



# SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL

## **MINUTES**

## **SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL**

**THURSDAY 24 JUNE 2021** 

## SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL 9 Aldous Place BOORAGOON

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management solutions











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#### 1. DECLARATION OF OPENING / ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISITORS

The Chief Executive Officer advised that the Chairman would be attending later in the meeting.

The Deputy Chairman agreed to chair the meeting in the interim and welcomed everyone in attendance and declared the meeting open at 4.03pm.

"I respectfully acknowledge the traditional owners of the land on which this meeting is taking place today – the Nyungar people of Western Australia and pay our respects to their elders' past and present".

#### 2. RECORD OF ATTENDANCE / APOLOGIES

#### **PRESENT**

Cr Steve Kepert (Deputy Chairman) (Presiding Member)
Cr Cliff Collinson
Cr Wendy Cooper
Cr Doug Thompson (Chairman) Joined 4:27pm
City of Melville
Town of East Fremantle
City of Kwinana
City of Fremantle

Mr Mick McCarthy (REG Member)

Mr David Janssens

City of Fremantle

Mr Tim Youé

SMRC, Chief Executive Officer

Mr Brendan Doherty

SMRC, Executive Manager Strategic Projects

Mr Chris Wiggins

SMRC, Executive Manager Corporate Services

Mr Keith Swift

SMRC, Executive Manager RRRC Operations

#### **APOLOGIES**

Mr Graham Tattersall (REG Member)

Mr Glen Dougall (Deputy REG Member)

Mr Gary Tuffin (REG Member)

Ms Maria Cooke (REG Member)

City of Fremantle

Town of East Fremantle

City of Kwinana

#### 3. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS:

Nil

#### 4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Nil

#### 5. **DEPUTATIONS / PRESENTATIONS:**

Nil

#### 6. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE CHAIRMAN OR PRESIDING PERSON

Nil

#### 7. ELECTED MEMBER MOTIONS OF WHICH PREVIOUS NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN

Nil



## 8. ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONFIDENTIAL MATTERS FOR WHICH MEETING MAY BE CLOSED TO PUBLIC

Nil

#### 9. REPORTS OF THE CEO

| REPORT NO                               | 9.1                                     |
|---|---|
| SUBJECT SMRC STRATEGIC PLAN REVIEW 2021 |   |
| AUTHOR                                  | T Youé Chief Executive Officer          |
| AUTHOR'S INTEREST                       | Nil                                     |
| DATE OF REPORT                          | 16 June 2021                            |
| ATTACHMENTS                             | Draft Corporate Business Plan 2021-2025 |

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-01 MOVED: CR W COOPER SECONDED: CR C COLLINSON

#### **CEO RECOMMENDATION:**

THE COUNCIL ADOPTS THE SMRC CORPORATE BUSINESS PLAN 2021 - 2025.

**CARRIED BY ABSOLUTE MAJORITY OF COUNCIL 3/-**

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Absolute majority required (Admin Regulations 19DA(6))

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To review and adopt the SMRC's Corporate Business Plan (last review 2020).

#### NATURE OF COUNCIL'S ROLE IN THE MATTER:

#### **Advocative**

Not applicable

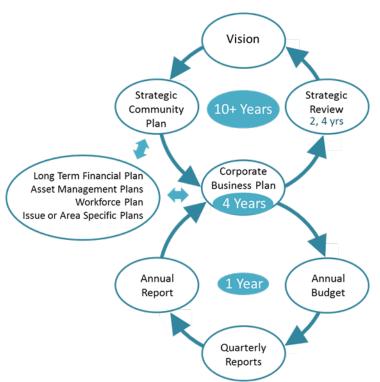
#### **Executive**

The Regional Council determines and sets the strategic direction of the local government in consultation with its Participant Local Governments.

#### Legislative

Local governments are required under section 5.56 of the Local Government Act 1995 to make forward plans. The detail as to how this is to be achieved is set out in the Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996, which is summarised below:





Source: Department of Local Government and Communities Integrated Planning and Reporting Framework and Guidelines, September 2016

Regulation 19C requires a local government to develop and regularly review a strategic community plan (SCP). Amongst other things, the SCP is to cover a period of at least 10 financial years, and sets out the vision, aspirations and objectives of the community in the district. SCPs are to be reviewed at least once every 4 years. The current version of the SCP which covers the period 2016-2026 was adopted by Council in June 2016.

In addition, Regulation 19DA requires local governments to prepare a corporate business plan. Local governments are to review their current corporate business plan for its district every year.

The corporate business plan is to cover at least 4 financial years and is to:

- set out, consistently with any relevant priorities set out in the strategic community plan for the
  district, a local government's priorities for dealing with the objectives and aspirations of the
  community in the district; and
- govern a local government's internal business planning by expressing a local government's priorities by reference to operations that are within the capacity of the local government's resources; and
- develop and integrate matters relating to resources, including asset management, workforce planning and long-term financial planning.



#### **IMPLICATIONS TO CONSIDER:**

#### **Consultative:**

#### Strategic Directions Review Workshop 18 March 2021.

The workshop was facilitated by Helen Hardcastle, Learning Horizons, and attended by Regional Councillors, Regional Executive Officers from participant local governments and SMRC Executive staff.

#### Financial:

All actions identified in the plan are to be included in SMRC's Long Term Financial Plan.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Council considered the agreed actions from the Strategic Directions Workshop held on 18 March 2021 at its Ordinary meeting of Council held 27 May 2021, and resolved the following:

**COUNCIL RESOLUTION** 

21.05-03 MOVED: CR C COLLINSON SECONDED: CR S KEPERT

#### CEO RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. THE ACTIONS FROM THE STRATEGIC DIRECTIONS WORKSHOP ON 18 MARCH 2021 BE ADOPTED AND FORWARDED TO THE PARTICIPANTS FOR COMMENT AND/OR ENDORSEMENT.
- 2. THE UPDATED CORPORATE BUSINESS PLAN BE CONSIDERED AT THE JUNE 2021 SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

CARRIED 4/-

No responses or comments have been received.



#### **REPORT:**

The Corporate Business Plan has been updated to include the agreed strategic directions from the March 2021 Workshop.

2.3 Key Issues: Regional Resource Recovery Centre Strategy

Continue to provide regional services for Participants and other stakeholders recognising the RRRC as a strategic asset in delivering on Participants, State and Community resource recovery and circular economy aspirations.

| Key Strategies |   | Actions   |
|----------------|---|---|
| 1.             | Review governance structure                     | Facilitate review of SMRC Establishment Agreement, Project Participant Agreements and meeting structures  |
| 2.             | Understand and articulate our value proposition | Prepare a Value Proposition Statement   |
| 3.             | Form alliances & partnerships                   | Maintain a flexible approach to opportunities for outsourcing SMRC activities and/or business partnering.   |
| 4.             | Enhance and leverage brand equity               | Create and promote a brand that reflects the vision and objectives of SMRC  |
| 5.             | Develop an advocacy strategy                    | <ol> <li>Develop an advocacy strategy to promote SMRC's value proposition to stakeholders including WA Government, WALGA and individual local governments in order to achieve desired outcomes.</li> <li>Establish a working group to ensure a collaborative approach to delivering the advocacy strategy.</li> </ol> |
| 6.             | Deliver communication and waste education       | Undertake a review, in consultation with participants, on the regional community education program.   |



#### STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS

#### **Local Government Act 1995 and Regulations**

- S5.56 (1) A local government is to plan for the future of the district.
- 19DA . Corporate business plans, requirements for (Act s. 5.56)
- (1) A local government is to ensure that a corporate business plan is made for its district in accordance with this regulation in respect of each financial year after the financial year ending 30 June 2013.
- (2) A corporate business plan for a district is to cover the period specified in the plan, which is to be at least 4 financial years.
  - (3) A corporate business plan for a district is to —
- (a) set out, consistently with any relevant priorities set out in the strategic community plan for the district, a local government's priorities for dealing with the objectives and aspirations of the community in the district; and
- (b) govern a local government's internal business planning by expressing a local government's priorities by reference to operations that are within the capacity of the local government's resources; and
- (c) develop and integrate matters relating to resources, including asset management, workforce planning and long-term financial planning.
  - (4) A local government is to review the current corporate business plan for its district every year.
- (5) A local government may modify a corporate business plan, including extending the period the plan is made in respect of and modifying the plan if required because of modification of the local government's strategic community plan.
- (6) A council is to consider a corporate business plan, or modifications of such a plan, submitted to it and is to determine\* whether or not to adopt the plan or the modifications.
  - \*Absolute majority required.
- (7) If a corporate business plan is, or modifications of a corporate business plan are, adopted by the council, the plan or modified plan applies to the district for the period specified in the plan.



| REPORT NO      | 9.2                          |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| SUBJECT        | Recycle Right Plan (2021-23) |
| AUTHOR         | Teresa Belcher               |
|                | Communications Manager       |
| DATE OF REPORT | 14/06/2021                   |
| ATTACHMENTS    | Recycle Right Plan (2021-23) |

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-02 MOVED: CR W COOPER SECONDED: CR C COLLINSON

#### STAKEHOLDER COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

THAT THE RECYCLE RIGHT PLAN (2021-23) BE ADOPTED.

CARRIED 3/-

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Simple Majority

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To endorse the Recycle Right Plan 2021-23.

#### NATURE OF COUNCIL'S ROLE IN THE MATTER:

#### **Advocative**

Not applicable

#### **Executive**

The Stakeholder Relations Committee reviewed and endorses the Plan at its meeting 21 June 2021 and recommends to Council that the plan be adopted in line with its Corporate Business Plan.

#### Legislative

Not applicable

#### **IMPLICATIONS TO CONSIDER:**

#### **Consultative:**

The Recycle Right Plan is required to be developed to engage Participant Local Governments in the development of a waste education program for their region which aligns with strategies in the SMRC Corporate Business Plan.

The Communications Manager has been working with the Regional Executive Group members, Waste Managers, Sustainability Officers and the Communications teams from Participant Local Governments to develop a strategy for implementing Recycle Right into their communities.



Workshop dates:

14 Dec 20 First Workshop with Member Councils12 May 21 Second Workshop with Member Councils

#### Strategic relevance:

#### **Key Focus Area: Community & Stakeholder Relationships**

Objective 3.2 We effectively communicate with our community & stakeholders

|  |  | Timeframes  |             |             |             |
|--|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Strategies   | Actions  | 2021/<br>22 | 2022/<br>23 | 2023/<br>24 | 2024<br>/25 |
| 3.2.1 Develop and implement  | a. Implement community education plan actions  | /           | /           | /           | /           |
| an effective community education program   | b. Undertake an annual review of the community education plan  |             | /           | \<br>       | \           |
| 3.2.2 Partner with member councils and complementary                               | a. Continue to work with and provide support to waste reduction groups   | /           | 1           | /           | /           |
| organisations to promote<br>behavioural change towards<br>waste recovery and reuse | b. Promote the Recycle Right Program amongst<br>member councils as <u>the</u> regional recycling<br>initiative | /           | /           | \           | /           |
|  | c. Promote the benefits of source separation for 3 bin systems   | /           | /           | /           | /           |
|  | d. Actively pursue funding and partnership opportunities for educational programs                              | /           | /           | /           | /           |
|  | e. Lead trial projects to reuse recycled materials   | /           | /           | /           | /           |

#### **Policy related:**

- 1. Stakeholder Relations Committee Policy and Terms of Reference To review strategic communications strategies.
- 2. SMRC Communications Plan A link to implementing Recycle Right Strategies
- 3. SMRC Community Engagement Plan A link to Implementing Recycle Right Strategies

#### Financial:

SMRC has an annual budget of approx. \$700,000 towards community communication and education. Most of these funds are spent on Recycle Right initiatives. Included in the budget amount, SMRC receives consultancy and membership income from non-participant local governments accessing the Recycle Right brand.

#### Legal and statutory:

Not applicable

#### **Risk related:**

Not applicable



#### **REPORT:**

The Communications Manager has been working with the Regional Executive Group members, Waste Managers, Sustainability Officers and the Communications teams from Member Councils to develop a strategy for implementing Recycle Right into their communities. There has been considerable reworking of the actions and discussion of priorities from SMRC and Member Councils' point-of-view to reach a consensus. It is important that we have this document to maintain consistency of messaging across the region.

The Communications Plan that will subsequently be developed following on as part of this Recycle Right Plan will identify specific tasks, timelines and outcomes for activities over the coming year.

**PURPOSE:** COLLABORATION TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE WASTE MANAGEMENT ACROSS THE COMMUNITIES IN THE SOUTH METRO REGION

Outcome 1: Inform the Recycle Right Strategy with a strong evidence base

Outcome 2: Deliver consistent waste education messages

Outcome 3: Maximise effectiveness through collaboration and partnership

Outcome 4: Monitor outcomes and refine performance

The Recycle Right Plan will be presented to the Council Meeting on 24 June 2021.



| REPORT NO         | 9.3   |
|-------------------|---|
| SUBJECT           | INSURANCE 2021-22                               |
| AUTHOR            | C Wiggins, Executive Manager Corporate Services |
| AUTHOR'S INTEREST | Nil   |
| DATE OF REPORT    | 16 June 2021                                    |
| ATTACHMENTS       | Nil   |

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-03 MOVED: CR W COOPER SECONDED: CR C COLLINSON

#### **CEO RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT THE RRRC PROPERTY INSURANCE RISK POSITION BE ON LIMITED INDEMNITY AS PER OPTION 2 IN THE AGENDA REPORT DATED 16 JUNE 2021.

CARRIED 3/-

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Simple Majority

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To consider a position statement for the RRRC property insurance renewal for 2021-22.

#### NATURE OF COUNCIL'S ROLE IN THE MATTER:

#### **Advocative**

Increases in insurance is a burden on three RRRC project participant local governments by maintaining essential services such as; waste infrastructure assets that may be called upon by other local governments in a likelihood of a contingency, as recently experienced by the Cleanaway fire.

The RRRC plant is now underutilised, mainly due to aggressive competitor pricing, however, WALGA and State Government have expectations that the SMRC will provide contingency at affordable recycling processing services for 75,000 to 100,000 tonnes of local government recycling.

This forms part of SMRC's advocacy strategy in discussions with WALGA (LGIS) and State Government.

#### **Executive**

The Council is to be fully informed of the risks associated with its property and sets the direction for the local government to deliver its Corporate Business Plan.

#### Legislative

Not applicable



#### **IMPLICATIONS TO CONSIDER:**

#### Consultative:

Discussions with SMRC's insurance broker, LGIS. Request to reconsider re-entering the RRRC Property insurance self-insurance property scheme with rebate premiums within the pool or financial assistance.

Discussions with State Government to consider financial assistance or insurance through the State's Risk Cover. This was initially commenced with DWER however in summary they advise the following:

- The State Government insurance is paid for by each agency for their own assets.
- The Insurance Commission of Western Australia is a statutory corporation and Government Trading Enterprise owned by the Western Australian Government.
- They are the State's insurer providing injury insurance to motorists and self-insurance to Government.
- They cover over 169 WA State Government public authorities for workers' compensation, property and liability.
- We are not aware of any precedent whereby the State has insured a local government's assets, either directly through the Insurance Commission of Western Australia or indirectly through a subsidy or payment to an entity to pay for their insurance costs.
- The State Government budget process for 2021-22 is also closed off in terms of requests to the
  Estimates Review Committee (ERC) this was all finalised in April 2021 in terms of all
  Departmental ERC submissions for new funding requests, noting that the instructions from
  Treasury were to include only previously approved requests or new election promises and
  associated funding.
- The 2021-22 WARR Account budget of \$20.75m has already been set against the various approved line items, in consultation with the Waste Authority and the Minister's Office, and today we understand that the Minister has already approved the 2021-22 Business Plan which includes the full allocation of the full budget amount.
- This does not include any funding for insurance or similar payment to SMRC.
- A decision to support SMRC with WARR Account funding would need to be made by the Minister.



