

## MAYOR'S MESSAGE...

# “All I Want For Christmas”

In all the rush and bustle of Christmas we may sometimes lose sight of the ‘reason for the season’.

We enjoyed end of year school presentations and graduation ceremonies, sharing with family, teachers and friends the successes of our young people. I came away from these events, confident that our community in years to come will be well served under the leadership of many of these young people as they forge a pathway through life.

In Victoria Square Kadina and Queen Square, Moonta we sat singing carols as have generations before us. We heard the re-enactment of the first ‘Carols by Candlelight’. This was particularly significant as we celebrated last year the recognition of the Moonta Mines as a National Heritage listed site. This heritage recognition not only illustrates the built environment and wealth dug from our earth, but also the wealth in character of the people. All those many years ago, Miners came to the surface and near the ‘shaft’, with the light from their helmet’s candle, sang carols to celebrate Christmas.

Christmas is a family time and not just to holiday, party, eat, drink and do presents but to remember the great gift of God’s love for us. Those Cornish Miners lived, worked and rejoiced in the love of God.

In 2017, we continued to uphold those Christmas traditions. Much food and drink consumed, gifts exchanged. Our lounge room floor on Christmas morning, like many of yours, was covered with colourful wrapping paper, Lego or Meccano pieces strewn around in all the



**Kadina CBD Redevelopment Stage 1 comes together.**

excitement of the festivities.

This sight not too different to that of the construction sites that have become familiar to us over the preceding few months as we have continued to renew, repair and improve our community infrastructure.

The Northern Yorke Peninsula Rotary Club in partnership with Council over a seven year period have brought to reality the Copper Rail Trail, linking Kadina to Wallaroo with the bike/walking track. It has already become a very popular attraction for not only the fitness fanatic, but families and friends sharing the pleasure and safety of this new infrastructure, while remembering our rich rail history.

Stage 1 completion of the Port

Hughes boat launching facility was a welcomed improvement to this very popular and highly used launching area by our local fishers and tourists. It now provides a deeper, more accessible ramp area. Future dredging will be much easier and the pending completion of Stage 2, provides additional vehicle and trailer parking and boat wash down area, which will no doubt be an ongoing attraction for the Copper Coast.

Students, Teachers, Parents and Friends did enjoy the comforts of the Copper Coast Sports and Leisure Centre’s new stadium for end of year performances and presentations. The Stage 1 completion has demonstrated already the keen interest in

utilisation of this complex not only for local and State sporting fixtures but a couple of conference opportunities. Our community will value this venue and the financial partnership that the Commonwealth, State and Local Governments contributed with our community donors to ensure that the Copper Coast boasts one of the best regional sporting centres.

Driving around the Kadina CBD over Christmas and New Year provided me with the same relief as I gained after packing away the mess and enthusiasm of Christmas Day gifts from the lounge room floor! A clear vision of what our CBD renovations will provide.

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**“A Dream – A Reality” – ALDI contract signed.**

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The additional car parking along the former Rail Corridor in Kadina was packed with vehicles of all shapes and sizes. The new black surfaces seemed to glisten and no longer the skyline dominated by drooping power lines. Business operators, residents and shoppers have been considerably patient and accommodating during the Stage 1 construction period, and as Stage 2 continues the relief and positive remarks of the project have been rewarding.

Similar to the praise afforded to the Lego construction on Christmas Day, we can now appreciate what the Kadina CBD will offer at its completion as we approach the middle of this year. Certainly the signing of the contract for sale and purchase of the land allotment to

ALDI for the construction of their Kadina store was a fitting highlight at the close of a busy and productive year!

I am confident that this new retail opportunity will provide a welcomed boost to the Kadina CBD. Not only will it provide direct employment opportunities, other businesses should also benefit from the increased foot traffic and shoppers frequenting Kadina CBD and the extended Copper Coast.

The caravan parks at Moonta, Port Hughes and Wallaroo have been busy with holiday makers. Our repaired swimming enclosures at Moonta and Wallaroo, popular attractions on the warmer days.

