General Purpose Financial Reports for the year ended 30 June 2012

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DISTRICT COUNCIL of MALLALA

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 June 2012

CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

We have been authorised by the Council to certify the financial statements in their final form. In our opinion:

- > the accompanying financial statements comply with the Local Government Act 1999, Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011 and Australian Accounting Standards.
- > the financial statements present a true and fair view of the Council's financial position at 30 June 2012 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the financial year.
- > Internal controls implemented by the Council provide a reasonable assurance that the Council's financial records are complete, accurate and reliable and were effective throughout the financial year.
- > the financial statements accurately reflect the Council's accounting and other records.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

MAYOR/COUNCILLOR

Date:

15 NOVEMBER

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME for the year ended 30 June 2012

	Notes	2012	2011
INCOME			
Rates	2	6,228,473	5,737,670
Statutory charges	2	282,739	255,724
User charges	2	83,515	87,887
Grants, subsidies and contributions	2	1,805,425	1,431,949
Investment income	2	45,436	68,198
Reimbursements	2	430,170	582,437
Other income	2	38,168	46,358
Net gain - joint ventures & associates	19		3,109
Total Income	_	8,913,926	8,213,332
EXPENSES			
Employee costs	3	3,760,404	3,394,391
Materials, contracts & other expenses	3	2,915,327	3,658,046
Depreciation, amortisation & impairment	3	1,965,110	1,599,005
Finance costs	3	265,445	265,309
Net loss - joint ventures & associates	19	401,333	
Total Expenses	•	9,307,619	8,916,751
OPERATING SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)		(393,693)	(703,419)
Asset disposal & fair value adjustments	4	(12,577)	(170,233)
Amounts received specifically for new or upgraded assets	2	208,808	260,397
NET SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) transferred to Equity Statement	,	(197,462)	(613,255)
Other Comprehensive Income Changes in revaluation surplus - infrastructure, property, plant & equipment	9	16,848,915	2,645,737
Share of other comprehensive income - joint ventures and associates	19		124,758
Impairment (expense) / recoupments offset to asset revaluation reserve	9	<u>-</u>	(234,086)
Total Other Comprehensive Income		16,848,915	2,536,409
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	•	16,651,453	1,923,154
This Statement is to be read in conjunction with the attached Note	s.		

BALANCE SHEET as at 30 June 2012

		2012	2011
ASSETS	Notes		
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	3,210,125	1,073,736
Trade & other receivables	5	772,547	567,763
Inventories	5	13,187	27,466
		3,995,859	1,668,965
Total Current Assets		3,995,859	1,668,965
Non-current Assets			
Equity accounted investments in Council businesses	6	4,474,272	4,875,605
Infrastructure, Property, Plant & Equipment	7	67,634,260	51,400,501
Other Non-current Assets	6	3,028,692	441,745
Total Non-current Assets		75,137,224	56,717,851
Total Assets		79,133,083	58,386,816
LIABILITIES Current Liabilities Trade & Other Payables Borrowings Provisions Total Current Liabilities	8 8 8	2,392,356 708,142 852,287 3,952,785 3,952,785	769,096 571,724 833,834 2,174,654 2,174,654
Non-current Liabilities			
Borrowings	8	5,270,841	2,978,983
Provisions	8	64,596	39,771
Total Non-current Liabilities		5,335,437	3,018,754
Total Liabilities		9,288,222	5,193,408
NET ASSETS		69,844,861	53,193,408
EQUITY Accumulated Surplus Asset Revaluation Reserves Other Reserves Total Council Equity TOTAL EQUITY	9 9	25,139,354 44,516,988 188,519 69,844,861 69,844,861	24,948,201 27,668,073 577,134 53,193,408 53,193,408

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY for the year ended 30 June 2012

		Accumulated Surplus	Asset Revaluation Reserve	Other Reserves	TOTAL EQUITY
2012	Notes				
Balance at end of previous reporting period		24,948,201	27,668,073	577,134	53,193,408
Restated opening balance	•	24,948,201	27,668,073	577,134	53,193,408
Net Surplus / (Deficit) for Year		(197,462)			(197,462)
Other Comprehensive Income Gain on revaluation of infrastructure, property, plant					
& equipment	9		16,848,915		16,848,915
Transfers between reserves	9	388,615		(388,615)	_
Balance at end of period		25,139,354	44,516,988	188,519	69,844,861
2011					
Balance at end of previous reporting period		25,562,691	25,131,664	575,899	51,270,254
Restated opening balance	•	25,562,691	25,131,664	575,899	51,270,254
Net Surplus / (Deficit) for Year		(613,255)			(613,255)
Other Comprehensive Income					
Changes in revaluation surplus - infrastructure, property, plant & equipment			2,645,737		2,645,737
Share of other comprehensive income - joint ventures and associates			124,758		124,758
Impairment (expense) / recoupments offset to asset revaluation reserve			(234,086)		(234,086)
Transfers between reserves		(1,235)		1,235	-
Balance at end of period		24,948,201	27,668,073	577,134	53,193,408

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

CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the year ended 30 June 2012

		2012	2011
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	Notes		
Receipts		C 42C 400	E 704 949
Rates - general & other Fees & other charges		6,136,408 305,201	5,701,818 276,040
User charges		1,070,736	299,694
Investment receipts		38,018	67,332
Grants utilised for operating purposes		1,805,425	1,539,345
Reimbursements		464,644	640,681
Other revenues		157,785	310,271
Payments		·	•
Employee Costs		(3,626,828)	(3,291,219)
Materials, contracts & other expenses		(2,670,414)	(3,997,444)
Finance payments		(265,445)	(265,005)
Net Cash provided by (or used in) Operating Activi	ties	3,415,530	1,281,513
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Receipts Amounts specifically for new or upgraded assets Sale of replaced assets		208,808 325,803	260,397 389,636
Payments Expenditure on renewal/replacement of assets Expenditure on new/upgraded assets		(3,523,291) (718,737)	(1,036,664) (482,985)
Net Cash provided by (or used in) Investing Activit	ine	(110,101)	(402,300)
ver oash provided by (or used in) investing Activit	162	(3,707,417)	(869,616)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Receipts			
Proceeds from Borrowings Payments		3,000,000	
Repayments of Borrowings		(571,724)	(597,569)
Net Cash provided by (or used in) Financing Activi	ties	2,428,276	(597,569)
let Increase (Decrease) in cash held	•	2,136,389	(185,672)
		1,073,736	1,259,408
Cash & cash equivalents at beginning of period Cash & cash equivalents at end of period	11 11	3,210,125	1,073,736

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

1 Basis of Preparation

1.1 Compliance with Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards

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

The financial report was authorised for issue by certificate under clause 11 of the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1999.

1.2 Historical Cost Convention

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

1.3 Critical Accounting Estimates

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

1.4 Rounding

All amounts in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest dollar (\$).

2 The Local Government Reporting Entity

The District Council of Mallala is incorporated under the SA Local Government Act 1999 and has its principal place of business at 2A Wasleys Road, Mallala. These financial statements include the consolidated fund and all entities through which Council controls resources to carry on its functions. In the process of reporting on the Council as a single unit, all transactions and balances between activity areas and controlled entities have been eliminated.

Trust monies and property held by Council but subject to the control of other persons have been excluded from these reports. A separate statement of moneys held in the Trust Fund is available for inspection at the Council Office by any person free of charge.

3 Income recognition

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

Where grants, contributions and donations recognised as incomes during the reporting period were obtained on the condition that they be expended in a particular manner or used over a particular period, and those conditions were undischarged as at the reporting date, the amounts subject to those undischarged conditions are disclosed in these notes. Also disclosed is the amount of grants, contributions and receivables recognised as incomes in a previous reporting period which were obtained in respect of the Council's operations for the current reporting period.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 1 (cont) - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

4 Cash, Cash Equivalents and other Financial Instruments

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

Receivables for rates and annual charges are secured over the subject land, and bear interest at rates determined in accordance with the Local Government Act 1999. Other receivables are generally unsecured and do not bear interest.