#### Strategic relevance:

**Key Focus Area** Business Sustainability

#### Objective 2.1 Our Business is efficient, financially viable & sustainable

|   | Actions Responsibility  | Timeframes     |         |         |         | Informing |          |
|---|---|----------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|----------|
| Strategies  |   | Responsibility | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/25   | Document |
| 2.2.2 Develop<br>an appropriate<br>and efficient<br>asset<br>management<br>strategy | a. Develop and<br>deliver a<br>transition<br>maintenance<br>program for<br>assets           | Operations     | /       | /       |         |           | AMP      |
|   | b. Develop<br>and deliver an<br>asset<br>management<br>plan for<br>repurposing of<br>assets | Operations     | /       | /       |         |           | АМР      |

#### **Policy related:**

Council Policy 4.2 Risk Management

Council policy 4.9 Business Continuity Management.

#### Financial:

A 25% increase in premiums is \$381,250. This is a major cost impost on the RRRC Project fixed costs.



#### Risk related:

| Risk No | Risk Description  | Potential Consequences   | Controls Are Currently In Place,   | Overall<br>Risk |
|---------|---|--|--|-----------------|
|         |   |  |  | Rating          |
| FA07    | Ineffective/<br>insufficient<br>insurance                           | Financial implications of diminished asset/business capacity resulting in increased work costs or purchase of new assets | 1- External insurance broker conducts annual insurance policy reviews, 2- Risk management culture, 3-Property/asset valuations, 4- Underwriter risk reviews, 5- RRRC Property Insurance Reserve Policy   | High<br>10      |
| GWF01   | Loss of asset   | Halt to services, increased cost of using landfill, reduced income   | 1- Business Continuity Plan, 2-<br>Alternative contractors, 3-<br>Insurance rebuild  | High<br>10      |
| MRF02   | Loss of plant   | Disruption to services, financial implications such as lack of income  | 1- Fire safety equipment, 2-<br>Work practices/standards, 3-<br>OH&S standards &<br>requirements, 4- Monitored<br>alarm system, 5- Insurance<br>cover, 6- EMS, 7- Business<br>Continuity Plan  | High<br>10      |
| RRRC04  | Loss of Assets<br>(RRRC Admin<br>Building /<br>Education<br>Centre) | Partial or total loss of assets due to natural or man-made event   | 1- Fire safety equipment; 2-<br>Work practices/standards, 3-<br>OH&S standards and<br>requirements; 4- RRRC Hazards<br>Risk Controls; 5- EMS and Odour<br>Management Systems; 6- Strict<br>adherence to Maintenance<br>schedules                           | Medium<br>6     |
| WB01    | Complete Loss<br>of Weighbridge                                     | Disruption to services , financial implications such as lack of income   | 1 - Smoke detectors connected to and monitored by Blue Force Security, 2 - Appropriate fire insurance cover, 3 - Appropriate fire fighting equipment, 4 - Fire proofed safe for services and equipment, 5 - Forward planning of projects                   | Low 4           |
| WCF02   | Loss of asset<br>(WCF)  | Halt to services, increase cost of using landfill, reduced income  | 1- Fire hydrants, fire hoses and fire extinguisher for staff trained in emergency responses, 2- Smoke alarm monitored remotely by security company, 3- Methane detection system, emergency response plan, 4- staff on site 24 hours, air extraction system | High<br>10      |



#### **BACKGROUND:**

The RRRC's Property Insurance expires on the 30 June 2021. It covers the SMRC up to a liability limit of \$50 million for any physical loss, destruction of or damage to property by any unexpected cause or event. The limit includes business income loss.

The Western Australian Local Government Association (WALGA) owns the Local Government Insurance Services (LGIS). The RRRC Property insurance does not form part of the LGIS pooled self-insured property scheme. We have appointed LGIS as insurance brokers to seek cover outside the scheme utilising the insurance panel available under the pool. LGIS fee for this service is \$25,000 ex GST per year.

In June 2020 the Regional Council resolved the following insurance risk position:

- A limit of indemnity of \$50 million with a \$1 million excess.

It was noted that "while a comprehensive or full cover is normal for a local government asset, in the case of the RRRC asset it is not necessary". The RRRC site has four asset buildings and equipment adequately separated to prevent an entire loss event. This was demonstrated in the 2009 MRF fire. No other property was damaged.

Since 2009 the SMRC has made no claims and improved its risk profile. The SMRC has built a good relationship with the policy insurance underwriters by involving them with regular risk/operational updates and surveys to ensure we have their confidence in good management risk practices.

Chubb Insurance Australia prepared a risk assessment report in March 2021 for the purposes of insurance renewal.

#### They note in the report:

The site has good management procedures in place.

Two recommendations has been issued. Specifically:

- Test each diesel pump during a combined sprinkler and hydrant flow test. Also, not enough
  water was flowed during the last sprinkler and hydrant flow test.
- Install sprinklers within the enclosed conveyor shafts handling combustibles.

SMRC has developed an action plan for addressing the recommendations.

#### **REPORT:**

LGIS has advised that as will all insurance classes we can expect an increase in premiums of between 20 and 25%.

Our current RRRC Property insurance premium is \$1,525,000.

25% increase is \$381,250.

SMRC 2020/21 Budget has an increase provision of 15% \$230,000.

The possible shortfall of \$150,000 will be from estimate RRRC operational surpluses earmarked for funding admin overhead costs.



A lower limit option say \$25M or \$35M would not result in a cost relief. Losing \$15M of cover for a price of \$4k per \$1M of limit is considered unacceptable and not something recommended pursuing. The reason why rates and costs don't reduce proportionately to limit is due to the likelihood of loss/claims being within this exposure, typically underwriting risk starts from the ground up – for example locally the two major fires over the last decade (SMRC 2009 & Cleanaway 2019) have both been around \$25M."

The following table provides Options for insurance, As per the recommendation from LGIS we should continue with the \$50 M limited indemnity.

|  | Option 1<br>Full Indemnity                    | Option 2<br>Limited Indemnity   |
|--|---|---|
| Limit of Liability:<br>any one claim and in the<br>aggregate | Limit \$104m<br>Replacement 'like for like'   | Limit \$50m any one loss  |
| Consequential Loss<br>(Business Interruption)                | Limit \$22m up to 36mths (included in \$104M) | Limit \$22m up to<br>36mths (included in<br>\$50M)  |
| Deductible (Excess)  | \$1million                                    | \$1 million   |
| Premium  | Not requested                                 | \$1.9 million   |
| Position<br>Separate incidences                              | Rebuild like for like                         | rebuild MRF like for like.  rebuild a smaller modified FOGO facility  rebuild administration and weighbridge offices like for like  rebuild Mtce Shed like for like |
| Position<br>Full Catastrophe                                 | Rebuild like for like                         | rebuild MRF rebuild a smaller modified FOGO facility rebuild administration and weighbridge offices  Seek payout and discontinue with site                          |

#### **OTHER INSURANCE POLICIES:**

The SMRC will renew all its other general, vehicles, workers compensation and liability insurance to 30 June 2022 through LGIS with an average increase of 8%.



| REPORT NO      | 9.4  |  |
|----------------|--|--|
| SUBJECT        | SMRC 2021-22 ANNUAL BUDGET                           |  |
| AUTHOR         | C Wiggins, Executive Manager Corporate Services      |  |
| DATE OF REPORT | 16 June 2021   |  |
| ATTACHMENT/S   | SMRC 2021/22 Annual Budget Report dated 18 June 2021 |  |

Cr Thompson entered the meeting at 4:27pm. Cr Thompson requested that Cr Kepert continue to Chair for the duration of the meeting.

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-04 MOVED: CR C COLLINSON SECONDED: CR D THOMPSON

#### **CEO RECOMMENDATION:**

#### **COUNCIL ADOPTS:**

- 1. THE 2021/2022 ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL AS PER THE ATTACHED BUDGET REPORT DATED 18 JUNE 2021.
- 2. THE 2021/2022 FEES AND CHARGES AS DETAILED IN THE ANNUAL BUDGET REPORT DATED 18 JUNE 2021.

**CARRIED BY ABSOLUTE MAJORITY OF COUNCIL 4/-**

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Absolute Majority required for Budget Adoption

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

For the Regional Council to consider and adopt the 2021/22 annual budget.

#### NATURE OF COUNCIL'S ROLE IN THE MATTER:

#### **Advocative**

Not applicable

#### **Executive**

The Regional Council adopts its budget and sets the strategic direction of the local government in consultation with its Participant Local Governments.

#### Legislative

#### Local Government Act 1995 Section 6.2 . Local government to prepare annual budget.

(1) During the period from 1 June in a financial year to 31 August in the next financial year, or such extended time as the Minister allows, each local government is to prepare and adopt, in the form and manner prescribed, a budget for its municipal fund for the financial year ending on the 30 June next following that 31 August.



Part 3 of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations details the form and content of the annual budget.

#### **IMPLICATIONS TO CONSIDER:**

#### Consultative:

The Project Budget Parameters were prepared on 26 April 2021 and presented to the REG meeting on 14 May 202 and the Ordinary Meeting of Regional Council on 27 May 2021.

No comments to adjust the budget has been received from the Participants.

#### Strategic relevance:

2 Business Sustainability

**Key Focus Area** 

**Objective** 2.4 Our business is financially viable and sustainable

#### **Policy related:**

Pursuant to the Project Participant Agreements, the SMRC is required to prepare budgets for its Projects in April each year. The Budgets are presented to the participants for comment. Any comments received are submitted to the regional council prior to its adoption of its annual budget.

Accounting Policies 2.1
RRRC Contingency Reserve 2.7
Office Accommodation Reserve 2.9
Participants' Estimated Resident Population Policy 2.11
Travel & Conference Reserve 2.12
RRRRC Rehabilitation Reserve 2.13

#### Financial:

Refer Annual Budget Report.

#### **BACKGROUND**

Council resolved at its meeting 27 May 2021 to:

THE REGIONAL COUNCIL ENDORSES THE DRAFT 2021/21 BUDGET PARAMETERS AND A COPY OF THE REPORT BE PROVIDED TO MEMBERS FOR COMMENT PRIOR TO ADOPTION IN JUNE 2021. CARRIED 4/-



#### **REPORT**

#### **BUDGET OVERVIEW 2021-2022**

The 2021/22 Annual Budget has reduced due to the factors itemized in the report and mainly resulting from a reduction in tonnes from commercial customers.

The annual budget estimates are based on known tonnages, variable process costs and fixed costs. It does not consider hypothetical additional tonnes that may be received during the year.

The RRRC Project Budget is SMRC's core business and makes up the following:

- Operating Revenue \$16.5M (\$29.1M)
- Operating Expenditure \$20M (\$27M)
- Capital Expenditure \$2M (\$4.4M)
- Capital Loan Repayment \$3.4M (\$3.3M)

In March 2021, the Regional Council Participants reviewed the strategic direction agreeing to continue the operations and attracting new business and re-purpose existing assets on the RRRC site.

The annual financial impact of the withdrawal of the City of Kwinana is just under \$100K and will be redistributed to remaining participants.

The introduction of the Container Deposit Scheme (CDS) provides the revenue opportunity to reduce RRRC participants' contributions.

The introduction of the commonwealth mixed plastics export ban will negatively impact income due to higher onshore processing costs. The MRF budget base gate fees will be adjusted through our rise and fall mechanism ensuring any additional costs are fully funded.



| REPORT NO      | 9.5   |  |
|----------------|---|--|
| SUBJECT        | FINANCIAL REPORTS                               |  |
| AUTHOR         | C Wiggins, Executive Manager Corporate Services |  |
| DATE OF REPORT | 24 June 2021                                    |  |
| ATTACHMENT/S   |   |  |

The CEO tabled the Financial Statements. The Presiding Member gave 5 minutes for Councillors to read the report. Mr Wiggins responded to questions raised by Cr Kepert relating to the financial statements.

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-05 MOVED: CR C COLLINSON SECONDED: CR W COOPER

#### **CEO RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY BY NATURE AND TYPE OF THE SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MAY 2021 BE RECEIVED.

CARRIED 4/-

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Simple Majority

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To receive the financial statements for the following periods:

1. Financial Statements for the period ended 31 May 2021

#### STRATEGIC RELEVANCE

**Key Result Area 2:** Business Sustainability

Objective 2.4 Our Business is financially viable and sustainable.

#### **BACKGROUND**

- Regulation 34 of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations requires local
  governments to prepare each month a statement of financial activity reporting on the sources
  and applications of funds, as set out in the annual budget under reg 22(1)(d).
- The Council resolved at its meeting on 27 August 2020 to adopt an amount of \$20,000 as a value used to report any material variances between budget and actual line items in the monthly Statements of Financial Activity.
- The financial statements are to be presented at an ordinary meeting of the council within 2 months after the end of the month to which the statement relates. (FM Regs 34(4)(a))



The financial statements are to be reported to Council as follows:

| Periods Ended | Due for presentation within 2 mths | Next Scheduled<br>Ordinary<br>Meeting |
|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 31 May 2021   | 31 July 2021                       | 26 Aug 2021                           |
| 30 June 2021  | 30 Aug 2021                        | 26 Aug 2021                           |

#### **REPORT**

#### 1. Financial Statements for the period ended 31 May 2021

|  | YTD BUDGET   | YTD ACTUAL | CHANGE     |
|--|--------------|------------|------------|
|  | May-21       | May-21     |            |
|  | (\$M)        | (\$M)      |            |
| OPERATING REVENUES                       | \$28.0       | \$29.4     | \$1.4      |
| OPERATING EXPENSES (BEFORE DEPRECIATION) | \$22.3       | \$21.6     | -\$0.7     |
| OPERATING SURPLUS/ DEFICIT               | \$5.7        | \$7.8      | \$2.1      |
| CUI                                      | RRENT BUDGET | YTD ACTUAL | ACTUAL     |
|  | Jun-21       | May-21     | 30/06/2020 |
|  | (\$M)        | (\$M)      |            |
| CASH IN BANK                             | \$10.7       | \$12.5     | \$10.2     |
| OUTSTANDING LOANS                        | \$8.4        | \$9.3      | \$11.7     |
| NET ASSETS                               | \$34.7       | \$37.5     | \$32.4     |

#### Notes:

- 1) Operating Revenue is higher due to MRF commodity prices.
- 2) Operating Expenses are lower than the budget due to lower maintenance expenses and insurance premium savings.
- 3) YTD Operating Surplus is better than the budget due to the above.
- 4) Net Assets are currently higher than the revised budget.



| REPORT NO         | 9.6   |
|-------------------|---|
| SUBJECT           | ANZ EFTPOS MACHINE MERCHANT SERVICES            |
| AUTHOR            | C Wiggins, Executive Manager Corporate Services |
| AUTHOR'S INTEREST | Nil   |
| DATE OF REPORT    | 18 June 2021                                    |
| ATTACHMENTS       | Nil   |

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-06 MOVED: CR W COOPER SECONDED: CR C COLLINSON

#### **CEO RECOMMENDATION:**

THE COUNCIL APPROVES THE FOLLOWING AUTHORISED SIGNATORIES FOR THE ANZ EFTPOS MERCHANT SERVICES ACCOUNT;

- MR TIMOTHY YOUÉ, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER.
- MR CHRISTOPHER WIGGINS, EXECUTIVE MANAGER CORPORATE SERVICES
- MR TAMOLE TAFUA, CORPORATE SERVICES MANAGER

CARRIED 4/-

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Simple Majority

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To approve authorised signatories for ANZ EFTPOS Merchant services.