I do acknowledge that some of our Elected Members, Ratepayers and Residents have doubted the worth of the many infrastructure

improvements proposed and undertaken by Council. Yet I remain confident that the community as a whole appreciate the foresight and conviction to build our community wealth by continuing to renew and build upon our infrastructure – Council engaging in more than just the Rates, Roads and Rubbish.

Walt Disney once said – “You can dream, create, design and build the most wonderful ideas in the world, but it requires people to make the dream a reality”.

Your Elected Members and our Council's Staff, from the Executive to our Construction and Maintenance Teams have jointly worked together to ensure that the Copper Coast remains your lifestyle location of choice!

*Happy New Year!*  
**Paul Thomas AM, Mayor**



*lifestyle location of choice*

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Moonta Tourist Office  
Blanche Terrace, Moonta SA 5558**

**Wallaroo Office**

**5 John Terrace, Wallaroo SA 5556**



# Early Learning @ Your Library

## 1001 Books before School...

It's never too early to read to your child. From the day they are born they are learning. Sharing books is a great way to build strong and loving relationships, develop their language skills, help them to learn about the world and most importantly have fun together.

What better way to start their learning journey than by reading 1001 books before they go to school. All they need is a library membership.

To get started register at a Copper Coast Library - Kadina, Moonta or Wallaroo. Every time you read a book with your child record it on your reading record. You can even read favourite books multiple times !!

A reward can be collected from the Library at each milestone - 100, 250, 500, 750 and 1001 books.

If you read for 15 minutes a day it will be easy to read 1001 books in a year.

## Early Learning Sessions...

Childrens sessions are held by Copper Coast Libraries to introduce babies, toddlers and pre-schoolers to language through words, sound and rhymes. Read & Rhyme Time, Rhythm & Rhyme Time and Storytime all encourage interaction between child and parent/carer in a social environment. Session details are available on the Council website or by contacting your local Library.



Never too early to start the love of books and the joy of reading!

## Council Rate Payment Schedule

	Due by
3rd Quarter - Rate Notice posted 17th January 2018	1st March, 2018
4th Quarter - Rate Notice Posted 18th April 2018	1st June, 2018

Rates will be overdue if payment has not been received at the Council office by the due date. A fine of 2% and Interest will apply to the balance outstanding.

NB: Please allow up to 3-4 business days for BPay and other electronic banking transactions

# 2018 COUNCIL CALENDAR

## February

- 12th - Audit Committee meeting - 9.30 a.m., Copper Hill Meeting Room, Town Hall, Kadina
- 14th - Council Assessment Panel meeting - 5.30 p.m., Town Hall Function Room, Kadina
- 14th - Council meeting - 7 p.m., Council Chambers, Town Hall, Kadina.

## March

- 7th - Council meeting - 7 p.m., Council Chambers, Town Hall, Kadina.
- 14th - Council Assessment Panel meeting - 5.30 p.m., Town Hall Function Room, Kadina

## April

- 4th - Council meeting - 7 p.m., Council Chambers, Town Hall, Kadina.
- 9th - Audit Committee meeting - 9.30 a.m., Copper Hill Meeting Room, Town Hall, Kadina
- 11th - Council Assessment Panel meeting - 5.30 p.m., Town Hall Function Room, Kadina

Please note that changes to the above meetings will be published on Council's website along with other meeting dates. All public are welcome to attend these meetings.

Special meetings of Council may be called at other times throughout the year and will be added to the website as required.

## PORT HUGHES BOAT RAMP

Dredging  
job done.....

The new dredging access ramp worked an absolute treat.

The dredging crew were more efficient than ever before, and we hope you appreciate their work. The routine maintenance dredging was undertaken from the 4th through to the 8th of December 2017 and was in accordance with Council's EPA dredging license.

The mouth is now clear again.

But we will be keeping an eye on it to see how it is affected by the summer tides and weather.

Please continue to provide your constructive feedback to the dedicated Facebook page for this facility. 'Port Hughes Boat Ramp – Copper Coast' to help us improve the facility for you in the future. Alternatively email us at [info@coppercoast.sa.gov.au](mailto:info@coppercoast.sa.gov.au) if you require a response.

Happy boating...



