward to leading the Authority through the future developments of the operation with an environmentally and fiscally responsible approach.



Capping of Cell 2



Looking across Cell 4 to the site



# ACTING LANDFILL MANAGER'S REPORT Lindsay Minchin

The major operational development factors at the SRWRA Landfill over the past 12 months have been the completion of the capping works to the Northern Area and Cell 2 Area of the site. The final stage planting of these areas took place at the end of 2013. The areas are well established now and the height of some of the plants are over a metre.



Planting at end of 2013

Over the 2013/14 period the SRWRA introduced a number of operational and environmental improvements at the Landflll, with the ethos of continuous improvement. Some examples of this were the Automatic Tarping Machine (ATM) which has seen significant improvements in the volumes of daily cover used at the site which ultimately reduces the amount of airspace consumed.

The compaction figures for 2013/14 (1.39) are very high compared to the previous year (1.15). Factors that have contributed to this high rate of compaction is the purchase of the Caterpillar 826H dedicated trash compactor and the hard work and dedication of landfill staff to achieve maximum compaction.

In late 2013 the SRWRA, in conjunction with Integrated Waste Services, introduced improvements to the site's recycling programme which has seen substantial gains in the recovery of recyclable waste destined for landfill.

Tours of the site are becoming more frequent especially during the summer months. The tours are organised by the Constituent Councils where members of the public and school children are given the opportunity to see first-hand the workings of a Landfill site. Methane gas extraction, new cell construction, capping, planting and recycling are the main topics discussed. The SRWRA is pleased to facilitate these tours and is dedicated to assisting with the educational promotion of responsible waste management within the community.



Planting mid 2014



# GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL REPORT For the year ended 30 June 2014

# General Purpose Financial Reports for the year ended 30 June 2014

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# ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

I have been authorised by the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority Board to certify the financial statements in their final form. In our opinion:

- the accompanying financial statements comply with the Local Government Act 1999, Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011 and Australian Accounting Standards.
- the financial statements present a true and fair view of the Authority's financial position at 30 June 2014 and the results of its operations and cashflows for the financial year.
- internal controls implemented by the Authority provide a reasonable assurance that the Authority's financial records are complete, accurate and reliablethroughout the financial year.

> the financial statements accurately reflect the Authority's accounting and other records.

Mark Booth

Chairman Dated the

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Mark Hindmarsh Executive Officer

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# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME for the year ended 30 June 2014

	Notes	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
INCOME		Ψ 000	ΨΟΟΟ
User charges	2	9,137	9,750
Investment income	2	645	674
Other Income	2	1,274	2,002
Net gain - equity accounted Joint Venture	15	65	
Total Income	_	11,121	12,426
EXPENSES			
Employee costs	3	1,023	1,012
Materials, contracts & other expenses	3	6,370	6,056
Depreciation, amortisation & impairment	3	2,314	2,048
Other Expenses	3	135	161
Total Expenses	_	9,842	9,277
OPERATING SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)		1,279	3,149
Net gain (loss) on disposal or revaluation of assets	4	2	47
NET SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) transfer to Equity Statement	-	1,281	3,196
Other Comprehensive Income Changes in revaluation surplus - infrastructure, property			
plant & equipment	-	(2,966)	<u>.</u>
Total Other Comprehensive Income		(2,966)	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	-	(1,685)	3,196

This Statement is to be read in conjunction with the attached Notes.

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION as at 30 June 2014

ASSETS			2014	2013
Current Assets		Notes	\$'000	\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents		5	18,049	16,574
Trade & other receivables		5	1,387	1,049
Inventories		5	.,	-
			19,436	17,623
	Total Current Assets	-	19,436	17,623
Non-current Assets				
Equity Accounted Joint Ventu	ira	16	G.E.	
Infrastructure, Property, Plan		6	65 17,100	20,902
doi: doi: doi: 1. Topo: ty, 1. tati	Total Non-current Assets	٠ -	17,165	20,902
Total Assets	. 5 (4) (10) (6) (6) (7) (7)		36,601	38,525
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LIABILITIES				
Current Liabilities				
Trade & Other Payables		7	1,686	1,236
Provisions		7	897	2,120
		_	2,583	3,356
	Total Current Liabilities	-	2,583	3,356
Non-current Liabilities				
Provisions		-	40.000	40.000
FIOVISIONS	Total Non-current Liabilities	7	19,882	19,098
Total Liabilities	Total Non-Current Liabilities	-	19,882 22,465	19,098
NET ASSETS		_	14,136	22,454 16,071
		-	14,130	10,071
EQUITY				
Accumulated Surplus			14,136	12,593
Asset Revaluation Reserve		8	-	2,966
Other Reserves		8	-	512
TOTAL EQUITY		_	14,136	16,071

This Statement is to be read in conjunction with the attached Notes.

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY for the year ended 30 June 2014

2014	Notes	Accumulated Surplus	Asset Revaluation Reserve	Other Reserves	TOTAL EQUITY
Balance at end of previous reporting period		12,593	2,966	512	16,071
Adjustments due to compliance with revised Accounting Standards		*	-	-	-
Adjustments to give effect to changed accounting policies		•		-	
Restated Opening Balance		12,593	2,966	512	16,071
Net Surplus/ (Deficit) for Year Other Comprehensive Income		1,281			1,281
Gain on revaluation of infrastructure, property, plant & equipment		-	(2,966)	-	(2,966)
Transfers between reserves Distributions to Member Councils		512 (250)	-	(512)	- (250)
Balance at end of period		14,136	•	•	14,136
2013	Notes	Accumulated Surplus	Asset Revaluation Reserve	Other Reserves	TOTAL EQUITY
Balance at end of previous reporting period	Noles		Revaluation	* ****	
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# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

for the year ended 30 June 2014

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Receipts	Notes	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
Operating receipts Investment receipts Payments		10,132 642	10,627 685
Operating payments to suppliers & employees Finance payments	-	(8,252)	(8,608)
Net Cash provided by (or used in) Operating Activities	9 (b)	2,522	2,704
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Receipts			
Sale of surplus assets Net disposal of investment securities Payments		43 -	384 -
Expenditure on renewal/replacement of assets Expenditure on new/upgraded assets Purchase of Investments		(8) (832)	(19) (1,227) 
Net Cash provided by (or used in) Investing Activities		(797)	(862)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Payments			
Distributions Paid to Constituent Councils		(250)	
Net Cash provided by (or used in) Financing Activities		(250)	
Net Increase (Decrease) in cash held		1,475	1,842
Cash & cash equivalents at beginning of period Cash & cash equivalents at end of period	9 (a)	16,574 18,049	14,732 16,574