#### NATURE OF COUNCIL'S ROLE IN THE MATTER:

#### **Advocative**

Not applicable

#### **Executive**

The Council may delegate its powers to the CEO in accordance with section 5.42 of LGA.

#### Legislative

Not applicable

#### **IMPLICATIONS TO CONSIDER:**

#### Consultative:

Not applicable.



#### Strategic relevance:

**Key Focus: Business Sustainability** 

Objective 2.2 Our Business is efficient, financially viable & sustainable

|  |  |                | Timeframes |         |         |         | Informing |
|--|--|----------------|------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
| Strategies   | Actions  | Responsibility | 2021/22    | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/25 | Document  |
| 2.2.1 Identify<br>and deliver<br>process<br>improvements | a. Review and implement a continuous process improvement program | Operations     | /          | /       | /       | /       |           |

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Nil

#### Financial:

Banking fee expenditure is provided for in operating budget accounts.

#### Legal and statutory:

Not applicable

#### Risk related:

Not applicable

#### **REPORT:**

The Regional Resource Recovery Centre (RRRC) has an ANZ merchant services facility for green waste customers paying by credit card and EFTPOS. This is managed at the weighbridge.

The CEO approved a replacement of the existing weighbridge point of sale software system with a Mandalay point of sale software commencing from 1 July 2021.

To interface with the new point of sale system the current EFTPOS standalone machine will be replaced with an integrated payment processing solution linked to the point of sale software.

An application has been submitted with ANZ for this new system, however, a pre-condition of our request requires a council minute appointing authorised signatures for the account.

It is proposed that the CEO, Corporate services Manager and myself are authorised signatories to ensure on going administration of the account is covered.



| REPORT NO  | 9.7                  |
|--|----------------------|
| SUBJECT  | SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS |
| AUTHOR C Wiggins, Executive Manager Corporate Services |                      |
| DATE OF REPORT   | 18 June 2021         |
| ATTACHMENTS  |                      |

#### **WITHDRAWN**

The CEO requested that this item be withdrawn as the report was not finalised in time for the meeting. The Schedule will be presented to next ordinary meeting of council.



| REPORT NO      | 9.8                               |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| SUBJECT        | COMMITTEE MEMBER APPOINTMENTS     |
| AUTHOR         | Tim Youé, Chief Executive Officer |
| DATE OF REPORT | 18 June 2021                      |
| ATTACHMENTS    | Nil                               |

Cr Kepert noted that Cr Collinson and himself were already appointed members of the committee and questioned if the resolution should only appoint Cr Thompson as a new member. It was agreed to amend the CEO recommendation to only appoint Cr Thompson.

It was noted that in accordance with s5.63(1)(g) of LG Act, Cr Thompson does not need to disclose an interest to become a member of a body established under the LG Act.

#### **COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

21.06-07 MOVED: CR W COOPER SECONDED: CR C COLLINSON

#### STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBER

THAT CR DOUG THOMPSON BE APPOINTED ON THE STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS COMMITTEE FOR A TERM EXPIRING NOVEMBER 2021

**CARRIED BY ABSOLUTE MAJORITY 4/-**

#### **CEO RECOMMENDATIONS:**

#### STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS BE APPOINTED ON THE COMMITTEE FOR A TERM EXPIRING NOVEMBER 2021:

- 1. CR STEVE KEPERT
- 2. CR CLIFF COLLINSON
- 3. CR DOUG THOMPSON

#### **VOTING REQUIREMENT**

Absolute Majority s 5.10(1) Appointment of a person to a committee.

#### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

The Regional Council to consider and appoint membership its Stakeholder Relations Committee.

#### STRATEGIC RELEVANCE

Goal: Business Sustainability

Objective 2.1 Our governance model supports an effective and efficient business model.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The Council resolved in November 2019 to appoint the following committee members:



#### STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS BE APPOINTED ON THE COMMITTEE FOR A TERM EXPIRING NOVEMBER 2021:

- 1. CR WENDY COOPER
- 2. CR STEVE KEPERT
- 3. CR CLIFF COLLINSON
- 4. MS ISABELLE GAGNON

Members who are or will no longer by committee members are:

- 1. Cr Cooper (City of Kwinana withdrawing from SMRC effective 1 July 2021)
- 2. Ms Isabelle Gagnon (Ex Chair of the WREN WREN disbanded in Feb 2021)

The committee currently has two elected members and may have at least three councillors as per its policy.

Cr Thompson has expressed an interest in joining the committee.

#### **Objectives:**

The Stakeholder Relations Committee role is to:

- Identify and deliver programs and strategies for community education, marketing and media campaigns and community engagement.
- The Committee shall meet as required and as called by the presiding member, majority
  of members on the Committee, or the SMRC CEO.

#### Membership:

- 1. The Committee shall comprise of at least three (3) Regional Councillors in accordance with s5.8 of LGA 1995.
- 2. Membership to include one external person appointed on the Waste Recycling Education Network (WREN)
- 3. The Committee shall have no delegated powers unless expressly given by the Council.

#### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no additional financial cost for the appointment of members on this committee.



## 10. QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF WHICH DUE NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN Nil

#### 11. DECLARATION OF CLOSURE OF MEETING

There being no further business, the Presiding Member thanked those present for their attendance and farewelled Cr Cooper of the City of Kwinana for her last meeting and the meeting was declared closed at 5:02 pm.

I hereby certify that the Minutes of the Special Council Meeting held on 24 June 2021 were confirmed on 26 August 2021.

Cr Doug Thompson Presiding Member

Signature



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## Message from the Chief Executive Officer



The Corporate Business Plan (the Plan) details the actions the Regional Council will undertake to achieve our stakeholders' aspirations and objectives detailed in the Strategic Community Plan (2020-30), Regional Strategic Waste Management Plan (2016), Waste Plan 2020 and the Amended Business Plan (2017).

The Waste Composting Facility (WCF) was commissioned in 2003 with a projected life span until 2023, although the ongoing RRRC participants have tenure on the site in Canning Vale until 2050.

Minimising waste to landfill, by delivering forward looking waste management solutions that are effective and efficient, has been the core of our business for more than twenty years and we need to continue to develop partnerships to optimise the RRRC's capacity and help to identify and embed circular economy principles into the resource recovery sector at all levels.

In March 2021 the Regional Council Participants again reviewed the strategic direction noting that:

- a) The three-bin Food Organics and Garden Organics (FOGO) system had been successfully implemented in the three participant council jurisdictions;
- b) the existing Waste Composting Facility has been re-roofed, the decommissioning of redundant equipment including digesters and associated infrastructure is in train;

- c) a transitioning to a modified Food and Organics process is underway with excess capacity available for third party contracts;
- d) the Container Deposit Scheme (CDS) had provided additional revenues;
- e) rapidly changing market conditions for recovered recyclables due to export bans between 2021 and 2024 will bring about unknown future cost implications for all local governments in Australia; and
- f) Agreements have been signed with Avertas to dispose of genuine residual waste to an Energy from Waste Facility in Kwinana
- g) reduced membership.

Against this changing and challenging backdrop, I look forward to continuing to work with our progressive regional local government partners, community, industry and government leaders, councillors and staff to achieve a positive future for the SMRC's members and the broader community.

**Tim Youé** Chief Executive Officer

## **Terminology used in this document**

AMP...... Asset Management Plan

**CBP** ....... Corporate Business Plan

**C&D** ....... Construction and Demolition Waste

C&I ......Commercial and Industrial Waste

**DWER.....** Department of Water and Environmental Regulation

EMS...... Environmental Management System

FOGO ..... Food Organics, Green Organics

**GWF**...... Green Waste Facility

LTFP...... Long Term Financial Plan

MRF ...... Materials Recovery Facility

MSW...... Municipal Solid Waste

OHS ...... Occupational Health & Safety

RRRC ...... Regional Resource Recovery Centre

SCP ...... Strategic Community Plan

SOP.....Standard Operating Procedures

**SMRC** ..... Southern Metropolitan Regional Council

**SWMP** .... Strategic Waste Management Plan

WARR..... Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery

WCF...... Waste Composting Facility

WFP......Workforce Plan

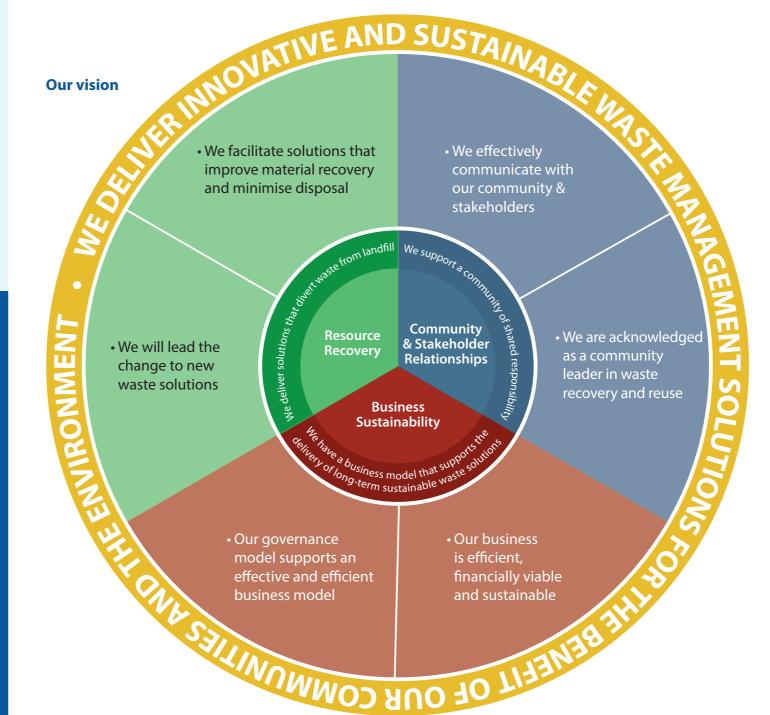
## 1. Corporate Business Plan

This Corporate Business Plan is an internal business planning tool that translates Council priorities into operations within the resources available. It represents the activation of the Southern Metropolitan Regional Council's (SMRC) Strategic Community Plan. The Strategic Community Plan articulates the long-term vision, aspirations, and strategic priorities of SMRC's key stakeholders.

## **Our Vision**

The delivery of the vision is achieved by undertaking actions across three Key Focus Areas, which are the core components of our business.





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The Corporate Business Plan follows these key focus areas that are outlined in the Strategic Community Plan, and details what the Council will do over the next four years to work towards the achievement of stakeholders' aspirations and objectives. For each key focus area, the strategies and key actions are identified.

The Corporate Business Plan will drive the operation of the SMRC over the short to mediumterm (four-year period). It will be reviewed annually and as required, a re-prioritisation of activities will take place to ensure that the SMRC has an agreed strategic direction and that it has the resources it needs to meet these priorities.

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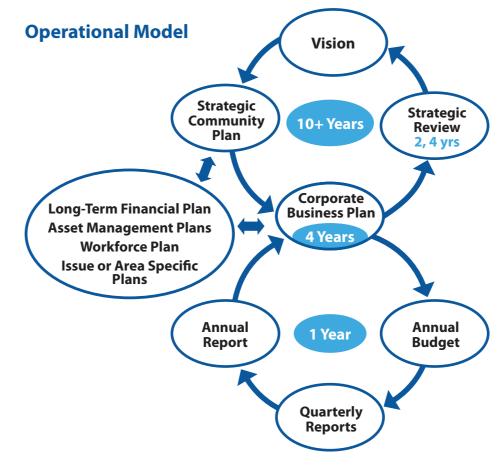
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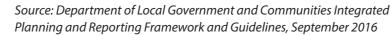
## 1.1 Strategic and Business Planning Framework

All local governments within Western Australia, including Regional Councils, are required to plan for the future in accordance with Section 5.56(1) of the *Local Government Act 1995* and adopt an Integrated Planning and Reporting Framework.

| Component                                      | Purpose   | Informing Document                      |
|--|---|---|
| Strategic Community Plan                       | Articulates the long-term vision, aspirations and strategies for member councils and our communities.   | SMRC Strategic Community Plan 2020-2030 |
| Corporate Business Plan                        | Details the actions Council will undertake, and resources required, over a four-year period to achieve stakeholders' aspirations and the objectives of the Strategic Community Plan.  | This Document                           |
| Long-Term Financial Plan                       | Provides a forecast of the financial position of Council for the next ten years. It indicates Council's long-term financial sustainability and allows early identification of financial issues and their longer-term impacts. | SMRC Long-Term Financial Plan 2020-2030 |
|  |   | RRRC Amended Business Plan 2017         |
| Asset Management Plan                          | Outlines how Council's assets will meet the service delivery needs of the community into the future based on a 'whole of life' and 'whole of organisation' approach.  | SMRC Asset Management Plans             |
| Workforce Plan                                 | Outlines the workforce requirements and workforce strategies for the delivery of the current and future operations of Council.  | SMRC Workforce Plan 2018-2023           |
| Information & Communication<br>Technology Plan | Outlines the ICT requirements and strategies for the delivery of the current and future operations of Council.  | SMRC ICT Strategic Plan 2018 -2021      |
| Issue Specific Strategies                      | These are specific strategies that Council has developed to respond specific issues or guide its approach to a program of work.   | Strategic Waste Management Plan (SWMP)  |
|  |   | Community Engagement Strategy           |
|  |   | Communication Plan                      |
|  |   | Recycle Right Plan                      |
|  |   | SMRC Marketing Plan                     |
|  |   | Environmental Management System (EMS)   |
|  |   | Establishment Agreement                 |
|  |   | Project Participants Agreement          |

| Component               | Purpose   | Informing Document |
|-------------------------|---|--------------------|
| Annual Budget           | The process by which Council informs the community and statutory bodies of its progress in delivering services, projects and other operations to meet the community's short-term, medium-term and long-term aspirations.  | Annual Budget      |
| Measurement & Reporting | The reporting process allows Council to inform its stakeholders and statutory bodies of its progress in delivering services, projects and other operations to meet the short-term, medium-term and long-term aspirations. | Annual Report      |







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## 2. Our story

#### 2.1 How we came about

In 1991, the local governments of Canning, Cockburn, East Fremantle, Fremantle, Kwinana, Melville, and Rockingham came together to form a regional approach to waste management. The Councils realised that individual approaches for alternative waste options would be too expensive for a single council. A solution was required to manage the thousands of tonnes of waste that were being sent direct to landfill each year with little consideration of the future social, economic, and environmental implications.

As a result, the Councils formed the South-West Waste Management Council to provide environmentally sustainable waste management solutions for the benefit of the community and member councils. In 1998, this was changed to the Southern Metropolitan Regional Council (SMRC).

Over the period the following local governments for a variety of reasons have since withdrawn from the regional group: City of Canning in June 2010, City of Rockingham in June 2012, City of Cockburn in June 2019 and City of Kwinana in June 2021.

#### 2.2 What we do

SMRC is a statutory local government authority representing local governments in the southern metropolitan area of Perth. It is responsible for delivering innovative and sustainable waste management solutions for member local governments.

Our member local governments are: Town of East Fremantle, City of Fremantle and City of Melville.

The member local governments have jointly agreed to establish SMRC under an Establishment Agreement and each participant may participate in regional projects that are governed by a Participants' Project Agreement.

There are two core projects, being:

- 1. The Regional Resource Recovery Centre (RRRC) Project and;
- 2. The Office Accommodation Project.

Both the projects were established through separate project participants' agreements. The City of Kwinana is not a participant in the RRRC project. In addition to the above two projects, support activities such as administration, education and research are also undertaken.