## BOAT RAMP CARPARK

Works are progressing in the first stage of the carpark with underground stormwater infrastructure complete and asphalt sealing completed in December. The entire carpark was open for the holiday season, before the final works are completed this year.

Stage 2 works will commence in February 2018 and will include the remainder of the carpark construction works; lighting, stormwater, landscaping and a new boat rinsing area.



## COPPER COAST HIGHWAY REALIGNMENT

A contractor is now busy with the works to realign the Copper Coast Highway to the south. The realignment of this road will create two new commercial allotments suitable for large footprint retailer's right in the heart of the town.

The new road pavement alignment will still be within the existing road reserve and will not impact on the southern strip of community land.

As the majority of the works are to the south of the existing pavement, the project will have very little, if any, disruption to traffic.

Council already has a signed contract with ALDI to purchase the western allotment.

The eastern allotment will be placed on the open market at a later date.

This idea came from residents at a public meeting about 18 months ago and will create a larger CBD and stop a satellite shopping precinct being created at the edge of town.

Through further feedback the Council was advised that the existing earth mound was not sufficient to provide Railway Terrace Residents with a suitable sound barrier to the highway traffic.

Therefore the Council has committed to raising the remaining earth mound as part of the project and also improve the area with additional trees.





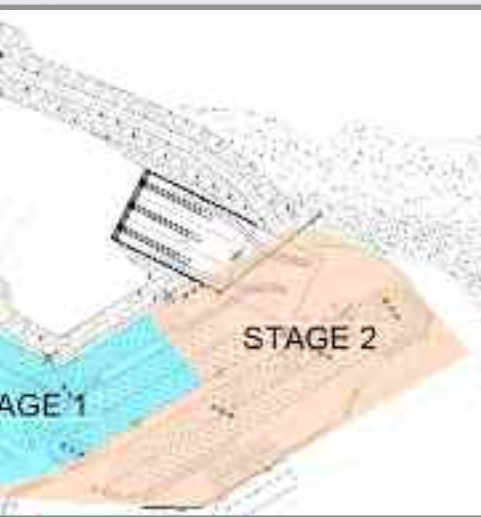
## KADINA CBD REDEVELOPMENT

Wow it's been busy. Who would have thought that we would have traffic jams in Kadina! We certainly thank you all for your patience as we had up to 5 different Contractors in the town to get things completed before Christmas. We are certainly over the worst of it and will have a single Contractor working in the town with minimal disruptions for the first half of this year finishing off the project with new Kerbing, Footpaths and Asphalt.

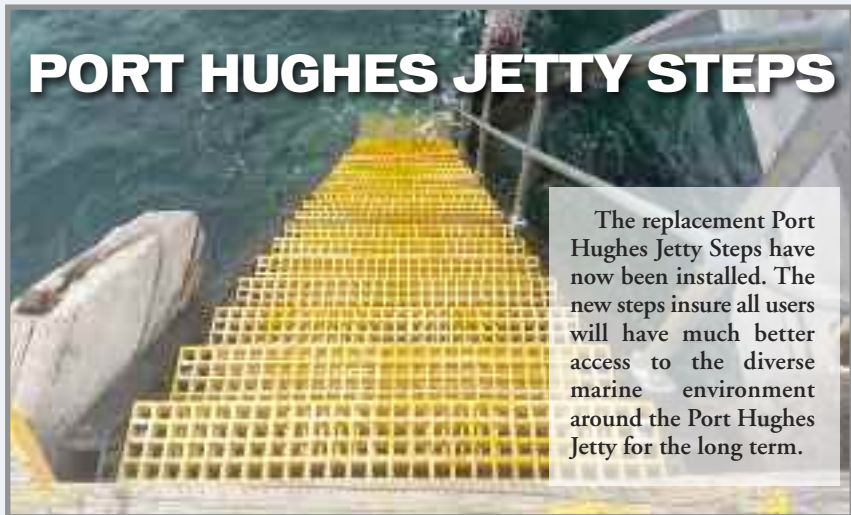
Day Street works, between Frances and Doswell Terrace has included the completion of the Stormwater, Kerbing, Concrete Footpaths and Asphalt Sealing.