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

All financial instruments are recognised at fair value at the date of recognition. A detailed statement of the accounting policies applied to financial instruments forms part of Note 13.

5 Inventories

Inventories held in respect of stores have been valued by using the weighted average cost on a continual basis, after adjustment for loss of service potential. Inventories held in respect of business undertakings have been valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

5.1 Real Estate Assets Developments

Real Estate Assets developments have been classified as Inventory in accordance with AASB 102 and are valued at the lower of cost or net realisable value. Cost includes the costs of acquisition, development, borrowing and other costs incurred on financing of that acquisition and up to the time of sale. Any amount by which cost exceeds the net realisable value has been recognised as an expense.

Revenues arising from the sale of property are recognised in the operating statement when settlement is completed.

5.2 Other Real Estate held for resale

Properties not acquired for development, but which Council has decided to sell as surplus to requirements, are recognised at the carrying value at the time of that decision.

Certain properties, auctioned for non-payment of rates in accordance with the Local Government Act but which failed to meet the reserve set by Council and are available for sale by private treaty, are recorded at the lower of the unpaid rates and charges at the time of auction or the reserve set by Council. Holding costs in relation to these properties are recognised as an expense when incurred.

6 Infrastructure, Property, Plant & Equipment

6.1 Transitional Provisions

As at 1 July 2008, Council has elected not to recognise any values for land under roads acquired before the commencement of AASB 1051 Land Under Roads. Details of the effects of this election are given in Note 7.

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

6.2 Initial Recognition

All assets are initially recognised at cost. Cost is determined as the fair value of the assets given as consideration plus costs incidental to the acquisition, including architects' fees and engineering design fees and all other costs incurred. For assets acquired at no cost or for nominal consideration, cost is determined as fair value at the date of acquisition.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 1 (cont) - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

6.2 Initial Recognition (cont...)

The cost of non-current assets constructed by the Council includes the cost of all materials used in construction, direct labour on the project and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overhead.

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

6.3 Materiality

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

Office Furniture & Equipment	\$ 1,000
Other Plant & Equipment	\$ 1,000
Buildings - new construction/extensions	\$10,000
Park & Playground Furniture & Equipment	\$ 2,000
Road construction & reconstruction	\$10,000
Paving & footpaths, Kerb & Gutter	\$ 2,000
Drains & Culverts	\$ 5,000
Reticulation extensions	\$ 5,000
Sidelines & household connections	\$ 5,000

6.4 Subsequent Recognition

Certain asset classes are revalued on a regular basis such that the carrying values are not materially different from fair value. For infrastructure and other asset classes where no active market exists, fair value is determined to be the current replacement cost of an asset less, where applicable, accumulated depreciation calculated on the basis of such cost to reflect the already consumed or expired future economic benefits of the asset. Further detail of existing valuations, methods and valuers are provided at Note 7.

6.5 Depreciation of Non-Current Assets

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

Depreciation is recognised on a straight-line basis. Major depreciation periods for each class of asset are shown below. Depreciation periods for infrastructure assets have been estimated based on the best information available to Council, but appropriate records covering the entire life cycle of these assets are not available, and extreme care should be used in interpreting financial information based on these estimates. Plant, Furniture & Equipment

> Office Equipment	3 to 10 years
> Office Furniture	10 to 20 years
> Vehicles and Road-making Equip	5 to 8 years
> Other Plant & Equipment	5 to 15 years
Building & Other Structures	-
> Buildings – masonry	50 to 100 years
> Buildings – other construction	20 to 40 years
> Park Structures – masonry	50 to 100 years
> Park Structures - other construction	20 to 40 years
> Playground equipment	5 to 15 years
> Benches, seats, etc	10 to 20 years

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 1 (cont) - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

6.5 Depreciation of Non-Current Assets (cont...)

Infrastructure

> Sealed Roads - Surface	15 to 25 years
> Sealed Roads - Structure	20 to 50 years
> Unsealed Roads	10 to 20 years
> Bridges – Concrete	80 to 100 years
> Paving & Footpaths, Kerb & Gutter	80 to 100 years
> Drains	80 to 100 years
> Culverts	50 to 75 years
> Flood Control Structures	80 to 100 years
> Dams and Reservoirs	80 to 100 years
> Bores	20 to 40 years
> Reticulation Pipes – PVC	70 to 80 years
> Reticulation Pipes – other	25 to 75 years
> Pumps & Telemetry	15 to 25 years
Other Assets	•
> Library Books	10 to 15 years

6.6 Impairment

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

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

6.7 Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs in relation to qualifying assets (net of offsetting investment revenue) have been capitalised in accordance with the allowed alternative treatment in AASB 123 "Borrowing Costs". The amounts of borrowing costs recognised as an expense or as part of the carrying amount of qualifying assets are disclosed in Note 3, and the amount (if any) of interest revenue offset against borrowing costs in Note 2.

7 Payables

7.1 Goods & Services

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

7.2 Payments Received in Advance & Deposits

Amounts received from external parties in advance of service delivery, and security deposits held against possible damage to Council assets, are recognised as liabilities until the service is delivered or damage reinstated, or the amount is refunded as the case may be.

8 Borrowings

Loans are carried at their principal amounts which represent the present value of future cash flows associated with servicing the debt. Interest is accrued over the period to which it relates, and is recorded as part of "Payables". Interest free loans are carried at their nominal amounts; interest revenues foregone by the lender effectively being a reduction of interest expense in the period to which it relates.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 1 (cont) - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

9 Employee Benefits

9.1 Salaries, Wages & Compensated Absences

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

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

Weighted average discount rate 5.67% (2011, 5.73%) Weighted average settlement period 5 years (2011, 5 years)

No accrual is made for sick leave as Council experience indicates that, on average, sick leave taken in each reporting period is less than the entitlement accruing in that period, and this experience is expected to recur in future reporting periods. Council does not make payment for untaken sick leave.

9.2 Superannuation

The Council makes employer superannuation contributions in respect of its employees to the Local Government Superannuation Scheme. The Scheme has two types of membership, each of which is funded differently. No changes in accounting policy have occurred during either the current or previous reporting periods. Details of the accounting policies applied and Council's involvement with the schemes are reported in Note 18.

10 Construction Contracts

Construction works undertaken by Council for third parties are generally on an agency basis where the third party reimburses Council for actual costs incurred, and usually do not extend beyond the reporting period. As there is no profit component, such works are treated as 100% completed. Reimbursements not received are recognised as receivables and reimbursements received in advance are recognised as "payments received in advance".

11 Joint Ventures and Associated Entities

Council participates in cooperative arrangements with other Councils for the provision of services and facilities. Council's interests in cooperative arrangements, which are only recognised if material, are accounted for in accordance with AASB 128 and set out in detail in Note 19.

12 Leases

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

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

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

13 GST Implications

In accordance with UIG Abstract 1031 "Accounting for the Goods & Services Tax"

- > Receivables and Creditors include GST receivable and payable.
- > Except in relation to input taxed activities, revenues and operating expenditures exclude GST receivable and payable.
- > Non-current assets and capital expenditures include GST net of any recoupment.
- > Amounts included in the Statement of Cash Flows are disclosed on a gross basis.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 1 (cont) - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

14 Pending Accounting Standards

Certain new accounting standards and UIG interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for the 30 June 2012 reporting period and have not been used in preparing these reports.