This Statement is to be read in conjunction with the attached Notes

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

### Note 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial report are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

### 1 Basis of Preparation

1.1 Compliance with Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards
This general purpose financial report has been prepared in accordance with Australian equivalents to
International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS) as they apply to not-for-profit entities, other
authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB), Urgent Issues
Group Interpretations (UIGs) and relevant South Australian legislation.

The Authority is a Local Government Authority Section 43 Regional Subsidiary under the control of City of Onkaparinga, City of Marion and the City of Holdfast Bay.

### 1.2 Historical Cost Convention

Except where stated below, these financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention.

# 1.3 Critical Accounting Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with AIFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates, and requires management to exercise its judgement in applying the Authority's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are specifically referred to in the relevant sections of this Note.

### 1.4 Rounding

All amounts in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars (\$'000).

# 2 The Local Government Reporting Entity

Southern Region Waste Resource Authority operates as a regional subsidiary pursuant to Section 43 of the SA Local Government Act 1999 and Section 25 of the Local Government Implementation Act, and has its principal place of business at 282 Main South Road, Morphett Vale SA 5162. These financial statements have been prepared for use by the Constituent Councils of the Authority.

### 3 Income recognition

Income is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Income is recognised when the Authority obtains control over the assets comprising the income, or when the amount due constitutes an enforceable debt, whichever first occurs.

# 4 Cash, Cash Equivalents and other Financial Instruments

Cash Assets include all amounts readily convertible to cash on hand at the Authority's option with an insignificant risk of changes in value with a maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

Receivables are generally unsecured and do not bear interest.

All receivables are reviewed as at the reporting date and adequate allowance made for amounts the receipt of which is considered doubtful.

All financial instruments are recognised at fair value at the date of recognition. A detailed statement of the accounting policies applied to financial instruments forms part of Note 10.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

Note 1 - Significant Accounting Policies (cont)

# 5 Infrastructure, Property, Plant & Equipment

All non-current assets purchased or constructed are capitalised as the expenditure is incurred and depreciated as soon as the asset is held "ready for use".

### 5.1 Initial Recognition

All assets are initially recognised at cost. Cost is determined as the fair value of the assets given as consideration plus costs incidental to the acquisition, including architects' fees and engineering design fees and all other costs incurred. For assets acquired at no cost or for nominal consideration, cost is determined as fair value at the date of acquisition. The cost of non-current assets constructed by the Authority includes the cost of all materials used in construction, direct labour on the project and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overhead.

Capital works still in progress at balance date are recognised as other non-current assets and transferred to infrastructure, property, plant & equipment when completed ready for use.

### 5.2 Materiality

Assets with an economic life in excess of one year are only capitalised where the cost of acquisition exceeds materiality thresholds established by Authority for each type of asset. In determining (and in annually reviewing) such thresholds, regard is had to the nature of the asset and its estimated service life. No capitalisation threshold is applied to the acquisition of land or interests in land.

Capitalisation threshold applied of \$1,000 for all asset classes. Any purchases greater than this amount are capitalised and depreciated on the Authority's asset register.

## 5.3 Subsequent Recognition

Certain asset classes are revalued on a regular basis such that the carrying values are not materially different from fair value. For infrastructure and other asset classes where no active market exists, fair value is determined to be the current replacement cost of an asset less, where applicable, accumulated depreciation calculated on the basis of such cost to reflect the already consumed or expired future economic benefits of the asset. Further detail of existing valuations, methods and valuers are provided at Note 5.

# 5.4 Depreciation of Non-Current Assets

Other than land, all infrastructure, property, plant and equipment assets recognised are systematically depreciated over their useful lives in a manner which reflects the consumption of the service potential embodied in those assets.

Depreciation is recognised on a straight-line basis. Major depreciation periods for each class of asset are shown below. Depreciation on Landfill Construction assets are amortised proportionately to the rate of filling based upon the projected remaining airspace of landfill cells as at the beginning of the reporting period. The Authority annually assesses the remaining airspace of landfill cells and accordingly, depreciation and amortisation rates are adjusted to reflect these estimates. Depreciation periods for infrastructure assets have been estimated based on the best information available to the Authority, but appropriate records covering the entire life cycle of these assets are not available, and extreme care should be used in interpreting financial information based on these estimates.

Plant, Furniture & Equipment

Buildings

Infrastructure:

Waste Facility
Landfill Construction

5 to 10 years 50 years

10 to 15 years

Amortised proportionately to rate of filling

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

Note 1 - Significant Accounting Policies (cont)

### 5.5 Impairment

Assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to depreciation and are reviewed annually for impairment. Assets that are subject to depreciation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount (which is the higher of the present value of future cash outflows or value in use).

For assets whose future economic benefits are not dependent on the ability to generate cash flows, and where the future economic benefits would be replaced if the Authority were deprived thereof, the value in use is the depreciated replacement cost. In assessing impairment for these assets, a rebuttable assumption is made that the current replacement cost exceeds the original cost of acquisition.