Works have commenced in Goyder

Street between Frances Terrace and Graves Street. This section will create a key link between the new Frances Terrace carpark and the heart of the CBD. Wider, safe, paved footpaths through an avenue of trees will create this corridor. This section of road is unique within the project as the existing road is being raised considerably to achieve this transition whereas the rest of the project is more simplistic with minimal works such as asphalt overlays over existing road surfaces. The heartache and cost of installing the underground deep stormwater pipes has made this concept a new reality and will make the CBD much more pedestrian friendly.



## PORT HUGHES JETTY STEPS



The replacement Port Hughes Jetty Steps have now been installed. The new steps insure all users will have much better access to the diverse marine environment around the Port Hughes Jetty for the long term.



## COPPER COAST SPORT AND LEISURE CENTRE

The month of December has seen the opening of the remainder of Stage 1 of the new building.

Minor works and defect repairs will continue in this area before Council accepts responsibility for the asset from the Contractor and the final payments are made.

It has been a busy period for the Centre's staff who have been relocating equipment and setting up the new offices and reception.

If you haven't managed to visit the Centre it is worth a look and talk to the friendly staff about membership options.

We thank everyone involved, including our current members as we

iron out the bugs and finalise the setup of the new facility.

A big part of the project has been to remove those once dreaded carpark pot holes. The new carpark has been divided into two stages to ensure functionality of the CCSLC is maintained. Stage 1 works have been completed and include Underground Drainage, Lighting Provisions, New Pavements with Asphalt Seal, Kerbing and Line Marking. The Stage 2 works are progressing, Landscape, Footpaths, Lighting and a new feature entrance path linking the main entrance to Doswell Terrace will complement the project.





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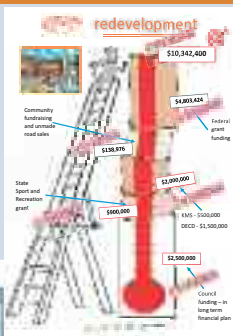
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# Dogs and Cats Online (DACO)

From 1 July 2018, Dogs and Cats Online (DACO) will be a new way to register your dog. Dog and cat registration, along with the way you manage your pet dog or cat's microchip, health and breeder information, will be simplified with the introduction of a new website.

DACO will be the central point for all your dog and cat management payments and information, replacing the 68 individual Council systems and private microchip databases currently in place.

Please visit [www.dogandcatboard.com.au](http://www.dogandcatboard.com.au) for more details. To get ready for DACO, please take the time to update your contact details, mobile number and email address. Go to our website [www.coppercoast.sa.gov.au](http://www.coppercoast.sa.gov.au) and complete the "Advice to Registrar – change of details" form and submit to Council.

## NEW RULES FOR BREEDERS

From 1 July 2018, anyone that breeds a dog or cat for sale or trade must register as a breeder with the Dog and Cat Management Board.

The new website, called Dogs and Cats Online (DACO) is being developed to manage South Australia's new breeder register. To find out more information go to [www.dogandcatboard.com.au](http://www.dogandcatboard.com.au) where you can begin the process and be kept up to date with the new changes. There is also a frequently asked questions area.



## Traineeship Opportunities

Throughout 2017, Council provided 4 new Traineeship opportunities to our local young residents, in addition to the ongoing 18 month Cert II Horticulture Traineeships that commenced in 2016.

By the end of January 2018, 3 trainees will have successfully completed their Certificate III in the following vocations:

- Local Government
- Library and Information Services
- Information, Digital Media and Technology

The 4th Trainee is undertaking a Cert III in Civil Construction Plant Operations over 36 months working with Council's Construction crew and is expected to complete this in 2020.

For 2018, Council will provide 2 new 12 month traineeships opportunities in:

- Cert III Local Government
- Cert IV in Digital Media Technologies

While these Traineeships have no permanent position attached upon completion, they do provide the Trainees with valuable work skills and experience plus a nationally recognised qualification.