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30 June 2012 rep	orting period and have not been used in preparing these reports.
AASB 9	Financial Instruments
AASB 10	Consolidated Financial Statements
AASB 11	Joint Arrangements
AASB 12	Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities
AASB 13	Fair Value Measurement
AASB 119	Employee Benefits
AASB 127	Separate Financial Statements
AASB 128	Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures
AASB 2010-6	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASBs 1 & 7]
AASB 2010-7	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 9 [AASBs 1, 3, 4, 5, 7,
101, 102, 108, 11	2, 118, 120, 121, 127, 128, 131, 132, 136, 137, 139, 1023, & 1038 and Interpretations 2,
5, 10, 12, 19, & 1	27]
AASB 2011-1	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Trans-Tasman
	Convergence Project [AASB 1, AASB 5, AASB 101, AASB 107, AASB 108, AASB 121, AASB
128, AASB 132 8	AASB 134 and Interpretations 2, 112 & 113]
AASB 2011-5	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Extending Relief from Consolidation, the
Equity Method ar	nd Proportionate Consolidation [AASB 127, AASB 128 & AASB 131]
AASB 2011-7	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Consolidation and
	Joint Arrangements Standards [AASB 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 2009-11, 101, 107, 112, 118, 121,
	124, 132, 133, 136, 138, 139, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 5, 9, 16 & 17]
AASB 2011-8	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 13 [AASB 1, 2, 3, 4, 5,
7, 9, 2009-11, 20	10-7, 101, 102, 108, 110, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 128, 131, 132, 133, 134, 136,
	11, 1004, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 2, 4, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 131 & 132]
AASB 2011-9	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Presentation of Items of Other
	Comprehensive Income [AASB 1, 5, 7, 101, 112, 120, 121, 132, 133, 134, 1039 & 1049]
AASB 2011-10	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 119 (September
	2011) [AASB 1, AASB 8, AASB 101, AASB 124, AASB 134, AASB 1049 & AASB 2011-8 and
Interpretation 14]	
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AASB 2011-12 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from Interpretation 20 [AASB 1] (Standards not affecting local government have been excluded from the above list.)

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

The Australian Accounting Standards Board is currently reviewing AASB 1004 Contributions. It is anticipated that the changes resulting from this review may have a material effect on the timing of the recognition of grants and contributions, but the financial consequences cannot be estimated until a revised accounting standard is issued.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 2 - INCOME

	2012	2011
	lotes	
RATES REVENUES	C 040 02C	E E04 004
General Rates	6,049,036	5,584,204
Less: Discretionary rebates, remissions & write offs	(57,905)	(52,955)
Wille Oils	5,991,131	5,531,249
Other Rates (including service charges)	0,001,101	0,001,240
Natural Resource Management levy	128,223	124,298
Community wastewater management systems	18,620	17,770
	146,843	142,068
Other Charges	·	·
Penalties for late payment	48,864	37,231
Legal & other costs recovered	41,635	27,122
	90,499	64,353
	6,228,473	5,737,670
STATUTORY CHARGES		
Development Act fees	129,875	104,057
Health & Septic Tank Inspection fees	25,661	31,208
Animal registration fees & fines	109,608	108,244
Other licences, fees, & fines	17,595	12,216
	282,739	255,724
USER CHARGES		
Cemetery/crematoria fees	20,119	22,147
Aged Housing Rental	0	1,784
Museum Admission Fees	4,915	2,554
Hall & equipment hire	2,395	2,861
Rubbish/Recycling collection fees	36,630	40,171
Sales - general	625	1,032
Subsidies received on behalf of users	9,035	8,875
Sundry	9,796	8,464
	83,515	87,887
INVESTMENT INCOME		
INVESTMENT INCOME Interest on investments		
Local Government Finance Authority	40,632	60,371
Banks & other	4,804	7,827
Daliks & Other	45,436	68,198
		00,100

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

NOTE 2 - INCOME (continued)

Notes		
REIMBURSEMENTS		
- for roadworks	182,907	353,528
- by joint undertakings	247,263	228,909
	430,170	582,437
OTHER INCOME		
OTHER INCOME Rebates received	15,319	18,934
Sundry	22,849	27,424
<u> </u>	38,168	46,358
	00,.00	10,000
GRANTS, SUBSIDIES, CONTRIBUTIONS		
Amounts received specifically for new or	000 000	000 007
upgraded assets	208,808	260,397
Other grants, subsidies and contributions 1	,483,519	1,431,949
Individually significant item - see additional Grants Commission payment below	321,906	
	2,014,233	1,692,346
The functions to which these grants relate are shown in Note	2.	
Sources of grants		
Commonwealth government	188,000	260,397
	,826,233	1,431,949
	,014,233	1,692,346
Individually Significant Item		
In June 2009, Council received payment of the first instalment of the 2009/10 Grant Commission (FAG) grant. Similarly, on 28 June 2012 Council received payment of the first <i>two</i> instalments of the 2012/13 grant.	321,906	0
This has materially increased Council's operating results in the current year, as these amounts are recognised as income upon receipt.		
Similarly material <u>adverse</u> effects will be experienced when the timing of these grant payments is restored to normal schedule. This will occur in 2012-13.		

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

NOTE 2 INCOME

NOTE 2 - INCOME (continued)			
		2012	2011
	Notes		
Conditions over grants & contributions			
Grants and contributions which were obtained o specified purposes or in a future period, but whi		•	
conditions, are as follows:	on are not yet ex	oended in accord	ance wan anos
Unexpended at the close of the previous reporti	ng period	79,000	
Less: expended during the current period from			
revenues recognised in previous reporting perio	ds		
Heritage & Cultural Services	_	(79,000)	
,	Subtotal	(79,000)	
Plus: amounts recognised as revenues in this re	porting		
period but not yet expended in accordance with conditions	the		
Heritage & Cultural Services			79,000
_	Subtotal –		79,000
Unexpended at the close of this reporting period	_		79,000
,	=		
Net increase (decrease) in assets subject to cor	nditions	(70.000.)	70.000
		(79,000)	79,000

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 3 - EXPENSES

EMPLOYEE COSTS	201: Notes	2 2011
EMPLOYEE COSTS Salaries and Wages	2 00	2 ,736,750
Employee leave expense	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2,736,750 2,736,750 328,799
Superannuation - defined contribution plan contributions		7,175 294,839
Workers' Compensation Insurance		7,773 294,639
Less: Capitalised and distributed costs		1,321) (87,620)
Total Operating Employee Costs		0,404 (87,020) 3,394,391
rotal operating Employee ecoto		0,004,001
Total Number of Employees		52 51
(Full time equivalent at end of reporting period)		
MATERIALS, CONTRACTS & OTHER EXPENSES		
Prescribed Expenses		
Auditor's Remuneration		
- Auditing the financial reports		9,000 5,740
Bad and Doubtful Debts	`	- 15,000
Elected members' expenses	128	3, 423 125,960
Operating Lease Rentals - cancellable leases		5,382 5,488
Subtotal - Prescribed Expenses		2,805 152,188
·		
Other Materials, Contracts & Expenses		
Contractors	540	0,857 617,231
Energy	441	1,595 372,453
Individually Significant Items		- 500,000
Maintenance	153	3,658 293,376
Legal Expenses	158	5,665 182,971
Levies paid to government - NRM levy	128	3,368 124,333
- Other Levies	54	1,519 52,398
Parts, accessories & consumables	292	2,169 401,159
Professional services	346	5,431 393,211
Sundry	649	9,260 568,726
Subtotal - Other Materials, Contracts & Expenses	2,762	
	2,915	3,658,046
INDIVIDUALLY SIGNIFICANT ITEMS		
Provision for landfill remediation at Coleman Road		- 500,000

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 3 - EXPENSES (cont)