The RRRC at Canning Vale was the first of its kind in Western Australia, and is a unique waste recycling and resource precinct and important waste infrastructure in the Perth metropolitan area. RRRC comprises three resource recovery facilities:

- 1. Organic waste (household food and small garden waste) is collected from 240 litre limegreen top bins, processed and turned into compost;
- Paper, plastics, and metals are collected from household yellow top bins, and are sorted and recovered in the Materials Recovery Facility, then sold to domestic and international markets; and
- 3. Green waste is collected from the kerbside of households and turned into mulch.

The SMRC is committed to assisting the State Government to work towards achieving its recovery targets outlined it the State's Waste Strategy 2030.

As an organisation, we inject over \$20 million per year into the economy, employ over 75 staff and provide work for 100 local small businesses and contractors each month.

## 2.3 Key Issues: Regional Resource Recovery Centre Strategy

Agreed Strategic Direction

Based on a members/participant workshop held 18 March 2021

Continue to provide regional services for Participants and other stakeholders recognising the RRRC as a strategic asset in delivering on Participants, State and Community resource recovery and circular economy aspirations.

| Key Strategies                                     | Actions   |
|--|---|
| 1. Review governance structure                     | Facilitate review of SMRC Establishment Agreement, Project Participant Agreements and meeting structures  |
| 2. Understand and articulate our value proposition | Prepare a Value Proposition Statement   |
| 3. Form alliances & partnerships                   | Maintain a flexible approach to opportunities for outsourcing SMRC activities and/or business partnering.   |
| 4. Enhance and leverage brand equity               | Create and promote a brand that reflects the vision and objectives of SMRC  |
| 5. Develop an advocacy strategy                    | <ol> <li>Develop an advocacy strategy to promote<br/>SMRC's value proposition to stakeholders<br/>including WA Government, WALGA and<br/>individual local governments in order to<br/>achieve desired outcomes.</li> <li>Establish a working group to ensure a<br/>collaborative approach to delivering the<br/>advocacy strategy.</li> </ol> |
| 6. Deliver communication and waste education       | Undertake a review, in consultation with participants, on the regional community education program.   |

# 2.3.1 Continue to pursue outsourcing part/s or all of the RRRC

Action: Facilitate review of SMRC Establishment Agreement and Project Participant Agreements.

For consideration:

- 1. the regional purpose of the regional council,
- the number of offices of members on the council of the regional local government and, in respect of each participant, the number of members to be appointed by that participant,
- 3. the appointment and tenure of members and deputy members of the council of the regional local government,
- 4. the procedures for the winding up of the regional local government or for the withdrawal of a participant from the regional local government,
- 5. any implications of the state government's change to regional local governments,
- 6. the meeting structure,
- 7. other terms of reference and matters relevant to the governance structure of the regional council.

Implication: There is a desire to review the SMRC's regional purpose and governance structure.

*Strategic Alignment*: This strategy remains in alignment with the current strategy:

Key Focus: Business Sustainability

Objective 2.1 Our governance model supports an effective & efficient business model

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## **2. Our story** (continued)

# 2.3.2 Understand and articulate our value proposition

Action: Prepare a Value Proposition Statement.

For consideration:

- 1. Identify all the benefits our products and services offer.
- 2. Describe what makes each of these benefits valuable.
- 3. Identify our customer's main problem to be solved.
- 4. Connect our value to our buyer's problem.
- 5. Differentiate ourselves as the preferred provider of this value.

SMRC's skills, knowledge and value adding capabilities need to be clearly understood and articulated.

Value proposition includes:

- SMRC is the local government leader in achieving state material recovery targets -Members benefit from this association and should leverage this to attract other like-minded local governments and have state government recognition.
- MRF is a valuable asset to members but also, in times of contingency an essential service facility

and as such, must be recognised and supported by state, industry and local government.

- The FOGO processing facility has the capacity to attract new customers and utilise an existing assets.
- SMRC have developed considerable intellectual property in the resource recovery industry and professional advice could be provided on a fee for service basis.
- Our communities are unlikely to accept reduced services or environmentally unsustainable outcomes and solutions.
- Through the SMRC, members control the waste streams and environmental outcomes eg recovery targets and chain of custody of materials.
- Intangibles such as quality, sustainability and chain of custody protocols need to be fully understood and represented.
- Improved site utilisation would re-distribute overhead expenditure.

*Strategic Alignment*: This is a new strategy:

**Key Focus: Business Sustainability** 

Objective 2.1 Our governance model supports an effective & efficient business model.

# 2.3.3 Form alliances and business partnerships

Action: Maintain a flexible approach to opportunities for outsourcing SMRC activities and/ or business partnering including;

- Identify opportunities in the business marketing plan.
- Increase customer base.
- Partner with private waste sector
- Realise the FOGO opportunity.
- Maximise underutilised facilities and space at the RRRC for resource recovery to generate revenue.

Strategic Alignment: This strategy remains in alignment with the current strategies with minor word changing:

Key Focus: Resource Recovery

Objective 1.1 We co-ordinate and facilitate solutions that optimise material recovery in line with state targets.

# 2.3.4 Enhance and leverage our brand equity

Action: Create and promote a brand that reflects the vision and objectives of SMRC.

For consideration:

Re-brand the regional local government and its projects to re-vitalise and enhance brand awareness.

Strategic Alignment: This strategy remains in alignment with the current strategies:

Key Focus: Business Sustainability

Objective 2.1 Our governance model supports an effective & efficient business model.

## 2.3.5 Develop an Advocacy Strategy

Actions:

- Develop an advocacy strategy to promote SMRC's value proposition to stakeholders including WA Government, WALGA and individual local governments in order to achieve desired outcomes.
- 2. Establish a working group to ensure a collaborative approach to delivering the advocacy strategy.

For consideration:

SMRC possesses intellectual property, skills and value adding capabilities valued by members. Given the rapidly changing nature of the waste industry these attributes need to be harnessed to advocate for beneficial change for all our stakeholders.

Strategic Alignment: This strategy remains in alignment with the current strategies with minor word changes:

Key Focus: Community & Stakeholder Relationships

Objective 3.1 We are acknowledged as a community leader in waste recovery & reuse

# 2.3.6 Deliver communication and waste education

Action: Undertake a review, in consultation with participants, on the regional community education program.

For consideration:

- SMRC's brand 'Recycle Right' is a communication resource and toolkit that dovetails with the State government's 'Waste Sorted' education platform.
- Recycle Right is recognised as an whole of industry resource and is adopted on a fee basis by other regional and individual local governments.
- SMRC employs experienced waste educators, communication strategists and a graphic designer to co-ordinate and deliver communication outcomes.
- 4. Participants also employ a mix of waste officers and communication staff to deliver co-ordinated outcomes.

Strategic Alignment: This strategy remains in alignment with the current strategies with minor word changing:

Key Focus: Community & Stakeholder Relationships

Objective 3.2 We effectively communicate with our community & stakeholders.

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## 3. 2016 Strategic Waste Management Plan Recommendations

The Western Australian Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Strategy 2030 (Waste Strategy), includes a headline strategy to "Implement local government waste plans, which align local government waste planning processes with the Waste Strategy."

All local governments and regional local governments located in the Perth metropolitan region and Peel region (Perth and Peel regions), and major regional centres that provide waste services, are required to develop waste plans for the 2020-21 financial year, and perform their functions in respect of waste management in accordance with their waste plans.

Section 6.2(2) of the Local Government Act 1995 requires local governments to have regard to their plans for the future (which include waste plans made under section 40 of the WARR Act).

Waste plans include a five plus year implementation plan. SMRC's plan for future remains aligned to its 2016 Strategic Waste Management Plan (SWMP), and the DWER approved Waste Plan 2020

- Further roll out of FOGO and FO to MUD's in Melville,
   Fremantle and East Fremantle
- 2) Roll out of FOGO and FO to mixed use and commercial areas in Melville, Fremantle and East Fremantle
- 3) General Waste RED bin to Waste to Energy from 2022 will add another 4% to 6% diversion points to overall kerbside performance

#### **Ongoing**

- 1) Recycle Right and bin tagging
- 2) Further discussions with State Government, WALGA, Regional Councils and other local governments for partnering and use of educational resources such as the Recycle Right brand and resources (e.g. website/app and education centre)
- 3) Facilitate and support the ongoing work of the SMRC community advisory group
- 4) Development of new FOGO processing system to achieve curent diversion target of 65% has been completed in the period November 2019 to June 2020
- 5) Further roll out to MUD's in Melville, Fremantle and East Fremantle
- 6) Kerbside Waste Auditing program and overall collection and processing system perfomance measurement

#### Short term (within the next 1-2 years

- 1) Transition of Waste Composting Facility to FOGO processing stage 1 60,000 tonnes per annum capacity
- 2) General Waste RED bin to Waste to Energy from 2022 will add another 4% to 6% diversion points to overall kerbside perfomance

#### Medium term (within the next 3-5 years)

Transition of Waste Composting Facility to FOGO processing stage 2 - 120,000 tonnes per annum capacity

#### Long term (more than 5 years)

Develop regional processing 'hubs' for mattresses, HHW, batteries, C&D materials, whitegoods, e-waste, tyres, cars,



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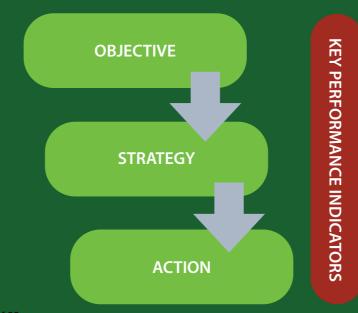


## 4. How to read this document

The following section outlines our three key focus areas (as outlined in the Strategic Community Plan).

For each key focus area we have identified Objectives (what we aim to achieve). Each objective is supported by one or more Strategies (what we will do to achieve the objectives). For each Strategy, we have identified the key projects or programs of work.

To measure if we have succeeded in delivering on the objectives, we have identified key performance indicators that we will measure and report on each year. In some cases the key performance indicators are measures of "doing", and in other cases they are measures of "outcomes" such as changes in the community's perceptions and behaviours.





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# 5. Key Focus Areas

**Key Focus: Resource Recovery** 

Our Vision – We are a leader in recovery and reuse

### What this means

- Minimising waste to landfill is at the core of our business.
- We deliver waste management solutions that are effective and efficient.
- We identify partnership opportunities to deliver waste management solutions.
- We work towards solutions that value add to our residual products.

#### Outcomes

- We will continue to be exceeding the State Government's targets of diversion from landfill.
- We will be recognised as leaders in our field.
- We will be financially sustainable and our facilities will operate close to capacity.
- We will facilitate an expanded range of services in waste management.
- We will facilitate the processing of a wide range of waste types, including e-waste, containers, and Commercial & Industrial waste.
- We will continue to be a recognised knowledge base and source of expertise in resource recovery and waste management.

## **Key Challenges Affecting this Activity**

- Our ability to communicate the environmental benefits of processing technologies.
- Our ability to manage contractual complexities.
- Our ability to comply with regulatory obligations.
- Our ability to demonstrate our costs are balanced against the environmental benefits gained.
- Our ability to manage a diverse stakeholder group.



## Objective 1.1 We co-ordinate and facilitate solutions that divert waste from landfill

| Strategies Actions  |  |         | Time    | frame   |          |
|---|--|---------|---------|---------|----------|
|   |  | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/25  |
| 1.1.1 Optimise operations in recovery a. Pursue opportunities to partner with other organisations to achieve regional solutions for resource recovery and re-use to add value |  | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | 1        |
|   | b. Consider opportunities for divesting resource recovery and disposal activities  |         | ✓       | ✓       | ✓        |
| 1.1.3 Lead initiatives to deal with problematic waste   | a. Continue to explore sustainable recycling markets   | 1       | ✓       | ✓       | <b>√</b> |
|   | b. Consider opportunities for divesting resource recovery and disposal activities  tiatives to deal with  a. Continue to explore sustainable recycling markets | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | ✓        |
|   | c. Pursue opportunities to partner with other organisations to develop regional processing hubs  | 1       | 1       | ✓       | 1        |
|   | d. Facilitate community-based recycling services for HHW, batteries, polystyrene etc.  |         |         | ✓       | <b>✓</b> |

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# Objective 1.2 We will lead the change to new waste solutions

| Ctuatories  | Actions   | Responsibility |   | Time     | Informing Documents |         |                     |
|---|---|----------------|---|----------|---------------------|---------|---------------------|
| Strategies  | Actions   | Responsibility |   |          | 2023/24             | 2024/25 | Informing Documents |
| 1.2.1 Investigate the viability of new technologies for waste recovery, including Energy from Waste | a. Consider EfW for the RRRC residuals and member<br>Councils MSW       | CEO            | 1 | <b>√</b> | 1                   | ✓       | SWMP No9            |
| 1.2.2 Investigate best use scenarios for current technology and site in                             | a. Tender for FOGO processing and/or provision of composting technology | EMSP           | 1 |          |                     |         | SWMP No6            |
| regards to FOGO   | b. Optimise the use and revenue obtained from the RRRC                  | SMG            | 1 | 1        | 1                   | 1       | SWMP No7            |

# **Resource Recovery Key Performance Indicators**

| Doufouman so Indicator  | How it will be measured                              | Actuals |         | Targets |         |         |        |  |  |
|---|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--|--|
| Performance indicator   | How it will be illeasured                            |         | 2020/21 | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/2 |  |  |
| Waste diverted from landfill  Percentage of waste diverted = (1 - total residuals/total waste processed x 100%)             |  | 62%     |         | 65%     | 65%     | 65%     |        |  |  |
| Contamination is reduced in the three   | Lime-Green Bin FOGO <2% contamination (Waste Audits) | 2%      |         | <2%     | <2%     | <2%     |        |  |  |
| waste streams collected.  | Yellow Bin Recycling <5% contamination               | 10%     |         | 10%     | <5%     | <5%     |        |  |  |
| contamination is reduced in the three waste streams collected.  processed x 100%)  Lime-Green Bin FOGO <2% contamination (W | Red Bin Residuals                                    | <7%     |         | <7%     | <5%     | <5%     |        |  |  |



# Key focus: Business Sustainability

# Our Vision – We have a business model that supports the delivery of long-term sustainable waste solutions

#### What this means

- Delivering sustainable waste management solutions in an efficient and effective manner is essential to our business.
- Our business model must reflect the current commercial environment, and have the flexibility to continually evolve as conditions change.
- We must be able to understand and integrate the expectations of our member councils into a governance structure that is equitable and representative.

#### **Outcomes**

- By 2023, our member councils will be receiving social and economic dividends for their investment.
- We understand the acceptable level of cost our member councils are willing to pay, and have priced our services accordingly.
- Our capital investments are efficiently utilised and we are financially sustainable over the long-term.
- Our business model and governance structure are appropriate to enable the delivery of our services.