### Apprenticeships

In 2012, Council employed an



**Copper Coast Council trainees Courtney Hackney, Lauren Maxwell, Jack Leighton and Bryar Ostendorf.**

Apprentice Mechanic. Our Apprentice successfully completed his Apprenticeship late 2016 and is now employed on a full time basis as a Workshop Mechanic.

In 2017, a current staff member

commenced studies in Cert III Carpentry as an Apprentice. Completion in around 2020 will result in trade qualifications as a Carpenter and ongoing employment with Council.





**South Australian Senior Side Championship Team (including the successful men's side).**

## **2017 Yorke Peninsula Australian Senior Sides Championships**

2017 Yorke Peninsula Australian Senior Sides were hosted in the region from October 15 – 19. As part of that event an economic impact study was done to evaluate the success of the event. A summary of that report:

The Australian Senior Sides Championships is a prestigious event on the National Bowls calendar with Male and Female Teams from all Australian States and Territories. It was held during October 15th to 19th 2017 at two clubs in the Northern Yorke Peninsula. All player participants were aged over 60 years at the time of the event.

- The Senior Sides event involved 238 interstate and intrastate visitors, staying a total of 1,174 visit nights in the Yorke Peninsula.
- The event generated an estimated contribution of \$277,030 to the regional South Australian economy, comprising:
  - o \$108,103 in travel and accommodation.

- o \$78,490 in retail, food service, communications (including media) and maintenance.
- o \$90,437 in other business and multiplier effects.
- The extent to which visiting teams would be likely to recommend the Yorke Peninsula/Copper Coast as a place to visit as a holiday or part of a holiday:
  - o Definitely 11%
  - o Probably 78%
  - o Maybe 0%
  - o Unlikely 11%
  - o Most Unlikely 0%.

### **Starclub Updates**

Updates for the STARCLUB Program in 2018:

All grant applications will be submitted online in 2018. If your club would like to submit an application in the upcoming funding round that opens in February allow plenty of time.

Training courses, if your club needs to upskill any of its volunteers or participants please let me know so I can arrange appropriate training courses.

The Office for Recreation and Sport have released two guides to assist clubs.

The first is a Sustainability Guide which will help clubs review their use of water and electricity. The other is a Financial Management Guide which will assist clubs and treasurers with responsible financial management.

85% of the clubs that receive grants from the Office for Recreation and Sport are STARCLUBS. So don't forget to keep updating your progress.



### **Sports Vouchers Available Again**

Everyone deserves the opportunity to play sport and Sports Vouchers help make that possible. Each year every primary school aged child is eligible for one \$50 discount to their registration or subscription fees. The arrival of 2018 means everyone that is eligible may claim a new voucher. Last year a total of 553 vouchers were claimed in the Copper Coast. Ask your club if they accept vouchers now!! Or for more information contact the STARCLUB Field Officer.



**[recsport.sa.gov.au/starclub](http://recsport.sa.gov.au/starclub)**  
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*lifestyle location of choice*



**Government of South Australia**  
**Office for Recreation and Sport**

Contact the STARCLUB Field Officer, Giles Ellis, or add LNYP Starclub on Facebook, for more information on...

- STARCLUB Development Program
- Grants and Funding
- Volunteer training courses
- Club governance



## Community Grants Morning Tea

Recipients of the Copper Coast Council's Community Grants gathered to celebrate at a morning tea on Wednesday, November 8. Councillor Margaret Pope and Director of Corporate and Community Services Katrina Borlace hosted the event and representatives from almost all grant-winning organisations attended. More than \$80,000 was awarded to local sporting, recreation and community organisations through this year's grant scheme.

## 2018 COPPER COAST VISITORS GUIDE

The new issue of the Copper Coast Visitors' Guide is now available and includes lots of information about things to do to enjoy our Lifestyle Location of Choice.

An increased number of businesses in each town provide all of the services locals and tourists require and also provide us with great places to enjoy the special local produce of the region. It is exciting that we have a wide choice of Hotels, Restaurants and Cafés that are now selling

products that are grown, caught or manufactured in the Yorke Peninsula or Mid North.