	2012	2011
	Notes	
DEPRECIATION, AMORTISATION & IMPAIRMENT		
Depreciation		
Land & Landscape	14,096	13,465
Buildings & Other Structures	537,218	303,589
Roads Infrastructure	904,349	852,004
Other Infrastructure	93,368	92,549
Plant, Equipment & Furniture	416,079	337,398
Impairment		
Buildings, Pavement & Structures	-	9,500
Roads Infrastructure	-	224,586
	1,965,110	1,833,091
Less: Impairment expense offset to asset revaluation reserve	9 -	(234,086)
	1,965,110	1,599,005
FINANCE COSTS		
Interest on Loans	265,445	265,309
	265,445	265,309

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 4 - ASSET DISPOSAL & FAIR VALUE ADJUSTMENTS

	2012 Notes	2011
INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMEN Assets renewed or directly replaced Proceeds from disposal Less: Carrying amount of assets sold Gain (Loss) on disposal	325,803 338,380 (12,577)	389,636 559,869 (170,233)
NET GAIN (LOSS) ON DISPOSAL OR REVALUATION OF ASSETS	(12,577)	(170,233)

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 5 - CURRENT ASSETS

SH & EQUIVALENT ASSETS	2012 Notes	2011
sh on Hand and at Bank	119,788	139,384
posits at Call	3,090,337	934,352
, contract the contract to the	3,210,125	1,073,736
ADE & OTHER RECEIVABLES		
tes - General & Other	372,552	280,487
crued Revenues	20,271	12,853
btors - general	24,075	53,988
ST Recoupment	277,522	134,439
epayments	69,584	85,996
ndry	8,543	•
tal	772,547	567,763
	772,547	567,763
/ENTORIES		
ores & Materials	13,187	27,466
	13,187	27,466
tes - General & Other crued Revenues btors - general ET Recoupment epayments endry tal	372,552 20,271 24,075 277,522 69,584 8,543 772,547 772,547	280,487 12,853 53,988 134,438 85,996 567,763

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 6 - NON-CURRENT ASSETS

FINANCIAL ASSETS EQUITY ACCOUNTED INVESTMENTS IN COUNCIL BUSINESSES	2012 Notes	2011
Gawler River Floodplain Management Authority	4,474,272 4,474,272	4,875,605 4,875,605
OTHER NON-CURRENT ASSETS Inventories		
Capital Works-in-Progress	3,028,692 3,028,692	441,745 441,745

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 7 - INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

		20	2011			20	2012	
	AT FAIR VALUE	AT COST	ACCUM DEP'N	CARRYING AMOUNT	AT FAIR VALUE	AT COST	ACCUM DEP'N	CARRYING AMOUNT
Land & Landscape	9,098,267	118,133	(447,731)	8,768,669	13,190,732	130,752	(461,827)	12,859,657
Buildings & Other Structures	12,249,392	1,000,061	(8,611,100)	4,638,353	18,679,448	121,636	(9,142,097)	9,658,987
Roads Infrastructure	46,689,290	725,622	(15,486,554)	31,928,358	51,448,874	,	(12,460,781)	38,988,093
Other Infrastructure	1,564,145	3,976,734	(2,827,281)	2,713,598	1,564,145	4,021,964	(2,920,649)	2,665,460
Plant, Equipment & Furniture	t	5,769,761	(2,418,238)	3,351,523	•	6,092,367	(2,630,304)	3,462,063
TOTAL PROPERTY, PLANT & FOLIDMENT	69,601,094	11,590,311	(29,790,904)	51,400,501	84,883,199	10,366,719	(27,615,658)	67,634,260
Comparatives	68,902,826	13,848,283	(33,240,487)	49,510,622	69,601,094	11,590,311	(29,790,904)	51,400,501

This Note continues on the following pages.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 7 (cont) - INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

2012	CARRYING	AMOUNT	12,859,657	9,658,987	4 38,988,093	- 2,665,460	- 3,462,063	67,634,260	51,400,501	
	Net	Revaluation	4,092,465	5,436,216	7,320,234	•	•	16,848,915	2,645,737	
EAR		ransiers	r	1		1	ı	'	(234,086)	
TS DURING YI	1	mpallment	•	1	1	1	1	1		
CARRYING AMOUNT MOVEMENTS DURING YEAR		Depreciation	 (14,096)	(537,218)	(904,349)	(93,368)	(416,079)	(338,380) (1,965,110)	(1,599,005)	
RYING AMOUI	200	Disposais	•	ſ	ı	•	(338,380)	(338,380)	(559,869)	
CAR	ons	Renewals	•	121,636	67,893	•	801,769	991,298	1,154,117	
	Additions	New/Upgrade	12,619	ı	575,957	45,230	63,230	980'269	482,985	
2011	CARRYING	AMOUNT	8,768,669	4,638,353	31,928,358	2,713,598	3,351,523	51,400,501	49,510,622	des.
	•		Land & Landscape	Buildings & Other Structures	Roads Infrastructure	Other Infrastructure	Plant, Equipment & Furniture	TOTAL INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT	Comparatives	This Note continues on the following pages.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 7 (cont) - INFRASTRUCTURE, PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

Valuation of Assets

At 1 July 2004 upon the transition to AIFRS, Council elected pursuant to AASB 1.19 to retain a previously established deemed cost under GAAP as its deemed cost. With subsequent additions at cost, this remains as the basis of recognition of non-material asset classes.

Land & Landscaping

Pursuant to Council's election, freehold land and land over which Council has control, but does not have title, are initially recognised on the cost basis. A revaluation of land was done at fair value as at 01 July 2011 by Maloney Field Services.

No capitalisation threshold is applied to the acquisition of land or interests in land.

Land improvements, including bulk earthworks with an assessed unlimited useful life, are recognised on the cost basis, originally deriving from a valuation at 30 June 1997 at current replacement cost. A revaluation was done at fair value as at 1 June 2007. Acquisitions after that are recognised at cost. Estimated future costs of reinstatement of land, capitalised in accordance with AASB 116.16(c), are reviewed annually (see Note 1) and depreciated over the estimated remaining life of the relevant asset.

Council being of the opinion that it is not possible to attribute a value sufficiently reliably to qualify for recognition, land under roads has not been recognised in these reports. Land acquired for road purposes during the year is initially recognised at cost, but transferred to fair value at reporting date, effectively writing off the expenditure.

Buildings, Pavement & Structures

Buildings and other structures generally are recognised at fair value, based on current market values. However, special purpose buildings (such as public toilets) for which there is no market are valued at depreciated current replacement cost. Buildings which Council does not intend to replace at the end of their useful life are valued at the market value of the "highest and best" use. These assets were revalued as at 01 July 2011 by Graham L Martin, BBus Property (Val) AAPI, CPV, of Maloney Field Services.

Road Infrastructure

Road Infrastructure assets, kerbing and footpaths were valued by Council officers at written down current replacement cost as at 1 July 2011, all acquisitions after that date are recorded at cost. Bridges and culverts are also included here but were not subject to revaluation and maintain the valuation from 30 June 2007. All acquisitions made after the respective dates of valuation are recorded at cost.

Other Infrastructure

Stormwater drainage infrastructure was valued by Council officers as at 1 July 2010 at written down current replacement cost, based on actual costs incurred during the reporting period ended 30 June 2010 and pursuant to Council's election are disclosed at deemed cost. All acquisitions made after the respective dates of valuation are recorded at cost.

Community wastewater management scheme at Middle Beach was valued by Environmental Water Services at written down current replacement cost during the reporting period ended 30 June 2010 and pursuant to Council's election are disclosed at Depreciated replacement cost. No change in value has resulted but useful life has been reassessed with a corresponding change in rate of depreciation.

All acquisitions made after the respective dates of valuation are recorded at cost.

Equipment & Furniture and All other Assets

Pursuant to Council's election, these assets are recognised on the cost basis.