### 6 Pavables

### 6.1 Goods & Services

Creditors are amounts due to external parties for the supply of goods and services and are recognised as liabilities when the goods and services are received. Creditors are normally paid 30 days after the month of invoice. No interest is payable on these amounts,

### 7 Employee Benefits

### 7.1 Salaries, Wages & Compensated Absences

Liabilities for employees' entitlements to salaries, wages and compensated absences expected to be paid or settled within 12 months of reporting date are accrued at nominal amounts (including payroll based oncosts) measured in accordance with AASB 119.

Liabilities for employee benefits not expected to be paid or settled within 12 months are measured as the present value of the estimated future cash outflows (including payroll based oncosts) to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date. Present values are calculated using government guaranteed securities rates with similar maturity terms.

An accrual is recognised for sick leave only to Landfill employees and is recognised once staff accrue 3 weeks worth of entitlements. Any liability is payable annually upon request. For all other employees, no accrual is made for sick leave as the Authority's experience indicates that, on average, sick leave taken in each reporting period is less than the entitlement accruing in that period, and this experience is expected to recur in future reporting periods.

The Authority recognises all presently entitled liabilities as current liabilities regardless of whether it is expected to be paid within the preceding 12 months of reporting date.

## 7.2 Superannuation

The Authority makes employer superannuation contributions in respect of its employees to the Local Government Superannuation Scheme. The Scheme has two types of membership, each of which is funded differently.

### Accumulation Fund Members

Accumulation fund members receive both employer and employee contributions on a progressive basis. Employer contributions are normally based on a fixed percentage of employee earnings in accordance with Superannuation Guarantee Legislation (9.25% in 2013/14; 9% in 2012/13). No further liability accrues to the employer as the superannuation benefits accruing to employees are represented by their share of the net assets of the Fund.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

Note 1 - Significant Accounting Policies (cont)

### 7.2 Superannuation (Cont.)

**Defined Benefit Members** 

Defined benefit scheme is where the benefit payable is based on a formula determined by the member's contribution rate, number of years of contribution and final average salary. The Authority makes employer contributions as determined by the scheme's Trustee based on advice from the Scheme's Actuarial. The most recent full actuarial investigation conducted by the Scheme's actuary, A C Miller, FIAA, of Russell Employee Benefits Pty Ltd as at 30 June 2011. The Trustee has determined that the current funding arrangements are adequate for the expected Salarylink liabilities. However, future financial and economic circumstances may require changes to the Authority's contribution rates at some future time.

The Authority also makes contributions to other superannuation schemes selected by employees under the 'choice of fund' legislation. All such schemes are of the accumulation type, where the superannuation benefits accruing to the employee are represented by their share of the new assets of the scheme, and no further liability attaches to the Authority.

### 8 Rehabilitation

Expenditures relating to ongoing rehabilitation and restoration reduce any provision previously established.

The Authority annually monitors the liability recorded for landfill rehabilitation and restoration estimates and makes adjustments to the liability as required to ensure an accurate projected cost of the liability is showing in the balance sheet. The Authority will be undertaking further detailed reviews of all rehabilitation and restoration liability costs in future years with the assistance of external consultants to ensure all projected costs have been independently verified.

### 9 Leases

Lease arrangements have been accounted for in accordance with AASB 117.

In respect of finance leases, where the Authority substantially carries all the risks incident to ownership, the leased items are initially recognised as assets and liabilities equal in amount to the present value of the minimum lease payments. The assets are disclosed as assets under lease, and are amortised to expense over the period during which the Authority is expected to benefit from the use of the leased assets. Lease payments are allocated between interest expense and reduction of the lease liability, according to the interest rate implicit in the lease.

In respect of operating leases, where the lessor substantially retains all of the risks and benefits incident to ownership of the leased items, lease payments are charged to expense over the lease term.

### 10 Inventory

Inventory held by the Authority reflect materials stored on site which have either been purchased or gifted which will be used for future Cell and Capping construction works to be undertaken in future years.

### 11 GST Implications

In accordance with UIG Abstract 1031 "Accounting for the Goods & Services Tax". Receivables and Creditors include GST receivable and payable. Except in relation to input taxed activities, revenues and operating expenditures exclude GST receivable and payable. Non-current assets and capital expenditures include GST net of any recoupment.

Amounts included in the Statement of Cash Flows are disclosed on a gross basis.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

Note 1 - Significant Accounting Policies (cont)

### 12 Comparative Information

Comparative information has been reclassified to be consistent with the current year disclosure of equivalent information in accordance with AIFRS.

Annual Leave has this year been disclosed under Provisions for the first time due to the new requirements under AASB 119. In previous year, Annual Leave has been disclosed under Trade & Other Payables. Comparative information has been amended for comparability purposes and this has resulted in no change in the comparative financial position of performance of the Authority.

# 13 New Accounting Standards

Certain new accounting standards and UIG interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for the 30 June 2014 reporting period and have not been used in preparing these reports.

The Authority is of the view that none of the new standards or interpretations will affect any of the amounts recognised in the financial statements, but that they may impact certain information otherwise disclosed.

# 14 Valuation of Land and Building Assets

Land and Building assets held by the Authority were valued by Opteon (South Australia) Pty Ltd with an effective valuation date of 30 June 2014 applied for financial reporting purposes. Assets were valued to their market value based on the current zoning of the Onkaparinga Council Development Plan and Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) constraints and assessed market values based on highest and best use.

As a result of the valuation performed, the Authority recorded an impairment of \$3.495 million and has been reflected in Note 6 under 'Impairment' and 'Revaluation Movement' columns.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 2 - INCOME

USER CHARGES	Notes	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
Landfill Operations	 	9,137 9,137	9,750 9,750
INVESTMENT INCOME Interest on investments			
Local Government Finance Authority		587	624
Banks & other		45	43
Investment property rental income		13	7
	-	645	674
OTHER INCOME			
Movement in Landfill Capping Liabilities		865	2,002
Southern Recycling Centre		409	•
	_	1,274	2,002

During the 2013/14 financial year, the Authority completed rehabilitation works for the Northern Area Capping project. A reduction in the liability was recorded as the cost of the project was less than originally estimated. This reduction in liability is a non-cash transaction reflected in Other Income.