The Copper Coast also has special facilities, attractions and events that attract many people to our region and also provide those of us lucky enough to live here with an abundance of things to see and do. Visit the Copper Coast Visitor Information Centre for your free guide and helpful staff will direct you to the many things to do in the Copper Coast.



## DISPOSING OF BATTERIES

We use batteries for a lot of everyday products such as; computers, laptops, radios, remotes and even some toys. They are even used in some watches and hearing aids.

With the use of batteries comes the growing concern on the impact batteries are having on the environment when they reach the end of their life and go to landfill.

In an attempt to reduce the load of batteries going to landfill, the Copper Coast Council now have free disposal points for batteries.

These are located at:

- Kadina Council office
- Kadina Library
- Wallaroo Library
- Moonta Community Library

We encourage you to save your batteries and bring them to any of our disposal points, and in future, look into the possibility of using rechargeable batteries.

Keep an eye out in the next issue of the Copper Post to find out how many batteries our Council area has saved from going to landfill!



# Financial Summary

The table is a summary of the audited financial results of Council for the past two years and the adopted budget for 2017-18. The operating surplus was primarily due to a further revision in the landfill provision of \$2,255,000 which was consequently recognised as income (see Note 2 (f)) in the Annual Financial Statements. There was a change in the provision for the reinstatement of the landfills due to the finalisation of the calculations, estimated volumes and closure plans being near completion and work that has been completed over the last 2 years. The past two years has seen this provision reduce by \$4.023M. The provision is based on estimates provided by consultants and the final closure plans are still being negotiated with the relevant state authorities. The resultant liability will be reduced over a number of years yet to be determined in conjunction with the EPA.

Other Income also includes the receipt of the Insurance recovery of \$839,000 for the storm damaged Wallaroo Swimming Enclosure. The above two items significantly impacting on income in the 2016/17 financial year.

Thirdly, the Commonwealth Government during June 2017 forwarded to Councils their funding under the Financial Assistance Grants Scheme 50% (\$904,437) of their 2017/18 allocation. Under the Accounting Standards this income is to be reported in the year of receipt and therefore inflates the Grants, Subsidies, Contributions received for the 2016/17 financial year and also will impact on the 2017/18 year.

If these funds listed above had been received in the correct financial year the 2016/17 operating result would have been a small deficit of \$174,351. A revaluation of Council's infrastructure assets was also performed as at 30 June 2017. This revaluation covered the Stormwater, Community Waste Management Systems and Road Infrastructure assets. A net increase of \$2.505M has been reported in the revaluation of these assets.

## Where do the funds come from?

Council receives some funding in grants from other Governments and raises some funds in user fees and charges, however about 64% of revenue came from the Council Rates in 2016/17.

The pie chart (right) outlines the areas in which Councils receive funds in a typical year.

## How is the money spent?

Council provides many services to the community, some of which are legislated and others which are provided by choice.

Council's expenses represent the cost of providing these services to the community. Materials, contracts and other expenses made up 38% of the total operating expenditure of Council. Council Employees are its most valuable asset and provide the numerous services for the community at a consistent operating cost of 25% of expenditure. Depreciation makes up 31% of the total operating expenditure. During 2013/14 Council increased the provision for the reinstatement of the Kadina & Moonta landfill sites and this correspondingly increased the Materials, Contracts & other expenses component of expenditure by \$5.8 million. The provision (liability) was reviewed during 2015/16 and reduced by \$1,768,000 in 2015/16 and again in 2016/17 by \$2.3 million being a total of \$4.023 million in the past two years as final estimates have now been received as per previous opening statements. This reduction in the provision was recognised as "other income" during 2016/17 and 2015/16.

In addition to the Operating Revenue Council received other Government Grants and Subsidies in the order of \$5.9M to assist in the purchase of new or upgraded assets, being the Copper Coast Sport & Leisure Centre, Port Hughes Boat Ramp and the Kadina CBD Upgrade.

Whether a service is a legislative requirement of Councils, or is provided by local choice, the Local Government Act requires that a Council is "responsive to the needs, interests and aspirations of individuals and groups within its community..." and that it must "...seek to ensure that Council resources are used fairly..." (Section 8, (b) and (h)).