## **Key Challenges Affecting this Activity**

- Changes in legislation.
- Potential withdrawals from the SMRC Establishment Agreement.
- Stakeholder support



## Objective 2.1 Our governance model supports an effective and efficient business model

| Stratogics   | Actions   | Dosponsibility |          | Time    | frame    |          | Informing Documents  |
|--|---|----------------|----------|---------|----------|----------|--|
| Strategies   | Actions   | Responsibility | 2021/22  | 2022/23 | 2023/24  | 2024/25  | Informing Documents  |
| 2.1.1 Adapt and improve existing governance arrangements   | a. Facilitate review of SMRC Establishment Agreement and Project Participant Agreements           | CEO<br>MEMBERS | ✓        | ✓       |          |          | Establishment Agreement<br>Local Government Act                                  |
| 2.1.2 Investigate alternative business delivery models to ensure our business practices are reflective of the commercial environment | a. Review the current governance structure entity to ensure it is aligned with the business model | CEO            | <b>✓</b> | ✓       | <b>√</b> | 1        | Local Government Act<br>WARR Act<br>Regional Subsidiaries Bill<br>LTFP, AMP, WF, |
| 2.1.3 Rebrand existing entities and operations to reflect vision & objectives  | a. Create and promote a brand that reflects the vision and objectives of SMRC                     | CEO<br>MEMBERS | ✓        | ✓       | 1        | <b>√</b> | Communications Plan  |
| 2.1.4 Understanding our business proposition   | a. Prepare a value proposition statement  | CEO            | <b>√</b> | 1       | 1        | 1        |  |

### Objective 2.2 Our business is efficient, financially viable and sustainable

| Strategies   | Actions   | Pospopsibility     |         | Time    | frame   |         | Informing Documents |
|--|---|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------|
| Strategies   | Actions   | Responsibility     | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/25 | Informing Documents |
| 2.2.1 Identify and deliver process improvements                      | a. Review and implement a continuous process improvement program              | Operations         | 1       | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       |                     |
| 2.2.2 Develop an appropriate and efficient asset management strategy | a. Develop and deliver a transition maintenance program for assets            | Operations         | 1       | ✓       |         |         | AMP                 |
|  | b. Develop and deliver an asset management plan for repurposing of assets     | Operations         | 1       | ✓       |         |         | АМР                 |
| 2.2.3 Develop a sustainable long term financial plan                 | a. Undertake an annual review of the Long Term Financial<br>Plan              | Corporate Services | 1       | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | LTFP                |
| 2.2.4 We will be a responsible employer                              | a. Review and update the Workforce Plan to reflect the service delivery model | Corporate Services | 1       | 1       | 1       | ✓       | WFP                 |
|  | b. Implement the OH&S Plan  | Corporate Services | 1       | 1       | 1       | 1       | OHS Plan            |

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## **Business Sustainability Key Performance Indicators**

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| Performance Indicator                               | How it will be measured                      | Actuals |         | Targets |         |         |        |  |
|---|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--|
| Performance mulcator                                | now it will be measured                      | 2019/20 | 2020/21 | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/2 |  |
| Key stakeholders are satisfied with our performance | Stakeholder survey                           | 80%     |         | >80%    | >80%    | >80%    |        |  |
| Plant availability                                  | Percentage of member tonnes accepted at RRRC | 100%    |         | >95%    | >95%    | >95%    |        |  |
| Current Ratio                                       | Current assets over current liabilities      | 1.10    |         | =>1.10  | =>1.10  | =>1.10  |        |  |
| Number of lost time incidents (LTIFR)               | Number of lost time injuries                 | 0       |         | 0       | 0       | 0       |        |  |



# Key Focus: Community & Stakeholder Relationships

## Our Vision – We support a community of shared responsibility

#### What this means

- Our communities/stakeholders are at the core of our existence.
- Our communities possess the right level of knowledge and education so that change happens in the household, at the grassroots of our society.
- Education and environmental stewardship play a fundamental supporting role in all areas of the waste hierarchy. These are paramount in the reduction of waste to landfill, and play a significant role in supporting many of our operational elements.

#### Outcomes

- We will be leading a regional and metropolitan approach to education.
- Our brand is positively recognised by our communities.
- We have a positive and ongoing relationship with our communities and stakeholders.
- We are the leaders in achieving the Waste Authority's targets on diversion from landfill and resource recovery.

 Our member councils and others look to us for guidance and advice in waste education and minimisation practices.

## **Key Challenges Affecting this Activity**

- Change in legislation.
- Change in Federal and State Government policy.
- Availability of our financial, physical and human resources to deliver meaningful education and behaviour change programs.



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# Objective 3.1 We are acknowledged as a community leader in waste recovery & reuse

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| Strategies   | Actions   | Responsibility  | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2/23 2023/24 2024/25 |   | Informing Documents   |
| 3.1.1 Participate in Federal, State and Local Government forums to support             | a. Continue to develop existing relationships with Waste Authority and DWER       | CEO             | 1       | 1       | 1                    | 1 | Communications Plan   |
| the development of regional and metropolitan waste management policies and legislation | b. Advocate for extended producer responsibility and circular economy principals. | CEO             | 1       | 1       | 1                    | 1 | Communications Plan<br>SWMP No36,37                           |
|  | c. Advocate for legislation that supports the state's waste hierarchy             | CEO             | 1       | 1       | 1                    | 1 | National Waste Policy State<br>Waste Strategy<br>SWMP No35,36 |

# Objective 3.2 We effectively communicate with our community & stakeholders

| Stratogics   | Actions   | Docnoncibility            |         | Timef   | frame   |         | Informing Documents                                |
|--|---|---------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|
| Strategies   | Actions   | Responsibility            | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/25 | Informing Documents                                |
| 3.2.1 Develop and implement an effective community education program                             | a. Implement community education plan actions   | CEO and<br>Communications | 1       | ✓       | 1       | ✓       | Communications Plan<br>Recycle Right Plan          |
| program  | b. Undertake an annual review of the community education plan                                     | Communications            | 1       | ✓       | 1       | ✓       | SWMP<br>Recycle Right Plan                         |
| 3.2.2 Partner with member councils and complementary organisations to promote behavioural change | a. Continue to work with and provide support to waste reduction groups                            | Communications            | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | Community Engagement<br>Plan<br>Recycle Right Plan |
| towards waste recovery and reuse   | b. Promote the Recycle Right Program amongst member councils as the regional recycling initiative | Communications            | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | Community Engagement<br>Plan<br>Recycle Right Plan |
|  | c. Promote the benefits of source separation for 3-bin systems                                    | Communications            | ✓       | ✓       | 1       | 1       | Community Engagement<br>Plan<br>Recycle Right Plan |
|  | d. Actively pursue funding and partnership opportunities for educational programs                 | Communications            | ✓       | ✓       | 1       | ✓       | Community Engagement<br>Plan<br>Recycle Right Plan |
|  | e. Lead trial projects to reuse recycled materials  | Communications            | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | ✓       | Community Engagement<br>Plan<br>Recycle Right Plan |



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### **Community & Stakeholder Relationships Key Performance Indicators**

| Performance Indicator  | How it will be measured   | Actuals |         |         | Targ    | gets    |         |
|--|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Performance Indicator  | now it will be measured   | 2019/20 | 2019/20 | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | 2023/24 | 2024/25 |
| SMRC is acknowledged as a leader in waste management and resource recovery | Community survey  | >80%    |         | >80%    | >80%    | >80%    |         |
| Community awareness of the Recycle Right brand                             | Community Survey  | >40%    |         | >50%    | >50%    | >50%    |         |
| Number of community contacts   | Number of persons receiving waste education from SMRC e.g. RRRC tour visitors, community and school education, awareness programs run by SMRC | >5,000  |         | >5,000  | >5,000  | >5,000  |         |
| RecycleRight Website   | Number of hits on the Recycle Right website   | >50,000 |         | >60,000 | >60,000 | >60,000 |         |



# 6. Resourcing Plans

## 6.1 Long-Term Financial Plan (LFTP)

The LTFP includes the financial estimates modelled in the RRRC Amended Business Plan and the funding of actions contained in this Plan.

SMRC's revenue sources include: Participant contributions towards operating, education and capital (borrowings); customers fee for service and cash backed reserves.

The RRRC Amended Business Plan assumes the complete transition of the WCF to a Pre-Sort and Transfer Station for FOGO processing by 1 July 2020.

Financial resources are planned for in the annual budget, as adopted by Council, and the 10 year Long Term Financial Plan. These documents are available on the SMRC's website.

## 6.2 Asset Management Plans (AMP)

The AMP identifies the asset classes and the estimated spend for annual maintenance programs renewals and new acquisitions.

The AMP takes into account the RRRC asset transition program and the decommissioning of surplus assets and commissioning of new assets to meet the changes in the business delivery model relating to this Plan.

### 6.3 Workforce Plan (WFP)

The Workforce Plan (WFP) details our resour required to meet the business delivery mod contained in this Plan.



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# **PURPOSE**: COLLABORATION TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE WASTE MANAGEMENT ACROSS THE COMMUNITIES IN THE SOUTH METRO REGION

Outcome 1: Inform the Recycle Right Strategy with a strong evidence base

Outcome 2: Deliver consistent waste education messages

Outcome 3: Maximise effectiveness through collaboration and partnership

Outcome 4: Monitor outcomes and refine performance

use results to inform waste Promote survey results. Coordinate survey with education, promotion Use results to Catalyse. Inform community and events and review Circulate results to Member education (tours and effectiveness on behaviour Councils change. outreach events) as well as school-based Inform community education education (tours and (tours and outreach events) as incursions) well as school-based education (tours and incursions) Report on effectiveness of Recycle Right activities on behaviour change. Use to inform future strategies. Strategy 1.2 Share learnings from individual and collective research Maintain and increase Ensure open communication Ensure open Regular 3-monthly Recycle Ongoing Right 'Reference Group' collaboration between channels and regular planning communication meetings for key promotion channels and regular Meetings - feed in key educators and activities and events promotion activities and communication staff planning meetings across member councils for key promotion events activities and events

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Strategy 1.1 Maximise benefit from community perception surveys

Outcome 1: Inform the Recycle Right Strategy with a strong evidence base

Work with Member Councils to

formulate questions that are

beneficial to all.

**Actions required** 

Undertake Biennial community perception

survey (with Catalyse) and

**Priority** 

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Timeframe

Sep-21

**Recycle Right 'Members'** 

**Member Councils** 

Contribute to

questions.

development of survey

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| #   | Actions required  | SMRC   | Member Councils  | Recycle Right 'Members'   | Timeframe |   | iorit<br>IRC |   |
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| Oı  | itcome 2: Deliver cons  | sistent waste education  | messages   |   | 1         |   |              |   |
| Str | ategy 2.1 Ensure regionally   | consistent waste education me  | essaging across Councils   | and all waste types   |           |   |              |   |
| 3   | "Deliver consistent waste education messages and resources via: - the Recycle Right website and app - material for social media and publications - annual waste calendar/ waste guides for Councils (if required) - regular Recycle Right eNews - CALD/community resources" | "Promote Recycle Right and WasteSorted messages (& State Waste Strategy). Ongoing formulation of FOGO, RRRC & general waste messaging and production of material." | "Promote Recycle Right and Waste Sorted messages (& State Waste Strategy) in print, social media, digital media (LCD, screens), and other (eg. truck decals, buses, billboards). Distribute ongoing FOGO, RRRC and general waste messaging.  Advise SMRC of events for inclusion in the Regional Event Calendar (e.g. PFJ, National Recycling Week, Science Week, Easter, etc)." | "Promote Recycle Right and WasteSorted messages (& State Waste Strategy) in print, social media, digital media (screens), and other (eg. truck decals). Distribute ongoing FOGO, RRRC and general waste messaging.  Liaise on National Campaigns (e.g. PFJ, National Recycling Week, Science Week, Easter, etc)." | Ongoing   |   |              |   |
| 4   | Raise community awareness on how to recycle waste not destined for household bins (e.g. bulk verge, hazardous materials, E-waste, construction waste)   | Develop education/<br>promotional material to align<br>with HHW, C&D and bulk verge  | Use education material to promote collection, recycling and disposal of HHW, C&D and bulk verge waste.   | If relevant, use education<br>material to promote<br>collection, recycling and<br>disposal of HHW, C&D and<br>bulk verge waste.   | Ongoing   |   |              |   |

| #   | Actions required  | SMRC  | Member Councils   | Recycle Right 'Members'   | Timeframe  | 1 | orit<br>IRC |   |
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| Ou  | itcome 2: Deliver cons  | sistent waste education r   | messages (continue  | ed)   |            |   |             |   |
| Str | ategy 1.2 Share learnings fro   | om individual and collective res  | earch (continued)   |   |            |   |             |   |
| 5   | Develop business<br>education material to<br>improve waste outcomes                                     | With Waste Ed Officers to develop business education material to avoid/reduce/sort waste.   | "Work with SMRC to<br>develop material.<br>Identify businesses<br>suitable for rollout of<br>produced material."  | Consider sharing material if successful.                            | 2020-22    |   |             |   |
| 6   | Review Recycle Right Style<br>Guide   | "Work with Comms Officers to<br>review the style guide so it fits<br>better and is complimentary to<br>Council branding.<br>Promote use of style guide<br>to all who use Recycle Right<br>material" | "Work with SMRC to<br>review the style guide<br>so it is complimentary<br>to Council branding.<br>Follow style guide<br>when promoting<br>Recycle Right material" | Follow style guide when promoting Recycle Right material            | Jul-Aug 21 |   |             |   |
| Str | ategy 2.2 Develop and upda  | ate education material for use c  | luring tours, incursions  | and excursions  |            |   |             |   |
| 7   | Update and promote education material and lesson plans for schools and community events                 | Develop the 7-Station School<br>Full-Day Incursion Program<br>(with WMRC).  | Support, promote and utilise school/community based education in own Council.   | Utilise school/community based resources in own Region if relevant. | Jun-21     |   |             |   |
| 8   | Revamp the RRRC<br>Education Centre to make it<br>a State-of-the-Art showcase<br>of waste and recycling | Develop material for Education<br>Centre (11 topics). Feedback<br>from Councils during<br>development process.  | Feedback in the development of Education Centre material.   | Feedback in the development of Education Centre material.           | Jul-22     |   |             |   |
| 9   | Maintain and further<br>develop the Community<br>Garden at the RRRC                                     | Develop material for<br>Community Garden with a<br>focus on FOGO/Compost  | Promote community garden (on tours)   | Promote community garden (on tours).                                | Ongoing    |   |             |   |
| 10  | Build the Recycle Right<br>Rangers volunteer program  |   |   | NA  | Jul-21     |   |             |   |

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| #   | Actions required  | SMRC  | Member Councils   | Recycle Right 'Members'  | Timeframe   |   | orii<br>IRC |   |
|-----|---|---|---|--|-------------|---|-------------|---|
|     |   |   |   |  |             | L | M           | Н |
| Ou  | tcome 2: Deliver cons   | sistent waste education r   | nessages (continue  | ed)  |             |   |             |   |
| Str | ategy 2.3 Develop online/di   | gital/audio resources   |   |  |             |   |             |   |
| 11  | Develop online<br>webinars (six per year)   | Provide business case. Liaise with Member Councils to determine appropriate topics for webinars.      | Liaise with SMRC to<br>determine appropriate<br>topics for webinars.<br>Promote webinars. | Liaise with SMRC to determine appropriate topics for webinars. Promote webinars.                         | 2021-22     |   |             |   |
| 12  | Develop 'Talking Rubbish'<br>podcast and interview<br>experts from all facets of<br>waste industry                                  | Provide business case. Develop ideas for podcasts.  | Identify experts to interview. Promote podcasts.  | Identify experts to interview.<br>Promote podcasts.  | 2021-22     |   |             |   |
| Ou  | tcome 3: Maximise et  | ffectiveness through coll   | aboration and part  | nership  |             |   |             |   |
| Str | ategy 3.1 Investigate new p   | artnerships and funding opport  | tunities  |  |             |   |             |   |
| 13  | Expand the Recycle Right<br>'Membership' program  | Identify Councils, Regional<br>Councils and Shires to<br>approach with Recycle Right<br>Business Plan | NA  | "Liaise with SMRC regarding<br>member benefits etc.<br>Attend Recycle Right<br>Reference Group Meetings" | Ongoing     |   |             |   |
| 14  | Identify additional funding sources (including grants)  | Identify grants and write applications.   | Provide letters of support.   | Provide letters of support.  | As required |   |             |   |
| 15  | Collaborate with national<br>schemes and activities e.g.<br>Plastic Free July, National<br>Recycling Week, National<br>Science Week | Develop Regional partnerships if appropriate. Further promotion.                                      | Develop Regional partnerships if appropriate. Further promotion.                          | Develop Regional partnerships if appropriate. Further promotion.   | Ongoing     |   |             |   |

| #   | Actions required   | SMRC   | Member Councils Recycle Right 'Membe  |  | MRC Member Councils Recycle Right 'M |   | Timeframe | Prior<br>SMR( |  |  |
|-----|--|--|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|---------------|--|--|
|     |  |  |   |  |                                      | L | M         | Н             |  |  |
| Ou  | itcome 4: Monitor out  | comes and refine perfor  | mance   |  |                                      |   |           |               |  |  |
| Str | ategy 4.1 Monitor improvem   | ents in accuracy of household  | waste behaviour   |  |                                      |   |           |               |  |  |
| 16  | Undertake bin tagging program  | "Plan and execute audits and<br>bin tagging programs targeting<br>households and areas with<br>high levels of contamination.<br>Analyse data and provide<br>report on findings to Member<br>Councils." | "Provide household data to inform bin tagging zones. Utilise reports to inform waste management strategies and community members (to improve residents behaviour)." | Investigate sharing 'pool' of trained bin taggers between regions. | Ongoing                              |   |           |               |  |  |
| 17  | Assist with education related to roll-out of FOGO to Multi-Unit Developments (MUDs), shared bin residences and commercial properties (if required) | Explore issues faced in Multi-<br>Unit Developments (MUDs),<br>shared bin residences' and<br>commercial properties.  | Rollout FOGO to<br>MUDs and shared bin<br>residences.   | NA   | by 2025                              |   |           |               |  |  |
| 18  | Promote FOGO processing<br>and FOGO-derived end-<br>products   | Liaise with Member Councils to<br>produce material to promote<br>FOGO processing/end products<br>- Q&As, comms plan, FOGO<br>video and photos for use by<br>Councils.                                  | "Work with SMRC to develop FOGO promotional material. Utilise resources to promote FOGO processing and end-products.to residents."                                  | NA   | by 2025                              |   |           |               |  |  |