Note 3	- [	EXP	EN	SES
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Note 3 - EXPENSES		
EMPLOYEE COSTS Salaries and Wages Employee leave expense Superannuation Workers' Compensation Insurance Less: Capitalised and distributed costs Total Operating Employee Costs  Total Number of Employees	1,059 (116) 90 14 (24) 1,023	914 30 84 45 (61) 1,012
(Full time equivalent at end of reporting period)		
MATERIALS, CONTRACTS & OTHER EXPENSES  Prescribed Expenses  Auditor's Remuneration  - Auditing the financial reports  - Other Services	17	17
Board Expenses	35	23
·		
Operating Lease Rentals - cancellable leases	27	28
Subtotal - Prescribed Expenses	79	68_
Other Materials, Contracts & Expenses		
Contractors	292	464
Fuel	201	183
Equipment Hire	7	19
Maintenance	289	330
Legal Expenses	66	20
Levies paid- EPA Levy		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4,653	4,735
Professional services	30	34
Southern Recycling Centre	484	-
Sundry	269	203
Subtotal - Other Materials, Contracts & Expenses	6,291	5,988
	6,370	6,056
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# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

Note 3 -	EXPENSES (	(cont)
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Note 3 - EXPENSES (cont)			
	Notes	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
DEPRECIATION, AMORTISATION & IMPAIRMENT			
Depreciation			
Landfill Construction		1,357	1,648
Buildings & Waste Facility		20	22
Plant & Equipment		408	378
Impairment	6	529 2,314	2,048
	*****	2,314	2,040
OTHER EXPENSES			
Transfer to Provision for Cell 2 Capping		30	100
Transfer to Provision of Cell 3-1 & 3-2 Capping	_	105	61
	_	135	161
Note 4 - ASSET DISPOSAL & FAIR	R VALU	E ADJUSTMEN	ITS
		_ ,	
INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMEN	NT		
Assets renewed or directly replaced Proceeds from disposal		43	384
Less: Carrying amount of assets sold		41	337
Gain (Loss) on disposal	_	2	47
NET GAIN (LOSS) ON DISPOSAL OR REVALUATION	power		
OF ASSETS	_	2	47
Note 5 - CURRENT	ASSET	·s	
CASH & EQUIVALENT ASSETS			
Cash on Hand and at Bank		820	1,432
Deposits at Call		-	· -
Short Term Deposits & Bills, etc		17,229	15,142_
	-	18,049	16,574
TRADE & ATUER REACTIVARIES			
TRADE & OTHER RECEIVABLES Accrued Revenues		24	21
Debtors - general		1,218	932
Prepayments		145	96
Total	_	1,387	1,049
Less: Allowance for Doubtful Debts			-
	_	1,387	1,049
INVENTORIES			
Stores & Materials		-	-
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# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

		CARRYING AMOUNT		1,427	560		40	32	20	17	44	2,047	26	18		,	1	441	140	2,523	2,253	4,278	3,264	17,100		20,902	
	14	ACCUM DEP'N		ŧ	t		(19)	(62)	(48)	(8)	(23)	(2,285)	(2)	(137)		(5,293)	(828)	(3,264)	(889)	(828)	(828)	(1,088)	(2,227)	(17,658)		(15,923)	
	2014 \$1000	AT COST	AENT	t	1		29	11	89	25	29	4,332	3	155		5,293	828	3,705	728	3,461	3,081	5,366	5,491	32,771		32,177	
		AT FAIR VALUE	' & EQUIPMENT	1,427	260		•	•	•	•	•	,	1	1		,	1	1	•	,	,	,	•	1,987		4,648	:
:		CARRYING AMOUNT	PROPERTY, PLANT	4,648	9/		17	38	23	17	46	2,427	78	28		r	•	441	=======================================	2,832	2,473	4,324	3,323	20,902		17,903	
	13 30	ACCUM DEP'N		1	(36)		(12)	(73)	(45)	(8)	(21)	(1,899)	(8)	(124)		(5,293)	(828)	(3,264)	(588)	(999)	(487)	(729)	(1,952)	(15,923)		(14,315)	
•	2013	AT COST	INFRASTRUCTURE,	ı	112		53	77	89	25	29	4,326	98	152		5,293	828	3,705	669	3,388	2,960	5,053	5,275	32,177		27,570	
		AT FAIR VALUE	1	4,648	ı		1	t	,	ı	ŧ	t	ι	t		1	•	1	1	1	1	ı	1	4,648	`	4,648	
			Note 6 -	Land	Buildings	Waste Facility:	Fencing	Concrete Slab	Oil Transfer Facility	Shed	Depot	Plant & Equipment	Motor Vehicles	Office Equipment	Landfill Construction:	Landfill Cell 3-1 & 3-2	Landfill Cell's 3-1 & 3-2 Capping	Cell 3-3 & 3-4 (Lower)	Cell 3-3 & 3-4 (Lower) Capping	Cell 4	Cell 4 (Capping)	Site Rehabilitation	Future Restoration Costs	TOTAL INFRASTRUCTURE,	PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT	Comparatives	This Note continues on the following pages.

This Note continues on the following pages.