Future Reinstatement Costs

The remedeation of a landfill site on Coleman Road has been estimated by Tonkins Engineering on May 8, 2012 at \$464,232 based on an environmental survey.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 8 - LIABILITIES

			201	12	20	011
Goods	DE & OTHER PAYABLES s & Services ents received in advance	Notes	Current 678,564 950,000	Non-current	Current 248,054	Non-current
•	ed expenses - employee entitlements		444,441		354,143	
	ed expenses - other		250,709		110,855	
	sits, Retentions & Bonds		_		38,349	
Other	•		68,642		17,695	
		-	2,392,356		769,096	
BORE	ROWINGS					
Loans			708,142	5,270,841	571,724	2,978,983
		_				
All inte	erest bearing liabilities are secured over	er the fu	708,142 uture revenue	5,270,841 s of the Council.	571,724	2,978,983
All inte	/ISIONS byee entitlements (including oncosts)	er the fu	uture revenue		333,834	
<i>All inte</i> PROV Emple	/ISIONS	er the fu	uture revenue	s of the Council.		2,978,983 39,771 39,771
All inte	/ISIONS byee entitlements (including oncosts)		352,287 500,000	64,596 64,596 Other	333,834 500,000	39,771
All inte	/ISIONS byee entitlements (including oncosts) be reinstatement / restoration, etc ments in Provisions - 2012 year only t & non-current)		352,287 500,000 852,287 Future Reinstate-ment	64,596 64,596 Other Provision	333,834 500,000	39,771
All into	/ISIONS Dyee entitlements (including oncosts) e reinstatement / restoration, etc ments in Provisions - 2012 year only t & non-current) ng Balance		352,287 500,000 852,287	64,596 64,596 Other Provision 373,605	333,834 500,000	39,771
All inte	/ISIONS Dyee entitlements (including oncosts) e reinstatement / restoration, etc ments in Provisions - 2012 year only at & non-current) ag Balance Unwinding of present value discounts		352,287 500,000 852,287 Future Reinstate-ment	64,596 64,596 Other Provision 373,605 21,183	333,834 500,000	39,771
PROVE Employ Future	/ISIONS Dyee entitlements (including oncosts) e reinstatement / restoration, etc ments in Provisions - 2012 year only t & non-current) ng Balance		352,287 500,000 852,287 Future Reinstate-ment	64,596 64,596 Other Provision 373,605	333,834 500,000	39,771
All inte	/ISIONS Dyee entitlements (including oncosts) Re reinstatement / restoration, etc ments in Provisions - 2012 year only It & non-current) Ing Balance Unwinding of present value discounts Additional amounts recognised		352,287 500,000 852,287 Future Reinstate-ment	64,596 - 64,596 Other Provision 373,605 21,183 117,655	333,834 500,000	39,771
All inte	VISIONS Dyee entitlements (including oncosts) De reinstatement / restoration, etc Denets in Provisions - 2012 year only Of t & non-current) Denets Balance Unwinding of present value discounts Additional amounts recognised Payments		352,287 500,000 852,287 Future Reinstate-ment	64,596 64,596 Other Provision 373,605 21,183 117,655 (63,994)	333,834 500,000	39,771

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 9 - RESERVES

ASSET REVALUATION RE	ESERVE	1/7/2011	Net Increments (Decrements)	Transfers, Impairments	30/6/2012
	Notes	0	0	0	0
Land & Landscape		4,812,165	4,092,465		8,904,630
Land improvements		2,600,375			2,600,375
Buildings & Other Structures		1,014,349	5,436,216		6,450,565
Roads Infrastructure		19,116,426	7,320,234		26,436,660
Joint Ventures - Other Comprehensive Income		124,758			124,758
TOTAL	_	27,668,073	16,848,915		44,516,988
	Comparatives _	25,131,664	3,198,893	(662,484)	27,668,073
OTHER RESERVES		1/7/2011	Transfers to Reserve	Transfers from Reserve	30/6/2012
Building Maintenance Reserv	'e	25,843			25,843
Home for the Aged Reserve		66,971		(66,971)	0
CWMS Reserve - Middle Bea	ich	48,917			48,917
Community Infrastructure Res	serve	141,987		(141,987)	0
Unexpected Specific Grants F	Reserve	11,032			11,032
Drainage Fund Reserve		265,261	44,004	(265,261)	44,004
Roads Contribution Reserve		17,123			17,123
Footpath Construction Reserv	ve _		41,600		41,600
TOTAL OTHER RESERVES	s _	577,134	85,604	(474,219)	188,519
	Comparatives	575,899	46,077	(44,842)	577,134

PURPOSES OF RESERVES

Asset Revaluation Reserve

The asset revaluation reserve is used to record increments and decrements arising from changes in fair value of non-current assets (less any subsequent impairment losses, where applicable).

(Other Reserves)

The Building Maintenance Reserve is used for adhoc expenditure for buildings

The Home for the Aged Reserve is funds received from residents of the aged units in Mallala, these funds may need to be returned to tenants upon their departure

The CWMS Reserve [previously STEDS] is rate revenue received in excess of annual expenditure held for future maintenance of the scheme

The Community Infrastructure Reserve is funds held pending for CWMS studies.

The Unexpected Specific Grants Reserve is funds received from the developer for reserve development in the Aunger subdivision

Drainage Fund Reserve is funds received from developers and held for future construction of drainage

Roads Contribution Reserve is funds received from developers and held for future provision of roads

Footpath Construction Reserve is funds received from developers and held for future footpath construction.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 10 - ASSETS SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS

The uses of the following assets are restricted, wholly or partially, by legislation or other externally imposed requirements. The assets are required to be utilised for the purposes for which control was transferred to Council, or for which the revenues were originally obtained.

	2012	2011
CASH & FINANCIAL ASSETS	Notes	
Developer Contributions	41,600	0
Unexpended amounts received from other levels of Government	11,032	11,032
CWMS Scheme	48,917	48,917
Homes for the Aged	0	66,971
	101,549	126,920
TOTAL ASSETS SUBJECT TO EXTERNALLY IMPOSED RESTRICTIONS	101,549	126,920

Developer Contributions are restricted to either open space landscaping or footpaths in the applicable developments.

Unexpended amounts are restricted to maintenace of the asset the grant was originally attached to. CWMS Scheme are restricted to design and engineering of CWMS facilities.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 11 - RECONCILIATION TO CASH FLOW STATEMENT

(a) Reconciliation of Cash

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

		2012	2011
Total cash & equivalent assets Balances per Cash Flow Statement	Notes 5	3,210,125 3,210,125	1,073,736 1,073,736
(b) Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets to Cash from Operating Activities			
Net Surplus (Deficit) Non-cash items in Income Statement		(197,462)	(613,255)
Depreciation, amortisation & impairment		1,965,110	1,599,005
Equity movements in equity accounted investments (increase) decrease		401,333	(3,109)
Net increase (decrease) in unpaid employee benefits		112,393	103,172
Premiums & discounts recognised & unwound Grants for capital acquisitions treated as Investing Activity		21,183 (208,808)	(260,397)
Net (Gain) Loss on Disposals		12,577	170,233
	•	2,106,326	995,649
Add (Less): Changes in Net Current Assets			
Net (increase) decrease in receivables		(204,784)	312,294
Net (increase) decrease in inventories		14,279	(10,330)
Net increase (decrease) in trade & other payables		1,499,709	(16,100)
Net Cash provided by (or used in) operations		3,415,530	1,281,513
(c) Non-Cash Financing and Investing Activities			
- Estimated future reinstatement etc. costs		-	500,000
	•	-	500,000
(d) Financing Arrangements			
Unrestricted access was available at balance date to the follow	wing line		
Corporate Credit Cards		15,000	15,000
LGFA Cash Advance Debenture facility		1,000,000	1,000,000

Council has immediate access to a short-term draw-down facility, and variable interest rate

borrowings under a cash advance facility, both from the Local Government Finance Authority of SA.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 12 - FUNCTIONS