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# SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL

# Draft 2021/22 ANNUAL BUDGET

For the Year ending 30 June 2022

#### **Our Vision:**

We deliver innovative and sustainable waste management solutions for the benefit of our communities and the environment

On behalf of our Participant Local Governments











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#### 1 STATEMENT BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The attached budget financial report of the Southern Metropolitan Regional Council for financial year ending 30 June 2022 has been prepared in accordance with applicable the Australian Accounting Standards and comply with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1995 and Regulations under that Act.

#### 2 BUDGET OVERVIEW 2021-2022

The 2021/22 Annual Budget has reduced due to the factors itemized in the report and mainly resulting from a reduction in tonnes from commercial customers.

The annual budget estimates are based on known tonnages, variable process costs and fixed costs. It does not consider hypothetical additional tonnes that may be received during the year.

The RRRC Project Budget is SMRC's core business and makes up the following:

- Operating Revenue \$16.5M (\$29.1M)
- Operating Expenditure \$20M (\$27M)
- Capital Expenditure \$2M (\$4.4M)
- Capital Loan Repayment \$3.4M (\$3.3M)

In March 2021, the Regional Council Participants reviewed the strategic direction agreeing to continue the operations and attracting new business and re-purpose existing assets on the RRRC site.

The annual financial impact of the withdrawal of the City of Kwinana is just under \$100K and will be re-distributed to remaining participants.

The introduction of the Container Deposit Scheme (CDS) provides the revenue opportunity to reduce RRRC participants' contributions.

The introduction of the commonwealth mixed plastics export ban will negatively impact income due to higher onshore processing costs. The MRF budget base gate fees will be adjusted through our rise and fall mechanism ensuring any additional costs are fully funded.

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#### 3 THE SMRC AT A GLANCE

The Southern Metropolitan Regional Council (SMRC) is a statutory local government authority established in 1991 by local governments in the southern metropolitan region of Perth. The SMRC is responsible for developing environmentally sustainable waste management solutions and climate change abatement measures for the communities of;

- Town of East Fremantle
- City of Fremantle
- City of Melville

The SMRC operates the Regional Resource Recovery Centre (RRRC) in Canning Vale, which receives and recovers waste from some of its member local governments and the community.

In March 2021, the Regional Council Participants again reviewed the strategic direction noting that:

- a. The three-bin Food Organics and Garden Organics (FOGO) system had been successfully implemented in the three participant council jurisdictions;
- the existing Waste Composting Facility has been re-roofed, the removal of decommissioned redundant equipment including digesters and associated infrastructure;
- c. a transitioning to a modified Food and Organics process is underway with excess capacity available for third party contracts;
- d. the Container Deposit Scheme (CDS) had provided additional revenues;
- e. rapidly changing market conditions for recovered recyclables due to export bans between 2021 and 2024 will bring about unknown future cost implications for all local governments in Australia; and
- f. Agreements have been signed with Avertas to dispose of genuine residual waste to an Energy from Waste Facility in Kwinana
- g. reduced membership.

The WA State Government strategies include the requirement that a consistent three bin kerbside collection system, including separation of food organics and garden organics (FOGO) from other waste categories, is provided by all local governments in the Perth and Peel region by 2025. It also introduces challenging targets for material recovery of 70% by 2025 and a target of only 15% of waste generated in Perth and Peel is landfilled by 2030.

The RRRC currently diverts 65% of household waste from landfill achieving the State Government's 2020 target.

#### **Enabling legislation**

The SMRC became a regional local government on October 30, 1991, pursuant to the Local Government Act 1960. By virtue of the transitional provisions of the Local Government Act 1995, it is constituted as a regional local government under that Act. On April 22, 1998, the constitution was replaced by an establishment agreement made between the participants and approved by the Minister for Local Government. A regional local government has the same general function of a local government, including its legislative and executive functions, except as stated in section 3.66 of the Local Government Act 1995.





#### **4 REGIONAL PURPOSE**

The regional purposes for which the SMRC is established are:

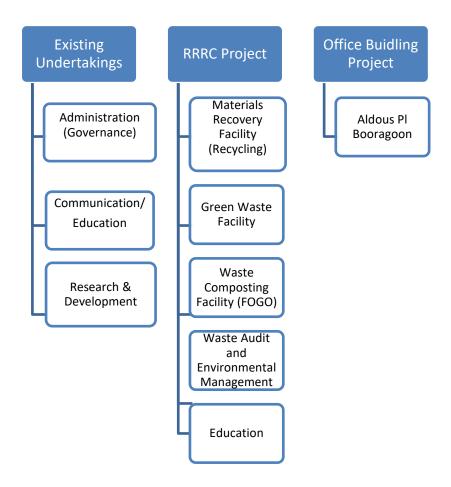
- (a) to plan, coordinate and implement the removal, processing, treatment and disposal of waste for the benefit of the communities of the Participants;
- (b) to influence local, State and Federal Governments in the development of regional waste management policies and legislation;

The SMRC operates under its Establishment Agreement 2000, an agreement between its Participant Local Governments. Each Project has a business plan and a Project Participants' Agreement signed by Participants, who have agreed to part of that Project,

Participants have agreed to make contributions towards the services provided by the SMRC to manage these activities.

The graph below shows the three functions of the SMRC, governed by agreements.

Table 1







#### **5 STRATEGIC PLAN**

#### Our Vision...

#### We deliver innovative and sustainable waste management solutions for the benefit of our communities and the environment

A strategic directions workshop was held in March 2021, the following strategies and actions were the outcomes from the workshop.

The strategies remain in alignment in the Strategic Community Plan and Corporate Business Plan.

The financial obligations to achieve the strategies and actions referred to in the plan are included in the 2021/22 Annual Budget under the relevant business unit budgets.

#### Table 2

| Ke | y Strategies                                    | Actions   |  |  |  |  |
|----|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1. | Review governance structure                     | Facilitate review of SMRC Establishment Agreement, Project Participant Agreements and meeting structures  |  |  |  |  |
| 2. | Understand and articulate our value proposition | Prepare a Value Proposition Statement   |  |  |  |  |
| 3. | Form alliances & partnerships                   | Maintain a flexible approach to opportunities for outsourcing SMRC activities and/or business partnering.   |  |  |  |  |
| 4. | Enhance and leverage brand equity               | Create and promote a brand that reflects the vision and objectives of SMRC  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. | Develop an advocacy strategy                    | Develop an advocacy strategy to promote SMRC's value proposition to stakeholders including WA Government, WALGA and individual local governments in order to achieve desired outcomes.  Establish a working group to ensure a collaborative approach to delivering the advocacy strategy. |  |  |  |  |
| 6. | Deliver communication and waste education       | Undertake a review, in consultation with participants, on the regional community education program.   |  |  |  |  |

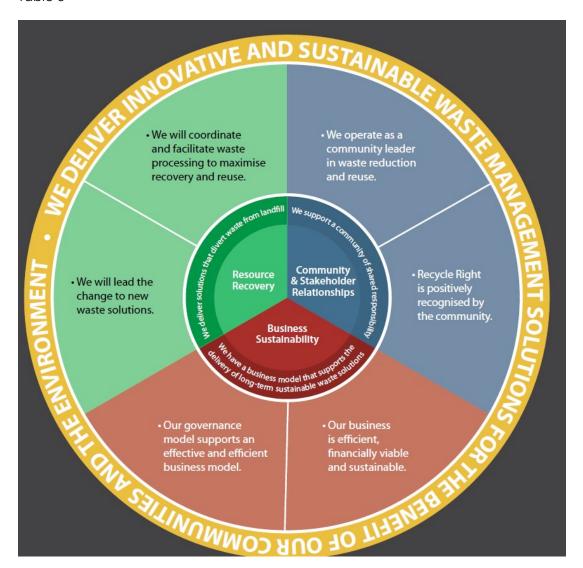




#### **Our Vision**

The delivery of the vision is achieved by undertaking actions across three Key Focus Areas, which are the core components of our business.

Table 3







# **6 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY**

#### Table 4

| SOUTHERN METROPO                     | LITAN REGIONAL  | COUNCIL     |              |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|
|                                      | FINANCIAL ACTIV |             |              |
|                                      | NDED 30 JUNE 20 | 22          |              |
| BY NATURE OR TYPE                    |                 |             |              |
|                                      | 2020/21         | 2021/22     |              |
|                                      | Rev. Budget     | Budget      | Variance     |
|                                      | \$              | \$          | \$           |
| REVENUE                              |                 |             |              |
| Operating Grants, Subsidies and      |                 |             |              |
| Contributions:                       |                 |             |              |
| Members:                             | 13,178,364      | 11,276,748  | (1,901,616)  |
| Others:                              | 2,964,334       | 1,712,642   | (1,251,692)  |
| Fees and Charges                     | 13,441,458      | 3,841,063   | (9,600,395)  |
| Interest Earnings                    | 24,000          | 24,000      | -            |
| Other Revenues                       | 1,100           | 1,100       | -            |
|                                      | 29,609,256      | 16,855,553  | (12,753,703) |
| EXPENSES                             |                 |             |              |
| Employee Costs                       | 8,636,534       | 5,568,798   | (3,067,736)  |
| Materials and Contracts              | 12,032,715      | 9,072,318   | (2,960,397)  |
| Utility Charges                      | 789,570         | 449,590     | (339,980)    |
| Depreciation on Non-current Assets   | 2,697,576       | 2,697,576   | -            |
| Interest Expenses                    | 838,110         | 514,114     | (323,996)    |
| Insurance Expenses                   | 1,876,872       | 2,228,230   | 351,358      |
|                                      | 26,871,377      | 20,530,626  | (6,340,751)  |
| NET OPERATING SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)    | 2,737,879       | (3,675,073) | - 6,412,952  |
| Add:                                 |                 |             |              |
| Depreciation on Non-current Assets   | 2,697,576       | 2,697,576   | -            |
| Interest for Make Good Provision     | 83,000          | 80,700      | (2,300)      |
| NET OPERATING POSITION               | 5,518,455       | (896,797)   | (6,415,252)  |
| Add / (Less):                        |                 |             |              |
| Add: Non-operating Grants            | 250,000         | -           | (250,000)    |
| Less : Capital Expenditure           | (4,365,000)     | (2,000,000) | 2,365,000    |
| Less: Loan Repayments                | (3,284,059)     | (3,398,802) | (114,743)    |
| Add :Loan Contributions from Members | 3,284,059       | 3,398,802   | 114,743      |
| Less: Lease Repayments               | (669,741)       | (574,203)   | 95,538       |
| Add: Transfer from Reserves          | 1,743,000       | 2,000,000   | 257,000      |
| Less: Transfer to Reserves           | (3,400,000)     | (400,000)   | 3,000,000    |
| NET CAPITAL POSITION                 | (6,441,741)     | (974,203)   | 5,467,538    |
| NET OPERATING & CAPITAL POSITION     | (923,286)       | (1,871,000) | (947,714)    |
| Add: OPENING FUNDS                   | 3,414,757       | 4,271,000   | 856,243      |
| CLOSING FUNDS                        | 2,491,471       | 2,400,000   | (91,471)     |







#### Table 5

| EXPLANATION FOR VARIANCE   | CES  |              |
|--|--|--------------|
| REVENUE  |  |              |
| Members  | RRRC Overhead contributions reduced                      | (1,901,616)  |
| Others   | Reduction in grants and CDS revenue                      | (1,251,692)  |
| Fees and Charges   | Reduction in MRF customers                               | (9,600,395)  |
| Interest Earnings  |  | -            |
| Other  |  | _            |
| Total Revenue Variance (Gai  | n)   | (12,753,703) |
| EXPENDITURE  |  |              |
| Employee Costs   | Reduction in MRF employment                              | (3,067,736)  |
| Materials and Contracts  | Reduction in MRF variable Expenses for additional tonnes | (2,960,397)  |
| Utility Charges  | Reduction in consumption usage                           | (339,980)    |
| Depreciation .   | ·  | -            |
| Interest Expenses  |  | (323,996)    |
| Insurance Expenses   | pre mium increase  | 351,358      |
| Total Expenditure Variance (   | Gain)  | (6,340,751)  |
| Net Operating Surplus Varia  | nce  | (6,412,952)  |
| Less: Make Good Provision  | Non-Cash Interest on future value                        | (2,300)      |
| Less: Non-operating Grants   | Waste Authority Grant towards FOGO Shredder              | (250,000)    |
| Less Capital Expenditure   | \$2 M 2021/22 program refer to Capex Table               | 2,365,000    |
| Add Capital Lease Repaymer   | nt RRRC ground Lease Right of Use Asset                  | 95,538       |
| Add Transfer from Reserve  | \$2 M 2021/22 program refer to Capex Table               | 257,000      |
| Less Transfer to Reserve   | Reduction in MRF surplus                                 | 3,000,000    |
| Increase in Operating & Cap  | ital Budgets   | (947,714)    |
| In any and a Committee Com |  | 056.242      |
| Increase in Opening Funds d  | ue to surpius  | 856,243      |
| Increase in Closing Funds  |  | (91,471)     |





#### **7 EXISTING UNDERTAKINGS BUDGET**

#### Table 6

| SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL |                                 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY        |                                 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BY ACTIVITY                            |                                 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DI ACTIVITI                            |                                 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2020/21<br>Rev. Budget          | 2021/22<br>Budget | Variance  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$                              | \$                | \$        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| REVENUE                                | 7                               | <u> </u>          | т         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Governance                             | 141,407                         | 109,100           | (32,307)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Adminstration                          | 1,000                           | 1,000             | -         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Education                              | 209,329                         | 165,829           | (43,500)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| R&D Projects                           | 144,000                         | 34,000            | (110,000) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPERATING REVENUE                      | 495,736                         | 309,929           | (185,807) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| EXPENSES                               |                                 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Governance                             | 206,407                         | 209,100           | 2,693     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Adminstration                          | 1,000                           | 1,000             | -         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Education                              | 187,329                         | 165,829           | (21,500)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| R&D Projects                           | 184,612                         | 74,000            | (110,612) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MUDS Grant                             | 21,000                          | 51,000            | 30,000    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPERATING EXPENDITURE                  | 600,348                         | 500,929           | (99,419)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| _                                      |                                 |                   |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: Depreciation                      |                                 |                   | -         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPERATING EXPENDITURE                  | 600,348                         | 500,929           | (99,419)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NET RESULT                             | (104,612)                       | (191,000)         |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Administration budget of \$2M is allocated to other cost centre as administration overheads.