SOUTHERN REGION WASTE RESOURCE AUTHORITY	NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	for the year ended 30 June 2014
SOUTH	NOTES	

	2013	CA	RRYING AMOL	INT MOVEMEN	CARRYING AMOUNT MOVEMENTS DURING YEAR	AR			2014
	\$,000			\$,000					\$,000
	CARRYING	Addi	Additions	Disposals	Denreciation	Impairment	Transfers	Revaluation	CARRYING
	AMOUNT	Capital	Renewals					Movement	AMOUNT
	Note 6 - IN	FRASTRU	CTURE, PF	ROPERTY, I	INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT	UIPMENT			
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Land	4,548	202	•	•	,	(250)	ה ה	(+10,0)	74.
Buildings	92	197	•	•	(2)	ı	(69)	348	260
Waste Facility:									
Fencing	17	,	•	•	8	1	t	1	10
Concrete Slab	38	•	•	1	(9)	1	ſ	•	32
Oil Transfer Facility	23	1	ı	•	ල	ı	ŧ	1	20
Shed	17	ı	ι	ı	1	,	1	•	17
Depot	46	•	ı	ı	(2)	1	1	r	44
Plant & Equipment	2,427	1	9	•	(386)	ı	•	,	2,047
Motor Vehicles	78	•	1	(42)	(10)		1	1	26
Office Equipment	28	ı	2	,	(12)	•	1	1	18
Landfill Construction:	******								
Landfill Cell 3-1 & 3-2	ı	1	•	•	1	ı	t	1	•
Landfill Cell's 3-1 & 3-2 Capping	(	r	•	•	ı	•	ı	ı	ı
Cell 3-3 & 3-4 (Lower)	441	1	1	•	,	ı	t	,	441
Cell 3-3 & 3-4 (Lower) Capping	111	29	•	1	3	ı	,	1	140
Cell 4	2,832	73	•	1	(382)	ı	,	ı	2,523
Cell 4 (Capping)	2,473	121	r	1	(341)	1	ı	t	2,253
Site Rehabilitation	4,324	313	•	•	(328)	1	t	1	4,278
Future Restoration Costs	3,323	216	•	ı	(275)	I	,	ı	3,264
FOLIT CAST AND A CT LAND									
PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT	20'802	1,512	æ	(42)	(1,785)	(529)	1	(2,966)	17,100
Comparatives	4,648	5,412	19	(384)	(2,048)	•	•	ŧ	20,902
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# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 7 - LIABILITIES

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			)14	2013		
		\$'(	000	\$'0	00	
TRADE & OTHER PAYABLES	Notes	Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current	
Goods & Services		1,466	•	1,098	-	
Accrued expenses - other		220		138	-	
	-	1,686	*	1,236	<u> </u>	
PROVISIONS						
Annual Leave		87	-	139		
Long Service Leave		42	9	107	9	
Northern Area Rehabilitation		•	•	936	<b>.</b>	
Cell 2 Capping		768	-	938	_	
Post Closure Site Rehabilitation		-	7,930		7,617	
Cell Capping - 3-1 & 3-2		-	2,643	-	2,538	
Cell Capping - 3-3 & 3-4 (Lower)		-	728	-	699	
Cell 4 Capping		-	3,081	-	2,960	
Future Restoration Costs Capitalised		-	5,491	_	5,275	
		897	19,882	2,120	19,098	
Movements in Provisions - 2014 year only (current & non-current)		Opening Balance	Additional Amounts Recognisadl (Derecognised)	Payments	Closing Balance	
Northern Area Rehabilitation		936	(865)	(71)		
Cell 2 Capping		938	30	(200)	768	
Post Closure Site Rehabilitation		7,617	313	-	7,930	
Cell Capping -3-1 & 3-2		2,538	105	-	2,643	
Cell Capping - 3-3 & 3-4 (Lower)		699	29	-	728	
Cell 4 Capping		2,960	121	-	3,081	
Future Restoration Costs Capitalised	_	5,275	216		5,491	
Total	•	20,963	(51)	(271)	20,641	

# Note 8 - RESERVES

OTHER RESERVES	1/07/2013	Transfers to Reserve	Transfers from 30/06/2014 Reserve
Asset Revaluation Reserve	2,966	-	(2,966) -
Waste Management Fund	512	-	(512) -
TOTAL OTHER RESERVES	3,478		(3,478)
Comparatives Totals	3,478	-	- 3,478

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 9 - RECONCILIATION OF CASH FLOW STATEMENT

# (a) Reconciliation of Cash

Cash Assets comprise highly liquid investments with short periods to maturity subject to insignificant risk of changes of value. Cash at the end of the reporting period as shown in the Cash Flow Statement is reconciled to the related items in the Statement of Financial Position as follows:

Total cash & equivalent assets Less: Short-term borrowings	Notes 5	2014 \$'000 18,049	2013 \$'000 16,574
Balances per Cash Flow Statement		18,049	16,574
(b) Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets to Cash from Operating Activities			
Net Surplus (Deficit) Non-cash items in Income Statement		1,281	3,196
Depreciation, amortisation & impairment Net (Gain) Loss on Disposals		2,314 (2)	2,048 (47)
Add (Logg): Changes in Mat Compat Assats	·	3,593	5,197
Add (Less): Changes in Net Current Assets Net (increase) decrease in receivables Net (increase) decrease in inventories Net (increase) decrease in other current assets		(338) - -	(125) 278
Net increase (decrease) in trade & other payables		398	366
Net increase (decrease) in other provisions  Net Cash provided by (or used in) operations		(1,131) 2,522	(3,012) 2,704
(c) Non-Cash Financing and Investing Activities			
Acquisition of assets by means of:			
<ul> <li>Physical resources received free of charge</li> <li>Non-cash grants &amp; contributions</li> </ul>		•	-
Amounts recognised in Income Statement - Finance Leases	<b>,</b>	*	-
		h+	_
(d) Financing Arrangements			
Unrestricted access was available at balance date to the fo Corporate Credit Cards	ollowing	lines of credit: 18	18
The Authority has no bank overdraft facility.			