		INCOMES, EXPENSES A		ASSETS HAVE	SEEN DIRECTLY	/ ATTRIBUTED	TO THE FOLLO	ND ASSETS HAVE BEEN DIRECTLY ATTRIBUTED TO THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS & ACTIVITIES	IS & ACTIVITIES	
	INC	INCOME	EXPE	EXPENSES	OPERATING SURPLUS	SURPLUS	GRANTS IN	GRANTS INCLUDED IN	TOTAL ASSETS HELD	ETS HELD
					(DEFIGU)		INCOME	OME	SOURKENI &	ENI &
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL				NACINI)
	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011
Business Undertakings	283,452	261,174	341,981	327,620	(58,529)	(66,446)	-		909,674	671,185
Public Order & Safety	3,176	2,926	51,547	49,382	(48,371)	(46,456)	•	ı	299,558	221,023
Health Services	262	241	48,676	46,632	(48,415)	(46,391)	•	ı	ı	•
Community Support	73,684	67,893	488,321	467,814	(414,636)	(399,921)	•	1	2,337,820	1,724,915
Community Amenities	27,132	25,000	157,786	151,160	(130,654)	(126,160)	•	58,000	782,505	577,356
Library Services	33,108	30,506	292,329	280,053	(259,221)	(249,547)	27,730	28,111	50,684	37,396
Cultural Services	7,509	6,919	112,118	107,410	(104,609)	(100,491)	•	ı	1,486,066	1,096,465
Economic Development	1,110	1,023	154,590	148,098	(153,480)	(147,075)	1	ı	1	•
Eviro - Agricultural Services	ı	1	30,867	29,571	(30,867)	(29,571)	ı	ı	1	•
Eviro - Waste Management	79,766	73,497	1,050,198	1,006,096	(970,432)	(932,599)	ı	1	1,000,986	738,558
Other Environment	ı	1	437,846	419,459	(437,846)	(419,459)	1	t	12,744,345	9,403,170
Recreation	52,351	48,236	362,023	346,820	(309,672)	(298,584)	r	21,000	8,223,062	6,067,227
Regulatory Services	276,843	255,084	1,070,125	1,025,186	(793,283)	(770,102)	1	1	216,643	159,846
Transport	667,101	614,670	2,560,653	2,453,120	(1,893,552)	(1,838,450)	563,059	422,126	42,061,281	31,034,102
Plant Hire & Depot/Indirect	963	887	70,891	67,914	(69,928)	(67,027)		1	5,400,989	3,985,015
Governance	2,291	2,111	1,152,555	1,104,154	(1,150,264)	(1,102,043)	•	1	2,393,048	1,765,664
Support Services	7,405,178	6,823,165	925,112	886,262	6,480,067	5,936,903	1,423,444	1,163,109	1,226,422	904,892
TOTALS	8,913,926	8,213,332	9,307,619	8,916,751	(393,693)	(703,419)	2,014,233	1,692,346	79,133,083	58,386,814

Excludes net gain (loss) on disposal or revaluation of assets, net gain (loss) from joint ventures & associated entities, amounts received specifically for new or upgraded assets and physical resources received free of charge.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 12 (cont) - COMPONENTS of FUNCTIONS

The activities relating to Council functions are as follows:

Business Undertakings

Abattoirs, camping facilities, Gravel Pits/Quarries, Markets/Saleyards, Private Works, and Sewerage/CWMS,

Public Order & Safety

Crime Prevention, Emergency Services, Other Fire Protection

Health Services

Pest Control - Health, Immunisation, Nursing Homes, Preventive Health Services

Community Suport

Elderly Citizens Facilities, Home Assistance Scheme, Other Services for the Aged and Disabled, Child and youth Services, Community Assistance, Community Transport, Family and Neighbourhood Support,

Community Amenities

Cemeteries/Crematoria, public Conveniences, Car Parking - non-fee-paying and Other Community Amenities.

Library Services

Provision of three static facilities

Cultural Services

Cultural Services, Cultural Venues, Heritage, Museums and Art Galleries, and Other Cultural Services,

Economic Development

Employment Creation Programs, Regional Development, Support to Local Businesses, Tourism, and Other Economic Development.

Environment - Agricultural Services

Agricultural Services, Agricultural Water, Animal/Plant Boards, Landcare, Other Agricultural Services.

Environment - Waste Management

Domestic Waste, Green Waste, Recycling, Transfer Stations, Waste Disposal Facility, Other Waste Management

Other Environment

Coastal Protection, Stormwater and Drainage, Street Cleaning, Street Lighting, Streetscaping, Natural Resource Management Levy, and Other Environment.

Recreation

Parks and Gardens, Sports Facilities - Indoor, Sports Facilities - Outdoor,

Regulatory Services

Dog and Cat Control, Building Control, Town Planning, Clean Air/Pollution Control, Litter Control, Health Inspection, Parking Control, and Other Regulatory Services.

Transport

Footpaths and Kerbing, Roads – sealed, Roads – formed, Roads – natural formed, Roads – unformed, Traffic Management, LGGC – roads (formula funded), and Other Transport.

Plant Hire & Depot /Indirect

Plant and equipment, indirect expenditure and depot operations

Governance

Council Administration n.e.c., Elected Members, Organisational.

Support Services

Accounting/Finance, Payroll, Human Resources, Information Technology, Communication, Rates Administration, Records, Occupancy, Contract Management, Customer Service, Other Support Services, Revenues, LGGC – General Purpose, and Separate and Special Rates.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 13 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Recognised Financial instrument	rinancial instruments											
Bank, Deposits at Call, Short Te	rm Accounting Police	cy: Carried	at	lower	of	cost	and	net	realiseable	value;	Interest	is
Deposits	recognised when e	earned.										

Terms & conditions: Deposits are returning fixed interest rates between 1.1% and 4.25% (2011: 1.3% and 4.75%). Short term deposits have an average maturity of 30 days and an average interest rates of 2.25% (2011: 30 days, 1.75%).

Carrying amount: approximates fair value due to the short term to maturity.

for late payment)

Receivables - Rates & Associated Accounting Policy: Carried at nominal values less any allowance for doubtful debts. An Charges (including legals & penalties allowance for doubtful debts is recognised (and re-assessed annually) when collection in full is no longer probable.

Note: These receivables do not meet following disclosures.

the definition of "financial instruments" Terms & conditions: Secured over the subject land, arrears attract interest of 9% (2011: and have been excluded from the 9%) Although Council is not materially exposed to any individual debtor, credit risk exposure is concentrated within the Council's boundaries in the State.

Carrying amount: approximates fair value (after deduction of any allowance).

Receivables - Fees & other charges

Accounting Policy: Carried at nominal values less any allowance for doubtful debts. An allowance for doubtful debts is recognised (and re-assessed annually) when collection in full is no longer probable.

Terms & conditions: Unsecured, and do not bear interest. Although Council is not materially exposed to any individual debtor, credit risk exposure is concentrated within the Council's boundaries.

Carrying amount: approximates fair value (after deduction of any allowance).

Receivables other levels government

of Accounting Policy: Carried at nominal value.

Terms & conditions: Amounts due have been calculated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the respective programs following advice of approvals, and do not bear interest. All amounts are due by Departments and Agencies of the Governments of the Commonwealth & State.

Carrying amount: approximates fair value.

Receivables Contributions

Retirement Home Accounting Policy: Carried at nominal values less any allowance for doubtful debts. An allowance for doubtful debts is recognised (and re-assessed annually) when collection in full is no longer probable.

> Terms & conditions: Amounts due have been calculated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the respective legislation.

Carrying amount: approximates fair value (after deduction of any allowance).

Liabilities - Creditors and Accruals

Accounting Policy: Liabilities are recognised for amounts to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the Council.