	2015-16 Actual \$'000	2016-17 Actual \$'000	2017-18 Budget \$'000
<b>Revenue</b>			
Rates	18,941	20,103	28,056
Statutory Charges	607	583	558
User Charges	2,648	3,078	2,977
Grants, subsidies and contributions	1,671	3,459	1,846
Investment income	302	191	110
Reimbursements	372	575	404
Other Income	2,205	3,548	403
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>26,746</b>	<b>31,537</b>	<b>34,354</b>
<b>Expense</b>			
Employee Costs	6,707	7,024	7,283
Materials, contracts & other expenses	8,885	10,562	17,712
Depreciation, amortisation & impairment	8,871	8,684	1,603
Finance costs	1,485	1,440	8,939
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>25,948</b>	<b>27,710</b>	<b>35,537</b>
<b>Net Operating Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>798</b>	<b>3,827</b>	<b>-1,183</b>
Asset Disposal & Fair Value Adjustments	225	42	0
Amounts received specifically for new or upgraded assets	1,017	5,966	1,126
Physical resources received free of charge	130	0	0
<b>Net Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>2,170</b>	<b>9,835</b>	<b>-57</b>
<b>Other Comprehensive Income</b>			
Changes in revaluation surplus - infrastructure, property, plant & equipment	-33	2,505	0
<b>Total Comprehensive Income</b>	<b>2,137</b>	<b>12,340</b>	<b>-57</b>

## What assets does Council own?

When looking at the Council Balance Sheet the Council assets totalled \$299.1 million. This includes money that is owed to Council in the form of Rates and other services (Trade & other receivables), stock on hand (inventories) and for the large proportion Infrastructure, Property, Plant & Equipment. Council's non current assets (Roads & Footpaths, CWMS & Stormwater) were revalued by JLL Infrastructure Advisory Pty Ltd in 2017 at fair value. Additions to these assets from this date have been measured at cost. One of the challenges facing Local Government today is finding the revenue required to maintain the large amount of

community infrastructure under its care and control.

## What liabilities does Council own?

Council's liabilities include loans, amounts owing to suppliers, amounts owing to employees for leave entitlements and amounts owing to residents of our retirement villages should they no longer occupy one of our units in Moonta or Wallaroo. Council borrowed to build the CWMS infrastructure and the Copper Coast Sport & Leisure Centre upgrade. Council's borrowings are currently \$35.4 million however also includes \$3.971 million for the retirement villages licences in Moonta and Wallaroo.



# Coastal Way

Last year, the South Australian Tourism Commission launched the Coastal Way Touring Route which allows visitors to the region a chance to see some of the must-do experiences starting at Port Wakefield and ending at Port Broughton. There are 20 experiences outlined on the map and small signs have been placed along the route to ensure visitors driving the route are on the right path.

As part of the Coastal Way promotion SATC partnered with Channel 9 News on a Yorke Peninsula road trip. Jessica Braithwaite and the crew were hosted for a week-long journey around the region with Moonta Mines a major feature.

Details on the Coastal Way are available from [www.yorkepeninsula.com.au](http://www.yorkepeninsula.com.au) and the Copper Coast Visitor Information Centre.



## FUND MY NEIGHBOURHOOD...

### Congratulations to the Successful Applicants!

Over 33,000 South Australians cast more than 122,000 votes for nearly 1700 neighbourhood improvement projects across the State.

Council congratulates our residents that were successful in their application to the State Government Fund My Neighbourhood Grants that will benefit our community.

The successful ideas were:

**Newtown Playground Upgrade \$55,000**

**Copper Coast Mini Golf \$145,000**

**Walk in the Trees – Victoria Square, Kadina \$150,000**

What Happens Next?

The State Government will work with the funding recipients to provide more information on their project, including more comprehensive budgets, project management and timeframes around the delivery of projects. In many cases this will include further Council processes such as development assessment.

To keep updated information will be published on their website and you can even sign up to their mailing list. [www.fundmyneighbourhood.sa.gov.au](http://www.fundmyneighbourhood.sa.gov.au)

If your idea missed this time round or you have a new idea ...keep a lookout for Round Two!