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

### Note 10 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

### Recognised Financial Instruments

Bank, Deposits at Call, Short Term Deposits	Accounting Policy: Carried at lower of cost and net realisable value; Interest is recognised when earned.
	Terms & conditions: Deposits are returning fixed interest rates of 3 - 4% (2013: 3.5 - 4.25%). Short term deposits have an average maturity of 90 days (2013: 90 days).
	Carrying amount: approximates fair value due to the short term to maturity.
Receivables - Gate Fees & Associated Charges	Accounting Policy: Carried at nominal values less any allowance for doubtful debts. An allowance for doubtful debts is recognised (and re-assessed annually) when collection in full is no longer probable.
	Carrying amount: approximates fair value (after deduction of any allowance).
Liabilities - Creditors and Accruals	Accounting Policy: Liabilities are recognised for amounts to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the Authority.
	Terms & conditions: Liablilles are normally settled on 30 day terms.
	Carrying amount: approximates fair value,

### Net Fair Value

All carrying values approximate fair value for all recognised financial instruments. There is no recognised market for the financial assets of the Authority.

### Risk Exposures

<u>Credit Risk</u> represents the loss that would be recognised if counterparties fail to perform as contracted. The maximum credit risk on financial assets of the Authority is the carrying amount, net of any provision for doubtful debts. All investments are made with the SA Local Government Finance Authority and the ANZ Bank. There is no material exposure to any individual debtor.

Market Risk is the risk that fair values of financial assets will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices. All of the Authority's financial assets are denominated in Australian dollars and are not traded on any market, and hence neither market risk nor <u>currency risk</u> apply.

<u>Liquidity Risk</u> is the risk that the Authority will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations with financial liabilities. In accordance with the model Treasury Policy (LGA Information Paper 15), liabilities have a range of maturity dates based on cash inflows.

Interest Rate Risk is the risk that future cash flows will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. Most of the Authority's financial instruments are at fixed rates. Any such variations in future cash flows will not be material in effect on either the Authority's incomes or expenditures.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 10 (cont) - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

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Liquidity Analysis							
	Floating	Fixed	interest ma	aturing in		Non-	
2014	Interest	≤ 1 year	> 1 year	> 5 years		interest	Total
	Rate		< 5 years	-		bearing	
Financial Assets	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000	\$'000
Fair Value through P&L			*	*		7 - 7 - 7	****
Cash Assets	820	17,229		•		<b></b>	18,049
Loans & Receivables							,
Receivables	-	-		<del></del>		1,387	1,387
Total -	820	17,229			_	1,387	19,436
Weighted Average Interest Rate	3.00%	4.00%				.,	
Financial Liabilities							
Payables	-	-		-		1,686	1,686
, Total	-	#			-	1,686	1,686
-							.,
EXCESS OF FINANCIAL							
ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES	820	17,229		-	•	(299)	17,750
•				***********			
	Floating	Fixed	interest ma	aturing in		Non-	
2013	Interest	≤ 1 year	> 1 year	> 5 years		interest	Total
	Rate		≤ 5 years	-		bearing	
Financial Assets	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000	\$'000
Fair Value through P&L							
Cash Assets	1,432	15,142		-		-	16,574
Loans & Receivables							-
Luans & Receivables							
Receivables		-				1,049	1,049
	1,432		·····		-	1,049 1,049	****
Receivables	1,432 3.50%	15,142 4.25%	······				****
Receivables Total				-	-		****
Receivables Total _ Weighted Average Interest Rate			***************************************	-	-		17,623
Receivables Total Weighted Average Interest Rate Financial Llabilities				-	-	1,049	17,623 1,236
Receivables Total Weighted Average Interest Rate Financial Llabilities Payables Total				<u>-</u>	-	1,049 1,236	17,623 1,236
Receivables Total Weighted Average Interest Rate Financial Llabilities Payables				<u>-</u>	-	1,049 1,236	1,049 17,623 1,236 1,236

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 11 - COMMITMENTS FOR EXPENDITURE

Capital Commitments	Notes	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
Capital expenditure committed for at the reporting of statements as liabilities:	late but	not recognised in	the financial
Resource Recovery Facility		1,900	1,900
Administration Office Construction Plant & Equipment		300 -	300
		2,200	2,200
These expenditures are payable: Not later than one year		2,200	2,200
Later than one year and not later than 5 years		2,200	2,200
Later than 5 years	_		_
		2,200	2,200
Other Expenditure Commitments			
Other expenditure committed for (excluding inventories) the financial statements as liabilities:	at the re	porting date but not	recognised in
Audit Services		18	29
	•	18	29
These expenditures are payable:	•		
Not later than one year		18	17
Later than one year and not later than 5 years Later than 5 years		-	12
Later than o years	•	18	29

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 12 - UNIFORM PRESENTATION OF FINANCES

The following is a high level summary of both operating and capital investment activities of the Authority prepared on a uniform and consistent basis. The uniform presentation represents a simplified version of reporting under the Government Finance Statistics (GFS) framework of the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

All Councils in South Australia voluntarily have agreed to summarise annual budgets and long-term financial plans on the same basis.

The arrangements ensure that all Councils provide a common 'core' of financial information, which enables meaningful comparisons of each Council's finances.

	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
Operating Revenues less Operating Expenses Operating Surplus / (Deficit)	11,121 (9,842) 1,279	12,426 (9,277) 3,149
less Net Outlays on Existing Assets Capital Expenditure on renewal and replacement of Existing Assets less Depreciation, Amortisation, Impairment and Movement in Landfill Provisions less Proceeds from Sale of Replaced Assets	(2,449) 	(2,209) - (2,190)
less Net Outlays on New and Upgraded Assets Capital Expenditure on New and Upgraded Assets (including investment property & real estate developments) less Amounts received specifically for New and Upgraded Assets less Proceeds from Sale of Surplus Assets	832 - (43)	1,227
Net Lending / (Borrowing) for Financial Year	2,931	4,496

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 13 - OPERATING LEASES

# Lease payment commitments of the Authority

The Authority has entered into non-cancellable operating leases for the office building premises it currently occupies.

No contingent rentals were paid during the current or previous reporting periods.

No lease imposes any additional restrictions on Authority in relation to additional debt or further leasing.

No lease contains any escalation clause.

Commitments under non-cancellable operating leases that have not been recognised in the financial statements are as follows:

	2014	2013
	\$'000	\$'000
Not later than one year	16	14
Later than one year and not later than 5 years	•	-
Later than 5 years		-
	16	14

# Note 14 - EVENTS OCCURRING AFTER REPORTING DATE

There were no events subsequent to 30 June 2014 that need to be disclosed in the financial statements.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 15 - CONTINGENCIES & ASSETS & LIABILITIES NOT RECOGNISED IN THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFROMANCE

The following assets and liabilities do not qualify for recognition in the Balance Sheet but knowledge of those items is considered relevant to users of the financial report in making and evaluating decisions about the allocation of scarce resources.

### 1. POTENTIAL INSURANCE LOSSES

The Authority insures against all known insurable risks using a range of insurance policies, each of which is subject to a deductible "insurance excess", the amount of which varies according to the class of insurance.

The Authority has recognised the potential losses arising from claims known at reporting date based on average historical net cost (including insurance excess) of similar types of claims. Other potential claims not reported to the Authority may have existed at reporting date.

### 2. LEGAL EXPENSES

All known costs have been recognised.

# 3. "CARBON" TAX

From 1 July 2012 a new tax on emissions of certain 'greenhouse' gases commenced operation. The Authority operates a landfill facility which emits, and will continue to emit gases of this type. Information currently available provides assurances that 'legacy emissions' from garbage placed in landfills prior to the commencement of the tax will not become liable to the tax.

As at the time of preparing the Financial Statements, the Carbon Tax was abolished on 17 July 2014 with it being effective as from 1 July 2014. As greenhouse emissions from the landfill site prior to 1 July 2014 did not exceed minimum levels to cause the Authority to be liable to pay a tax, there is therefore no liability for this tax to be recorded.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 16 - EQUITY ACCOUNTED JOINT VENTURE

# Southern Recycling Centre (SRC)

The Authority has enetered into a joint venture arrangement with Integrated Waste Services Pty Ltd to operate the Southern Recycling Centre located on the Authroity's landfill site. This operating commenced in October 2013.

	2014 \$'000	2013 \$'000
The Authority's resepctive Interests are:	4 4 4 4 4	Ψ 000
- interest in operating result:	50%	-
- ownership of equity	50%	-
the proportion of voting power	50%	<u>.</u>
Movement in Investment in Joint Operation:		
Opening Balance	•	-
New Capital Contributions	•	-
Share in Operating Result	65	_
Distributions Received	-	•
Share in Equity of Joint Operation	65	-

# **Expenditure Commitments**

There were no expenditure commitments at reporting date that required to be recognised in the financial statements.

# **Contingent Liabilities**

There were no contingent liabilities at reporting date that required to be recognised in the financial statements.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 17 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The Authority measures and recognises the following assets at fair value on a recurring basis after initial recognition:

Land assets.

The Authority does not subsequently measure any liabilities at fair value on a recurring basis, or any assets or liabilities at fair value on a non-recurring basis.

### Fair value hierarchy

AASB 13: Fair Value Measurement requires the disclosure of fair value information according to the relevant level in the fair value hierarchy. This hierarchy categorises fair value measurements into one of three possible levels based on the lowest level that a significant input can be categorised into. The levels are outlined below:

> Level 1 Level 2

Measurements based on quoted Measurements based on inputs Measurements based on prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date

other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The fair value of assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market is determined using one or more valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise, to the extent possible, the use of observable market data. If all significant inputs required to measure fair value are observable, the asset or liability is included in Level 2. If one or more significant inputs are not based on observable market data, the asset or liability is included in Level 3.

# Valuation techniques

The Authority selects valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available to measure fair value. The availability of sufficient and relevant data primarily depends on the specific characteristics of the asset or liability being measured. The valuation techniques selected by the association are consistent with one or more of the following valuation approaches:

- Market approach: uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or similar assets or liabilities.
- Income approach; converts estimated future cash flows or income and expenses into a single current (i.e. discounted) value.
- Cost approach: reflects the current replacement cost of an asset at its current service capacity.

Each valuation technique requires inputs that reflect the assumptions that buyers and sellers would use when pricing the asset or liability, including assumptions about risks. When selecting a valuation technique, the Authority gives priority to those techniques that maximise the use of observable inputs and minimise the use of unobservable inputs. Inputs that are developed using market data (such as publicly available information on actual transactions) and reflect the assumptions that buyers and sellers would generally use when pricing the asset or liability are considered observable, whereas inputs for which market data are not available and therefore are developed using the best information available about such assumptions are considered unobservable.

# NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2014

# Note 17 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Cont.)

The following tables provide the fair values of the Authority's assets measured and recognised on a recurring basis after initial recognition, categorised within the fair value hierarchy.

	Note	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
2014		\$	\$	\$	\$
Recurring fair value measurements					
Infrastructure, Property, Plant & Equipment					
- Land	6		1,427		1,427
- Buildings	6	-	560	-	560
Total financial assets recognised at fair value			1,987	-	1,987
2013					
Recurring fair value measurements					
Infrastructure, Property, Plant & Equipment					
- Land	6		4,648		4,648
- Buildings	6		. 76		76
Total financial assets recognised at					
fair value			4,724	•	4,724

# (b) Disclosed fair value measurements

The following table provides the level of the fair value hierarchy within which the disclosed fair value measurements are categorised in their entirety and a description of the valuation technique(s) and inputs used.