Terms & conditions: Liabilities are normally settled on 30 day terms.

Carrying amount: approximates fair value.

Liabilities Borrowings Interest

Bearing Accounting Policy: Carried at the principal amounts. Interest is charged as an expense

Terms & conditions: secured over future revenues, borrowings are repayable on credit foncier terms; interest is charged at fixed rates between 5.55% and 8.40% (2011: 5.55%

Carrying amount: approximates fair value.

Liabilities - Finance Leases

Accounting Policy: accounted for in accordance with AASB 117.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 13 (cont) - FINANCIAL !NSTRUMENTS

Liquidity Analysis

2012		Due < 1 year	Due > 1 year; ≤ 5 years	Due > 5 years	Total Contractual Cash Flows	Carrying Values
Financial Assets						
Cash & Equivalents		3,210,125			3,210,125	3,210,125
Receivables		427,329			427,329	399,995
	Total	3,637,454	=	-	3,637,454	3,610,120
Financial Liabilities						
Payables		1,655,897			1,655,897	1,697,206
Current Borrowings		1,080,479			1,080,479	708,142
Non-Current Borrowings			2,709,063	4,076,642	6,785,705	5,270,841
	Total	2,736,376	2,709,063	4,076,642	9,522,081	7,676,189
			Due > 1 year;		Total	Carrying
2011		Due < 1 year	≤ 5 years	Due > 5 years	Contractual Cash Flows	Values
2011 <u>Financial Assets</u>		Due < 1 year		Due > 5 years		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
		Due < 1 year 1,073,736		Due > 5 years		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Financial Assets	_	1,073,736 287,276		Due > 5 years	Cash Flows 1,073,736 287,276	Values 1,073,736 287,276
Financial Assets Cash & Equivalents Receivables	Total .	1,073,736		Due > 5 years	Cash Flows 1,073,736	Values 1,073,736
Financial Assets Cash & Equivalents Receivables Financial Liabilities	Total	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012		Due > 5 years	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012	Values 1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012
Financial Assets Cash & Equivalents Receivables Financial Liabilities Payables	Total	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 564,496		Due > 5 years	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 564,496	Values 1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 304,098
Financial Assets Cash & Equivalents Receivables Financial Liabilities Payables Current Borrowings	Total	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012	≤ 5 years		1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 564,496 804,957	Values 1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 304,098 571,724
Financial Assets Cash & Equivalents Receivables Financial Liabilities Payables	Total .	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 564,496		1,668,048 1,668,048	1,073,736 287,276 1,361,012 564,496	Values 1,073,736

The following interest rates were applicable to Council's borrowings at balance date:

	30 June	e 2012	30 Juni	e 2011
	Weighted		Weighted	
	Average Interest	Carrying Value	Average Interest	Carrying Value
	Rate		Rate	
	%		%	
Fixed Interest Rates	6.48	5,978,983	6.91	3,487,561
	_	5,978,983		3,487,561

Net Fair Value

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

Risk Exposures

<u>Credit Risk</u> represents the loss that would be recognised if counterparties fail to perform as contracted. The maximum credit risk on financial assets of the Council is the carrying amount, net of any allowance for doubtful debts. All Council investments are made with the SA Local Government Finance Authority and are guaranteed by the SA Government. Except as detailed in Notes 5 & 6 in relation to individual classes of receivables, exposure is concentrated within the Council's boundaries, and there is no material exposure to any individual debtor.

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

<u>Liquidity Risk</u> is the risk that Council will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations with financial liabilities. In accordance with the model Treasury Management Policy (LGA Information Paper 15), liabilities have a range of maturity dates. Council also has available a range of bank overdraft and standby borrowing facilities that it can access

Interest Rate Risk is the risk that future cash flows will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. Council has a balance of both fixed and variable interest rate borrowings and investments. Cash flow fluctuations are managed holistically in seeking to minimise interest costs over the longer term in a risk averse manner.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 14 - COMMITMENTS FOR EXPENDITURE

Capital Commitments Capital expenditure committed for at the reporting date I statements as liabilities:	2012 but not recognised in	2011 n the financial
Buildings Plant & Equipment These expenditures are payable: Not later than one year	603,885 182,600 786,485 786,485 786,485	70,760 70,760 70,760 70,760
Other Expenditure Commitments Other expenditure committed for (excluding inventories) at the the financial statements as liabilities:	e reporting date but no	ot recognised in
Audit Services Waste Management Services Employee Remuneration Contracts Other	36,000 - 1,355,712 <u>165,452</u> 1,557,164	45,000 139,745 380,243 176,090 741,078
These expenditures are payable: Not later than one year Later than one year and not later than 5 years	463,243 1,093,921 1,557,164	705,078 36,000 741,078

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 15 - FINANCIAL INDICATORS

2012

2011

2010

These Financial Indicators have been calculated in accordance with *Information Paper 9 - Local Government Financial Indicators* prepared as part of the LGA Financial Sustainability Program for the Local Government Association of South Australia. Detailed methods of calculation are set out in the SA Model Statements.

Operating Surplus Ratio

Operating Surplus

(6%)

(13%)

6%

Rates - general & other less NRM levy

This ratio expresses the operating surplus as a percentage of general and other rates, net of NRM levy.

Adjusted Operating Surplus Ratio

(12%)

(13%)

6%

In each of June 2009, 2010 and 2011 the Commonwealth Government made an advance of one quarterly payment of the Financial Assistance Grant. In June 2012 an advance of two quarterly payments was made (see Note 2). Accordingly there were four "quarterly" payments in 2010 and 2011, and five payments in 2012. The Adjusted Operating Surplus Ratio adjusts for this distortion.

Net Financial Liabilities Ratio

Net Financial Liabilities

60%

44%

40%

Total Operating Revenue less NRM levy

Net Financial Liabilities are defined as total liabilities less financial assets (excluding equity accounted investments in Council businesses). These are expressed as a percentage of total operating revenue (excluding NRM levy).

Asset Sustainability Ratio

Net Asset Renewals

163%

40%

114%

Infrastructure & Asset Management Plan required expenditure

Net asset renewals expenditure is defined as net capital expenditure on the renewal and replacement of existing assets, and excludes new capital expenditure on the acquisition of additional assets.

Amounts shown above an asterisk (*) indicate that depreciation expense has been used as a proxy, pending finalisation of the Infrastructure & Asset Management Plan.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 16 - UNIFORM PRESENTATION OF FINANCES

The following is a high level summary of both operating and capital investment activities of the Council prepared on a simplified Uniform Presentation Framework basis.

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

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

	2012 0	2011 0
Income less Expenses Operating Surplus / (Deficit)	8,913,926 9,307,619 (393,693)	8,213,332 8,916,751 (703,419)
less Net Outlays on Existing Assets Capital Expenditure on renewal and replacement of Existing Assets less Depreciation, Amortisation and Impairment less Proceeds from Sale of Replaced Assets	3,523,291 1,965,110 325,803 1,232,378	1,036,664 1,599,005 389,636 (951,977)
less Net Outlays on New and Upgraded Assets		
Capital Expenditure on New and Upgraded Assets (including investment property & real estate developments)	718,737	482,985
less Amounts received specifically for New and Upgraded Assets	208,808509,929	260,397
Net Lending / (Borrowing) for Financial Year	(2,136,000)	25,970

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 17 - OPERATING LEASES

Lease payment commitments of Council

Council has entered into non-cancellable operating leases for 3 photocopiers.

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

Leases in relation to the photocopier equipment permit Council, at expiry of the lease, to elect to re-lease, return or acquire the equipment leased.

No lease contains any escalation clause.