Net result of \$191,000 is funded from brought forward surpluses.

Net result variance is attributed to the reduction in R&D project one-off contribution in 2020-21.

#### 7.1 Reserve Funds

Table 7. Conference Reserve—to be used to fund the requirements for staff and Councillors' travel and conference attendance.

| CASH BACKED RESERVES          |                        |                   |         |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Break-up                      | 2020/21<br>Rev. Budget | 2021/22<br>Budget | Remarks |  |  |  |  |  |
|                               | \$                     | \$                |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Travel and Conference Reserve |                        |                   |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Opening Balance               | 25,000                 | 25,000            |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Transfer to Reserves          |                        |                   |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves        | -                      | -                 |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Closing Balance               | 25,000                 | 25,000            |         |  |  |  |  |  |







#### 7.2 Estimated Population (All Participants)

In accordance with the Establishment Agreement the population data used for calculating Participants' contributions shall be an amount which bears the same proportion to that operating, capital or borrowing expenditure as the Population of that Participant bears to the total of the Populations of all Participants.

Table 7. The City of Kwinana withdrew from the SMRC effective 1 July 2021 and no longer contributes to the SMRC. The population figures is taken from the 2020 Estimated Local Government Population data published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS).

Below is the percentage share for 3 participants. Used for calculating contributions for Existing Undertakings eg Governance, R&D, Education and Office Project.

| POPULATION     | OPULATION Est Pop 2019 |         | Est Pop | 2020    | Change   |         |  |  |
|----------------|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|--|--|
| East Fremantle | 7,837                  | 4.21%   | 7,908   | 5.53%   | 71       | 0.9%    |  |  |
| Fremantle      | 31,084                 | 16.68%  | 31,517  | 22.04%  | 433      | 1.4%    |  |  |
| Kw inana       | 45,092                 | 24.20%  | -       | 0.00%   | (45,092) | -100.0% |  |  |
| Melville       | 102,307                | 54.91%  | 103,581 | 72.43%  | 1,274    | 1.2%    |  |  |
| Total          | 186,320                | 100.00% | 143,006 | 100.00% | (43,314) | -23.2%  |  |  |

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)

#### 7.3 Proposed 2021/22 Annual Contributions

#### Table 8.

The City of Kwinana withdrew from the SMRC effective 1 July 2021 and no longer contributes to the SMRC. The financial impact from the withdrawal is \$96,333.

It is proposed that Communication & Education contribution of \$50,700 be re- distributed to the remaining participants.

The remaining \$45,618 be added to the administrative overhead cost, funded within the overhead contribution fee.

| ESTIMATED ANNUAL SMRC CONTRIBUTIONS |                |       |              |    | PULATION 2020 |               |     |        |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|-------|--------------|----|---------------|---------------|-----|--------|
|                                     | Governance     | C     | ommunication |    |               |               |     |        |
|                                     | Office Project | ct    | Education    |    | Total         | Total         |     | change |
|                                     | R&D            |       |              |    | 2021/22       | 2020/21       |     | \$     |
| Cockburn                            |                |       |              | \$ | -             | \$<br>-       | \$  | -      |
| East Fremantle                      | \$ 7,9         | 3 \$  | 20,323       | \$ | 28,236        | \$<br>25,520  | \$  | 2,716  |
| Fremantle                           | \$ 31,53       | 88 \$ | 80,993       | \$ | 112,531       | \$<br>101,220 | \$  | 11,311 |
| Kw inana                            | \$ -           | \$    | -            | \$ | -             | \$<br>96,333  | -\$ | 96,333 |
| Melville                            | \$ 103,65      | 50 \$ | 266,184      | \$ | 369,834       | \$<br>333,146 | \$  | 36,688 |
| Total                               | \$ 143,10      | )1 \$ | 367,500      | \$ | 510,601       | \$<br>556,219 | -\$ | 45,618 |





#### **8 RRRC PROJECT BUDGET**

#### 8.1 Key Budget Assumptions

- General expense increase based on Dept of Treasury WA 2021-22 forward estimates 2.5%.
- 2. Salaries and wages increase of 1.5% in accordance with the RRRC Workers Enterprise Agreement. Estimated additional increase \$113,000.
- 3. An allowance of 0.5% increase in compulsory superannuation guarantee to 10% from 1 July 2021. Estimated total on current workforce \$20,000.
- 4. Increase in overhead workforce by 1.4 FTE \$125,000pa. Procurement/contracts and accounts.
- 5. Increase in insurance premiums by 25% \$380,000.
- 6. Contributions applied to Est 2020 Residential Population for each participant.
- 7. City of Kwinana's contribution revenue financial impact from withdrawal (\$96,300).
- 8. MRF gate fee provision for the export ban legislation for plastic recycling.

# The Following table summarises the estimated RRRC operational parameters applied in the 2021/22 budget.

- 1. MRF net inflow of \$1.5 M from container deposit revenue.
- 2. Green Waste net surplus of \$0.4 M
- 3. Waste Composting Facility fixed costs include insurance, ground lease and electricity.
- 4. FOGO operations net surplus \$0.7M
- 5. Overheads revenue from contributions and net expense funded from surplus.
- 6. B/forward surplus FOGO net surplus
- 7. B/forward surplus includes portion of 2020/21 surplus spread over three years.

#### Table 9

| FY 2021/22                              |        |                 |         |            |             |            |                   |
|---|--------|-----------------|---------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------------|
| RRRC PROJECT BUDGET                     | Tonnes | Opening         | Reveune |            | Expenditure |            | Net               |
| Material Recovery Facility              | 26,000 |                 | \$      | 6,371,000  | \$          | 4,871,000  | \$<br>1,500,000   |
| Green Waste Facility                    | 8,160  |                 | \$      | 740,000    | \$          | 342,200    | \$<br>397,800     |
| WCF Fixed Csots                         |        |                 |         |            | \$          | 1,700,000  | \$<br>(1,700,000) |
| FOGO Operations                         | 27,530 | \$<br>270,608   | \$      | 4,133,685  | \$          | 3,463,890  | \$<br>940,403     |
| Overheads                               |        |                 | \$      | 2,200,000  | \$          | 4,338,203  | \$<br>(2,138,203) |
| Red Bin Waste                           | 13,600 |                 | \$      | 2,000,000  | \$          | 2,000,000  | \$<br>-           |
| B/Forward Surplus Yr 1 (\$3M / 3 years) |        | \$<br>1,000,000 |         |            |             |            | \$<br>1,000,000   |
| Total                                   |        | \$<br>1,270,608 | \$      | 15,444,685 | \$          | 16,715,293 | \$<br>-           |

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#### 8.2 Proposed 2021/22 RRRC Project Contributions

#### **RRRC Gate fees - Participants**

- Material Recovery Facility (MRF) Calculated on net operational cost with exception of container deposit revenue and with a quarterly adjustment on recycling commodity pricing.
- 2. **Green Waste Facility (GWF) –** Calculated on net operational cost after commercial revenue and \$0.4M contribution margin towards RRRC fixed costs.
- Residents Red Bin Disposal Calculated on actual contracted cost of transfer/disposal service.
- 4. Food Organic Green Organic (FOGO) Calculated on net operational cost after \$0.5M contribution margin towards RRRC fixed costs.
- 5. RRRC Administrative Overheads Contribution Corporate and RRRC administrative costs are not directly allocated to RRRC business units and contributions are calculated on tonnes generated from participants' FOGO and red bin less operational surpluses and a \$1M brought forward surplus.

#### **RRRC Commercial gate fees**

- 1. As per adopted fees and changes
- 2. Contracted price as per SMRC's Pricing Policy.

#### **RRRC Annual Loan Repayment Contribution**

Table 10

| RRRC Loan      | Population | Est Pop<br>2020 | Budget  |           | Budget  |           | Budget   |  | Budget |         | Budget |  | Budget |  | Budget |  | Budget Actual |  | Change |  |
|----------------|------------|-----------------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|----------|--|--------|---------|--------|--|--------|--|--------|--|---------------|--|--------|--|
|                |            | %               | 2021/22 |           | 2021/22 |           | 2021/22  |  |        | 2020/21 | \$     |  |        |  |        |  |               |  |        |  |
| Cockburn       | 117,352    | 45.07%          | \$      | 1,634,539 | \$      | 1,632,128 | 2,411    |  |        |         |        |  |        |  |        |  |               |  |        |  |
| East Fremantle | 7,908      | 3.04%           | \$      | 110,251   | \$      | 111,995   | (1,744)  |  |        |         |        |  |        |  |        |  |               |  |        |  |
| Fremantle      | 31,517     | 12.11%          | \$      | 439,190   | \$      | 443,600   | (4,410)  |  |        |         |        |  |        |  |        |  |               |  |        |  |
| Melville       | 103,581    | 39.78%          | \$      | 1,442,689 | \$      | 1,460,306 | (17,617) |  |        |         |        |  |        |  |        |  |               |  |        |  |
| Total          | 260,358    | 100.00%         | \$      | 3,626,669 | \$      | 3,648,029 | (21,360) |  |        |         |        |  |        |  |        |  |               |  |        |  |

#### 8.3 Proposed 2021/22 RRRC Project Budget

Table 11

Budget reduction is due to reduced tonnes processed at the facility.



#### **DRAFT 2021-22 ANNUAL BUDGET**



| SOUTHERN METROPOLITAN REGIONAL COUNCIL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY |                   |                      |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|-------------------|----------------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022  |                   |                      |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BY ACTIVITY  | 2020/24           | 2024/22              |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2020/21           | 2021/22              |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Rev. Budget<br>\$ | Budget<br>\$         | Variance<br>\$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| REVENUE  | ,                 | ş                    | ,              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Education   | 208,672           | 261 072              | 53,300         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Adminstration   | 4,084,100         | 261,972<br>2,284,100 | (1,800,000     |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Loan Interest   | 364,000           | 2,284,100            | (136,133)      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Muds Grant   | 304,000           | 30,000               | 30,000         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC MRF   | 16,976,236        | 6,371,000            | (10,605,236    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Greenwaste  | 766,000           | 740,000              | (26,000        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC WCF   | 1,958,944         | 2,000,000            | 41,056         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC WCF Transition  | 1,550,544         | 2,000,000            | 41,030         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC FOGO  | 4,220,868         | 4,133,685            | (87,183)       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Business Development  | 400,000           | 400,000              | (87,183        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Waste Audits  | 109,700           | 97,000               | (12,700        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Maintenance Overheads   | 103,700           | -                    | (12,700        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC FOGO Education  | 25,000            | _                    | (25,000        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPERATING REVENUE  | 29,113,520        | 16,545,624           | (12,567,896)   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| EXPENSES   | 23,113,328        | 10,5-15,02-1         | (12)507)050    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Education   | 290,672           | 261,972              | (28,700)       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Adminstration   | 4,978,482         | 4,114,347            | (864,135       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Loan Interest   | 364,000           | 227,867              | (136,133)      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC MRF   | 10,220,760        | 4,871,000            | (5,349,760     |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Greenwaste  | 290,200           | 352,200              | 62,000         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC WCF   | 3,872,944         | 3,700,000            | (172,944       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC WCF Transition  | -                 | -                    | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC FOGO  | 3,745,123         | 3,527,735            | (217,388)      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Business Development  | -                 | -                    | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Waste Audits  | 109,700           | 97,000               | (12,700)       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC Maintenance Overheads   | -                 | · -                  | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| RRRC FOGO Education  | 371,313           | 180,000              | (191,313)      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provision for employee redundancies                                    |                   |                      | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPERATING EXPENDITURE  | 24,243,194        | 17,332,121           | (6,911,073     |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |                   |                      |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: Depreciation  | 2,697,576         | 2,697,576            | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OPERATING EXPENDITURE  | 26,940,770        | 20,029,697           | (6,911,073)    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NET RESULT   | 2,172,750         | (3,484,073)          |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: ROU Interest  | 1,003,651         |                      | (1,003,651)    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Adjustment   |                   |                      | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Provision for Redundancy   |                   |                      | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Provision for Inventory  |                   |                      | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: Interest for Make Good Provision                                  | 83,000            | 80,700               | (2,300)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NET OPERATING POSITION   | 5,956,977         | (705,797)            | (6,662,774     |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add / (Less):  |                   |                      |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: Non-operating Grants  | 250,000           | -                    | (250,000)      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less Capital Expenditure   | (4,365,000)       | (2,000,000)          | 2,365,000      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciation on Non-current Assets                                     |                   |                      | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Loan Repayments  | (3,284,059)       | (3,398,802)          | (114,743       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add :Loan Contributions from Members                                   | 3,284,059         | 3,398,802            | 114,743        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Lease Repayments   | -                 | (574,203)            | (574,203)      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: Past Participants Contribution                                    |                   |                      | -              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add : Transfer from Reserves   | 1,743,000         | 2,000,000            | 257,000        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Transfer to Reserves   | (3,400,000)       | (400,000)            | 3,000,000      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NET CAPITAL POSITION   | (5,772,000)       | (974,203)            | 4,797,797      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NET OPERATING & CAPITAL POSITION                                       | 184,977           | (1,680,000)          | (1,864,977)    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add: OPENING FUNDS   | 3,414,757         | 4,271,000            | 856,243        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CLOSING FUNDS  | 3,599,734         | 2,591,000            | (1,008,734)    |  |  |  |  |  |  |