	Fair Value Hierarchy Level	Valuation Technique	Inputs Used
There has been no change in the valuation technique(s) used to calculate the fair values disclosed in the financial statements.	2	Market Value	Observable sales of similar properties – both vacant land and land with improvements



# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SOUTHERN REGION WASTE RESOURCE AUTHORITY

### **Report on the Financial Report**

We have audited the accompanying financial report of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority ("the Authority"), which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2014 and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the statement by the Executive Officer.

### **Board's Responsibility for the Financial Report**

The Board of the Authority are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Local Government Act 1999 and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1999. Financial reporting requirements of the company's constitution and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In Note 1, the Board also state, in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements, that the financial statements comply with the Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS).

# **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Independence**

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian professional ethical pronouncements and the requirements of the Local Government Act 1999 and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1999 made under that Act.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF **SOUTHERN REGION WASTE RESOURCE AUTHORITY (CONT)**

### **Auditor's Opinion**

### In our opinion:

- (a) (i) the financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority as at 30 June 2014, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the financial year then ended; and
  - (ii) complies with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Local Government Act 1999 and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1999; and
- the financial report also complies with Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in Note 1.

We have obtained all of the information and explanations required from the Authority.

**Noel Clifford** Partner

**Edwards Marshall Chartered Accountants** 

4 September 2014



# SOUTHERN REGION WASTE RESOURCE AUTHORITY **ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2014 STATEMENT BY AUDITOR

I confirm that, for the audit of the financial statements of Southern Region Waste Resource Authority for the year ended 30 June 2014, I have maintained my independence in accordance with the requirements of APES 110 - Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, Section 290, published by the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board, in accordance with the Local Government Act 1999 and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1999 made under that Act.

This statement is prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Regulation 16A (4) Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1999.

**Noel Clifford** Partner

**Edwards Marshall Chartered Accountants** 

Adelaide South Australia

3 September 2014

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# Southern Region Waste Resource Authority Board Chair – Auditor Independence

I, Mark Booth, the person occupying the position of Chair of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority's Board, do hereby certify (for the purposes of Regulation 22 (3) of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011), that the auditor of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority, Edwards Marshall, has not been engaged by the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority to provide services to the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority outside of the scope of the audit functions under the Local Government, Act 1999.

Mark Booth

Chair

Southern Region Waste Resource Authority Board

19/8/14

Dated



# Chief Executive Officer's Certificate of Compliance – Auditor Independence Southern Region Waste Resource Authority

I, Mark Dowd, the person for the time being occupying the position of Chief Executive Officer of the City of Onkaparinga, being a Constituent Council of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority, do hereby certify (for the purposes of Regulation 22 (3) of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011), that the auditor of the subsidiary, Edwards Marshall, has not been engaged by the subsidiary to provide services to the subsidiary outside of the scope of the audit functions under the Local Government Act 1999.

13 / 08 / 2013

Mark Dowd
Chief Executive Officer
City of Onkaparinga

Dated 13/8/13





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# Chief Executive Officer's Certificate of Compliance - Auditor Independence Southern Region Waste Resource Authority

I, Mark Searle the person for the time being occupying the position of Chief Executive Officer of the City of Marion, being a Constituent Council of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority, do hereby certify (for the purposes of Regulation 22 (3) of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011), that the auditor of the subsidiary, Edwards Marshall, has not been engaged by the subsidiary to provide services to the subsidiary outside of the scope of the audit functions under the Local Government Act 1999.

Mark Searle

**Chief Executive Officer** 

City of Marion

Dated



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# Chief Executive Officer's Certificate of Compliance - Auditor Independence **Southern Region Waste Resource Authority**

I, Justin Lynch, the person for the time being occupying the position of Chief Executive Officer of the City of Holdfast Bay, being a Constituent Council of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority, do hereby certify (for the purposes of Regulation 22 (3) of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011), that the auditor of the subsidiary, Edwards Marshall, has not been engaged by the subsidiary to provide services to the subsidiary outside of the scope of the audit functions under the Local Government Act 1999.

Chief Executive Officer City of Holdfast Bay

# Presiding Member Southern Region Waste Resource Authority Audit Committee – Auditor Independence

I, Vicki Brown the person occupying the position of Presiding Member of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority's Audit Committee, do hereby certify (for the purposes of Regulation 22 (3) of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011), that the auditor of the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority, Edwards Marshall, has not been engaged by the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority to provide services to the Southern Region Waste Resource Authority outside of the scope of the audit functions under the Local Government Act 1999.

19/8/14 Dated

Vicki Brown

Presiding Member

Southern Region Waste Resource Authority Audit Committee

# ATTENDANCE AT BOARD MEETINGS

# JULY 2013 - JUNE 2014

BOARD MEETINGS	А	В
BOARD MEMBERS		
Chairman Mark Booth	6	6
Terry Sutcliffe	2	2
Carol Bouwens	6	6
lan Walker	6	5
Kirk Richardson	5	4
Vincent Mifsud	6	6
Jim Huckstepp	6	6
Jeff Rittberger	1	1
Steve Matthewson	6	4
DEPUTY BOARD MEMBERS		
Cheryl Connor	6	3
Sharon Nash	6	0
Lynda Yates	6	4

- A = Number of meetings held during the period 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014 during the time the Board Member or the Deputy Board Member was a member of the Board.
- B = Number of meetings attended by the Board Member or Deputy Board Member from 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014.

# ATTENDANCE AT AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

# JULY 2013 - JUNE 2014

AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETINGS	А	В
Chairman Allen Bolaffl (dec)	3	3
Vicki Brown	4	4
Bill Cossey	1	1
Mark Booth	4	3
Greg Connor	3	3
Steve Matthewson	4	1

- A = Number of meetings held during the period 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014 during the time the Audit Committee Member was a member of the Committee.
- B = Number of meetings attended by the Audit Committee Board Member from 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014.



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