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

	2012	2011
Not later than one year	10,648	7,608
Later than one year and not later than 5 years	26,464	19,020
	37,112	26,628

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 18 - SUPERANNUATION

The Council makes employer superannuation contributions in respect of its employees to the Local Government Superannuation Scheme. The Scheme has two types of membership, each of which is funded differently. Permanent and contract employees of the South Australian Local Government sector have the option to contribute to Marketlink and/or Salarylink. All other employees (including casuals) have all contributions allocated to Marketlink.

Marketlink (Accumulation Fund) Members

Marketlink receives both employer and employee contributions on a progressive basis, with employer contributions based on a fixed percentage of employee earnings in accordance with superannuation guarantee legislation (9% in 2011/12 for marketlink members and 3% for Salarylink members; 9% and 3% respectively in 2010/11). No further liability accrues to the employer as the superannuation benefits accruing to employees are represented by their share of the net assets of the fund.

Salarylink (Defined Benefit) Members

Salarylink is a defined benefit scheme where the benefit payable is based on a formula determined by the member's contribution rate, number of years of contribution and final average salary. Council makes employer contributions to Salarylink as determined by the Scheme's Trustee based on advise from the Scheme's Actuary. The rate is currently 6.3% (6.3% in 2010/11) of "superannuation" salary. Given that Employer contributions are based on a fixed percentage of employee earnings in accordance with the superannuation guarantee legislation, the remaining 3% for Salarylink members is allocated to their Marketlink account. Employees also make member contributions to the Fund. As such, assets accumulate in the Fund to meet the member's benefits as defined in the Trust Deed as they accrue.

The Salarylink Plan is a multi-employer sponsored plan. As the Fund's assets and liabilities are pooled and are not allocated by employer, the Actuary is unable to allocate benefit liabilities, assets and costs between employers. As provided by AASB 119.32(b), Council does not use defined benefit accounting for these contributions.

The most recent actuarial investigation was conducted by the Scheme's actuary, A C Miller, FIAA, of Russell Employee Benefits Pty Ltd as at 30 June 2011. The Trustee has determined that the current funding arrangements are adequate for the expected Salarylink liabilities. However, future financial and economic circumstances may require changes to Council's contribution rates at some future time.

Contributions to Other Superannuation Schemes

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

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 19 - JOINT VENTURES & ASSOCIATED ENTITIES

All joint ventures and associated entities are required to prepare Annual Financial Statements that comply with the SA Local Government Model Financial Statements.

Section 43 of the Local Government Act 1999, provides that Councils may establish a regional subsidiary to carry out joint projects, functions or activities of the Councils

Central Local Government Region of South Australia

The District Council of Mallala is a member of the Central Local Government Region of South Australia, referred to in this report as the "Subsidiary".

- undertake co-ordinating, advocacy and representational roles on behalf of its Constituent Councils at a regional level
- facilitate and co-ordinate activities of local government at a regional level related to community and economic development with the object of achieving improvement for the benefit of the communities of its Constituent Councils.
- -develop, encourage, promote, foster and maintain consultation and co-operation and to strengthen the representation and status of local government when dealing with other governments, private enterprise and the community;
- develop further co-operation between its Constituent Councils for the benefit of the communities of the region;
- develop and manage policies which guide the conduct of programs and projects in the region with the objective of securing the best outcomes for the communities of the region;
- undertake projects and activities that benefit the region and its communities;
- associate, collaborate and work in conjunction with other regional local government bodies for the advancement of matters of common interest.

During the 2011-12 year Council Subsidary contributions were \$9,493

Gawler River Floodplain Management Authority (GRFMA)

The GRFMA has been established for the following purposes:

- 1. To coordinate the construction, operation and maintenance of flood mitigation infrastructure in the Gawler River area (the Floodplain);
- 2. To raise finance for the purpose of developing, managing and operating and maintaining flood mitigation works within the Floodplain;
- 3. To provide a forum for the discussion and consideration of topics relating to the Constituent Council's obligations and responsibilities in relation to management of flood mitigation within the Floodplain;
- 4. To enter into agreements with Constituent Councils for the purpose of managing and developing the Floodplain.

During the 2011-12 year Council Subsidary contributions were for a subscription of \$5,000.

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 19 (cont) - JOINT VENTURES & ASSOCIATED ENTITIES

	2012	2011
Gawler River Floodplain Management Authority	\$	\$
Council's respective interests are:		
- interest in outputs of the joint operation	28%	28%
- ownership interest in the joint operation	28%	28%
- the proportion of voting power in the joint operation	28%	28%
Movements in Investment in Joint Operation	\$	\$
Opening Balance	4,875,605	4,747,738
Share in Operating Result	(401,333)	3,109
Share in other comprehensive income	-	124,758
Share in Equity of Joint Operation	4,474,272	4,875,605

NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 June 2012

Note 20 - CONTINGENCIES & ASSETS & LIABILITIES NOT RECOGNISED IN THE BALANCE SHEET

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

1 LAND UNDER ROADS

As reported elsewhere in these Statements, Council is of the opinion that it is not possible to attribute a value sufficiently reliably for these assets to qualify for recognition, and accordingly land under roads has not been recognised in these reports. Land acquired for road purposes during the year is initially recognised at cost, but transferred to fair value at reporting date, effectively writing off the expenditure.

At reporting date, Council controlled 957 km of road reserves of average width 9 metres.

2 BANK GUARANTEES

Council has guaranteed an amount of \$36,000 for a lease on a rubble pit (6143 EML) (2010: \$36,000) at reporting date.

Council does not expect to incur any loss arising from these guarantees.

3 LEGAL EXPENSES

Council is the planning consent authority for its area under the Development Act 1993 (as amended). Pursuant to that Act, certain persons aggrieved by a planning decision of the Council may appeal. It is normal practice that parties bear their own legal costs. At the date of these reports, Council is unaware of any appeals against planning decisions made prior to reporting date.

4 POTENTIAL INSURANCES LOSSES

Council is a multi-purpose organisation providing a large range of building, parks infrastructure, playgrounds and other facilities accessible to the public. At any time, it is likely that claims will have been made against Council that remain unsettled.

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

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

IAN G McDONALD FCA

ABN: 13 550 494 869



INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE DISTRICT COUNCIL OF MALLALA

I have audited the accompanying financial report of the District Council of Mallala which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2012 and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, cash flow statement, summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the certification of financial statement for the year ended 30 June 2012.

Chief Executive Officer's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The Chief Executive Officer is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Local Government Act 1999 together with the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting my audit I followed applicable independence requirements of Australian professional and ethical pronouncements and the Local Government Act 1999.

Auditor's Opinion

In my opinion, the financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the District Council of Mallala as of 30 June 2012, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Local Government Act 1999 together with the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011

IAN G MC DONALD FCA **CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT**

REGISTERED COMPANY AUDITOR

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Liability limited by a scheme approved under Professional Standards Legislation

Signed day of November 2012, at Eastwood, South Australia

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DISTRICT COUNCIL of MALLALA

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 June 2012

CERTIFICATION OF AUDITOR INDEPENDENCE

To the best of our knowledge and belief, we confirm that, for the purpose of the audit of SA Model Council for the year ended 30 June 2012, the Council's Auditor, lan McDonald, has maintained its independence in accordance with the requirements of the *Local Government Act 1999* and the *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011* made under that Act.

This statement is prepared in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 22(3) Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011.

Charles Mansueto

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

John Comrie
PRESIDING MEMBER

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Date: 15 NOVEMBER 2012

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF MALLALA

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2012

STATEMENT BY AUDITOR

I confirm that, for the audit of the financial statements of District Council of Mallala for the year ended 30 June 2012, I have maintained my independence in accordance with the requirements of APES 110 – Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, Section 290, published by the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board, in accordance with the Local Government Act 1999 and the Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011 made under that Act.

This statement is prepared in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 22 (5) Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 2011.

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Dated this 15 day of November 2012