### 8.4 Proposed 2021/22 RRRC Capital Expenditure Budget

#### Table 12

| CAPITAL EXPENDITURE                                     |             |           |             |  |  |
|---|-------------|-----------|-------------|--|--|
| Facility  | 2020/21     | 2021/22   | Variance    | Remarks  |  |
| •   | Rev. Budget | Budget    |             |  |  |
| RRRC ADMIN  |             |           |             |  |  |
| MRF   |             |           |             |  |  |
| Mobile Plant  |             |           |             |  |  |
| 2 x Forklifts   | 135,000     |           | (135,000)   |  |  |
| Baling Line   |             |           | -           |  |  |
| Bailer Twin Ram   | 400,000     |           | (400,000)   |  |  |
| Baler - Godswill - Repair floor                         |             | 50,000    | 50,000      | Major Overhaul                                     |  |
| Baler - Conveyor BFC1 & BF1-4                           |             | 90,000    | 90,000      | Roller Replacement/ bed repairs/ skirts - BFC1, BI |  |
| Container Line  |             |           | -           |  |  |
| C2 Conveyor Chains & Guards                             | 70,000      | 150,000   | 80,000      | Major Overhaul                                     |  |
| OCCS1 separator screen                                  | 200,000     |           | (200,000)   |  |  |
| News sort screen  | 460,000     |           | (460,000)   |  |  |
| PLC Contoller   | 80,000      |           | (80,000)    |  |  |
| Optical Sorters   | 233,000     | 300,000   | 67,000      | Renewal upgrade                                    |  |
| Polishing Screen  | 152,000     | 40,000    | (112,000)   | Renewal upgrade                                    |  |
| Glass Breaker shaft overhaul                            | 200,000     |           | (200,000)   | .,   |  |
| Critical Spares - Large                                 | 60,000      |           | (60,000)    |  |  |
| Gearboxes on chain conveyors Replacement Dust Collector | 70,000      | F0 000    | (20,000)    | Major Overhaul                                     |  |
| and ducting – MRF Baghouse                              | 70,000      | 50,000    | (20,000)    | Major Overhaul                                     |  |
| Glass Bunker Curtain<br>Replacement                     | 10,000      | 20,000    | 10,000      | Major Overhaul                                     |  |
| Glass Tommel Mech<br>Replacement                        |             | 30,000    | 30,000      | Worn mesh affests glass quality                    |  |
| Plastic Bottle perforator                               | 30,000      | 50,000    | 20,000      | Renewal upgrade                                    |  |
| Waste compactors  | 30,000      | 40,000    | 40,000      | Rebuld   |  |
| Bale Shed CCTV  | 20,000      | 40,000    | (20,000)    | New  |  |
| Sub Total   | 2,120,000   | 820,000   |             | TYCYV  |  |
| WCF   | 2,120,000   | 020,000   | (1,300,000) | <u>-</u>   |  |
| WCF Roof Remediation Works                              | 1,350,000   |           | (1,350,000) |  |  |
| 2 x 30m3 waste bins                                     | 1,550,000   |           | -           |  |  |
| WCF Trommel Upgrades                                    | 40,000      | 30,000    | (10,000)    | FOGO operations                                    |  |
| Decommisioning of digestors                             | 500,000     | 500,000   | (10,000)    | Civil Works to make good demolition works          |  |
| Slow Speed Shredder                                     | 325,000     | 300,000   | (325,000)   | C.V. WOLKS to make good demonition wolks           |  |
| Loader Bucket   | 30,000      |           | (30,000)    |  |  |
| HookLift Truck  | 30,000      | 300,000   | 300,000     | Replacement FOGO operations                        |  |
| Front End Loander                                       |             | 350,000   |             | Replacement FOGO operations                        |  |
| Sub Total   | 2,245,000   | 1,180,000 |             | -  |  |
| Total Capital Expenditure                               | 4,365,000   | 2,000,000 | , , ,       | -  |  |
| Funded from Operations                                  | 665,000     | _,000,000 | (665,000)   |  |  |
| Funded from Reserves                                    | 1,743,000   | 2,000,000 | 257,000     |  |  |
| Funded from Grant                                       | 1,957,000   | 2,000,000 | (1,957,000) |  |  |
| Total Capital Expenditure                               | 4,365,000   | 2,000,000 | (2,365,000) | -  |  |
| Buildings   | 1,350,000   | _,500,000 | (1,350,000) |  |  |
| Mobile Plant  | 530,000     | 650,000   | 120,000     |  |  |
| Fixed Plant & equipment                                 | 2,465,000   | 1,350,000 | (1,115,000) |  |  |
| IT Equipment  | 20,000      | 1,330,000 | (20,000)    |  |  |
| Total Capital Expenditure                               | 4,365,000   | 2,000,000 | , , ,       |  |  |





#### 8.5 2021/22 RRRC Borrowing Program

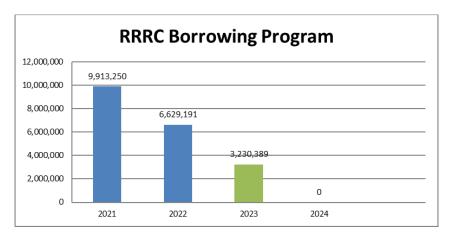
Table 13

#### **Outstanding Borrowing Program**

| (a). The Regional Resource Recovery Centre Loan                                  |  |                  |             |           |  |  |
|--|--|------------------|-------------|-----------|--|--|
| The RRRC Project Participants have guaranteed by way of security, to the Western |  |                  |             |           |  |  |
| Australian Treasury Corporation, a   | charge over  | its general fu   | nds for the | share     |  |  |
| of any outstanding debenture borro   | of any outstanding debenture borrowings provided for the RRRC Project. |                  |             |           |  |  |
| Project Participants' limit of its sha   | re of the loa  | n liability is a | s follows:  |           |  |  |
|  | 30-Jun-21 30-Jun-22  |                  |             |           |  |  |
| City of Cockburn   | 44.74%   | 2,965,900        | 45.07%      | 1,455,936 |  |  |
| Town of East Fremantle   | 3.07%  | 203,516          | 3.04%       | 98,204    |  |  |
| City of Fremantle  | 12.16%   | 806,110          | 12.11%      | 391,200   |  |  |
| City of Melville   | 40.03%   | 2,653,665        | 39.78%      | 1,285,049 |  |  |
|  |  | 6,629,191        |             | 3,230,389 |  |  |

#### **Key Budget Assumptions**

- 1. Contributions and borrowing liability based on annual changes in population.
- 2. Fixed interest on borrowings \$227,867
- 3. Capital repayment on borrowings of \$3.4 Million.
- 4. Annual Borrowing Contributions by participants \$3.6M
- 5. No new borrowings.







#### 8.6 2021/22 RRRC Reserve Funds

Table 14

| Draft Budget Reserve Balances as at 30 June 2022 |              |              |       |             |  |  |
|--|--------------|--------------|-------|-------------|--|--|
|  | Contingency  | Restoration  | Total |             |  |  |
| 30-Jun-21  | \$ 7,296,815 | \$ 1,370,247 | \$    | 8,667,062   |  |  |
| Transfer To                                      | 61,658       | 338,342      |       | 400,000     |  |  |
| Transfer From                                    | (2,000,000)  | -            |       | (2,000,000) |  |  |
| 30-Jun-22  | \$ 5,358,473 | \$ 1,708,589 | \$    | 7,067,062   |  |  |

Table 15

RRRC Contingency - To fund shortfalls in operating expenditure, asset renewals and disposals, employment termination provisions and Insurance claims below the excess for the Canning Vale RRRC Project.

RRRC Restoration – to be used to meet lease obligations resulting from an early termination of the Ground Lease or at the expiry of the Ground Lease.

Contingency Reserve funds Capital Expenditure Program of \$2M

| CASH BACKED RESERVES       |             |             |                          |  |  |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------|--|--|
|                            | 2020/21     | 2021/22     | Remarks                  |  |  |
| Break-up                   | Rev. Budget | Budget      |                          |  |  |
|                            | \$          | \$          |                          |  |  |
| RRRC Contingency Reserve   |             |             |                          |  |  |
| Opening Balance            | 5,639,815   | 7,296,815   | Actual BFwd Balance      |  |  |
| Transfer to Reserves       | 400,000     | 61,658      | Carbon Credit Sales      |  |  |
| Transfer to Reserves       | 3,000,000   | -           | MRF Operational Surplus  |  |  |
| Total                      | 3,400,000   | 61,658      |                          |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     | 3,100,000   | 02,000      | IT Equipment             |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     |             |             | GWF Shredder overhaul    |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     | (393,000)   | (820,000)   | MRF Major Mtce Program   |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     | , , ,       | (1,180,000) | Mobile plant             |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     | (1,350,000) |             | WCF Roof Remedial Works  |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     |             |             | WCF FOGO Trommel Upgrade |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     |             |             |                          |  |  |
| Гotal                      | (1,743,000) | (2,000,000) |                          |  |  |
| Closing Balance            | 7,296,815   | 5,358,473   |                          |  |  |
| RRRC Restoration Reserve   |             |             |                          |  |  |
| Opening Balance            | 1,365,988   | 1,370,247   |                          |  |  |
| Transfer to Reserves       | -           | 338,342     |                          |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     | -           | -           |                          |  |  |
| Closing Balance            | 1,365,988   | 1,708,589   |                          |  |  |
|                            |             |             |                          |  |  |
| Total Cash Backed Reserves |             |             |                          |  |  |
| Opening Balance            | 7,005,803   | 8,667,062   |                          |  |  |
| Transfer to Reserves       | 3,400,000   | 400,000     |                          |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves     | (1,743,000) | (2,000,000) |                          |  |  |
| Closing Balance            | 8,662,803   | 7,067,062   | ·                        |  |  |





#### 9 OFFICE PROJECT BUDGET

#### 9.1 Key Budget Assumptions

- 6. City of Kwinana's contribution revenue financial impact from withdrawal (\$96,300).
- 7. Interest on borrowings for fixed two-year loan program.
- 8. No capital repayment on borrowings of \$1.8 Million.

Table 16

#### 9.2 Outstanding Borrowing Program

City of Kwinana withdrawal for the Project effective from 1 July 2021.

| (b). Administration Building (9 Aldous Place, Booragoon) Loan Limit \$2 Mill   |                          |               |                |           |           |  |
|--|--------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|--|
| The SMRC Participants have guaranteed by way of security, to the Western       |                          |               |                |           |           |  |
| Australian Treasury Corporation, a charge over its general funds for the share |                          |               |                |           |           |  |
| of any outstanding debenture borrowings provided for the SMRC Administration   |                          |               |                |           |           |  |
| building at 9 A  | Aldous Place, Boorage    | oon. WA 61    | 54.            |           |           |  |
| Participants' I  | imit of its share of the | loan liabilit | y is as follow | s:        |           |  |
|  |                          | 30-J          | un-21          | 30-Jun-22 |           |  |
|  |                          |               |                |           |           |  |
| Town of East Fremantle   |                          | 4.21%         | 75,780         | 5.53%     | 99,540    |  |
| City of Fremantle  |                          | 16.68%        | 300,240        | 22.04%    | 396,720   |  |
| Town of Kwinana  |                          | 24.20%        | 435,600        | 0.00%     | 0         |  |
| City of Melville   |                          | 54.91%        | 988,380        | 72.43%    | 1,303,740 |  |
|  |                          |               | 1,800,000      |           | 1,800,000 |  |

#### 9.3 Cash-Backed Reserve Fund

Table 17

Office Project - to be used for funding capital renewal expenditure and non-recurrent maintenance expenditure for the SMRC property located at 9 Aldous Place Booragoon.

| CASH BACKED RESERVES         |                              |                   |         |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|---------|--|--|--|
| Break-up                     | 2020/21<br>Rev. Budget       | 2021/22<br>Budget | Remarks |  |  |  |
|                              | \$                           | <u> </u>          |         |  |  |  |
| Office Accommodation Reserve | Office Accommodation Reserve |                   |         |  |  |  |
| Opening Balance              | 271,252                      | 271,252           |         |  |  |  |
| Transfer to Reserves         | -                            | -                 |         |  |  |  |
| Transfer from Reserves       | -                            | -                 |         |  |  |  |
| Closing Balance              | 271,252                      | 271,252           |         |  |  |  |





# 10 FEES AND CHARGES 2021/22

| REGIONAL RESOURCE RECOVERY CENTRE GATE FEES (Public Rates effective from 1 July 2020) | BUDGET<br>2020-2021   | BUDGET<br>2019-2020   |
|---|---|---|
| MATERIAL RECOVERY FACILITY GATE FEE   | Ex GST  | Ex GST  |
| Commercial  | \$50.00 - \$200.00 p/t  | \$50.00 - \$200.00 p/t  |
| Over Compaction Levy (>200kg)   | \$15.00 - \$50.00   | \$15.00 - \$50.00   |
| GREEN WASTE GATE FEE  | GST incl  | GST incl  |
| Cars, Utilities & Trailers up to 1.5 cubic metres                                     | \$30.00 per entry   | \$30.00 per entry   |
| Cars, Utilities & Trailers up to 1.5 – 3.0 cubic metres                               | \$55.00 per entry   | \$55.00 per entry   |
| Trucks & Heavy Vehicles   | \$75.00 per tonne   | \$75.00 per tonne   |
| Trucks & Heavy Vehicles minimum entry charge  | \$75.00 per entry   | \$75.00 per entry   |
| Trucks & Heavy Vehicles oversized logs > 1.5m length 0.3m wide                        | \$150.00 per tonne  | \$150.00 per tonne  |
| Commercial contracts over 200 tonnes pa   | \$50.00 - \$75.00 p/t   | \$50.00 - \$75.00 p/t   |
| Palms (max cut lengths 300mm)   |   |   |
| Cars, Utilities & Trailers up to 1.5 cubic metres                                     | \$55.00 per entry   | \$55.00 per entry   |
| Cars, Utilities & Trailers up to 1.5 – 3.0 cubic metres                               | \$75.00 per entry   | \$75.00 per entry   |
| Trucks & Heavy Vehicles   | \$150.00 per tonne  | \$150.00 per tonne  |
| Trucks & Heavy Vehicles oversized > 1.5m length 0.3m wide                             | \$150.00 per tonne  | \$150.00 per tonne  |
| Weighbridge out of use  |   | ,   |
| Uncompacted green waste (heavy vehicle)   | \$30.00 per wheel   | \$30.00 per wheel   |
| Compacted green waste (heavy vehicle)   | \$40.00 per wheel   | \$40.00 per wheel   |
| Cars & Trailers over 3.0m3  | \$75.00 per entry   | \$75.00 per entry   |
|   |   | ,   |
| FOGO GATE FEE   | Ex GST  | Ex GST  |
| Clean Organic   | \$50.00 - \$200.00 p/t  | \$50.00 - \$250.00 p/t  |
| Municipal FOGO (3rd Bin)  | \$50.00 - \$200.00 p/t  | \$50.00 - \$250.00 p/t  |
| mamopart coo (cra biii)   | φουίου φεσίου μπ  | φοσίου φεσίου μπ  |
| RRRC SALE OF MATERIAL   |   |   |
| Mulch Course Grade  | \$0.00 to \$25.00 p/t   | \$0.00 to \$25.00 p/t   |
| Mulch Standard Re-grind   | \$10.00 to \$35.00 p/t  | \$10.00 to \$35.00 p/t  |
| Mulch 4" Fine Re-grind  | \$15.00 to \$40.00 p/t  | \$15.00 to \$40.00 p/t  |
| Widon 4 Tillo No grillo   | ψ10.00 to ψ40.00 μ/τ  | φ10.00 to φ40.00 p/t  |
| RRRC WASTE AUDIT  |   |   |
| Waste Audit Service   | Cost price +10% to 50%  | Cost price 10% to 50%   |
| Non-refundable Deposit (Booking Fee)  | 30% of fee  | 30% of fee  |
| RRRC EDUCATION CENTRE   | GST incl  | GST incl  |
| Room Hire Fee   | \$17.00 per Hour or   | \$17.00 per Hour or   |
| Noom tille i ee   | \$136.00 per day  | \$136.00 per day  |
|   | After hours Fee – Add Staff   | After hours Fee – Add   |
|   | overtime Rate + 10%   | Staff overtime Rate +   |
|   |   | 10%   |
| Catering for Meetings   | Cost recovery + 10%   | Cost recovery + 10%   |
| Tea and Coffee  | \$2.75 per person   | \$2.75 per person   |
| Photocopying Charges (B&W)  | 30 cents per copy (A4)  | 30 cents per copy (A4)  |
| (colour)  | 60 cents per copy   | 60 cents per copy   |
| OTHER   | , ,,,   | ,   |
| Recycle Right Consultancy   | Cost price +10% to 50%  |   |
| Copies of information available under Division 7 of Part 5 Administration of          | 30 cents per copy (A4)  | 30 cents per copy (A4)  |
| the Local Govt Act 1995 (B&W) (colour)  | 60 cents per copy (A4)  | 60 cents per copy (A4)  |
| Statement Admin Fee for Non Members 30 day Credit Accounts                            | \$5.50 inc GST per monthly statement  | \$5.50 inc GST per<br>monthly statement   |
| Late Payment Fee (All overdue accounts)   | Interest at an annual rate of 2% higher than overdraft rates charged by the SMRC's bank | Interest at an annual rate of 2% higher than overdraft rates charged by the SMRC's bank |





## 11 STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS