

NEWRRG BUSINESS PLAN 2018/2019 TO 2020/2021

The NEWRRG Board and staff are working together to develop the Business Plan for 2018/2019. Considerable time has been given to reviewing actions from the NE Waste and Resource Recovery Implementation Plan and prioritising tasks going forward mindful of resources and Ministerial direction through the Statement of Expectations.

The Board recognises the strong relationship with Local Government and value of continuing the delivery of the Local Government Funded Program as a priority area within the Business Plan.

Within its resources, NEWRRG has identified 8 key priority areas for 2018/2019 to 2020/2021 that includes, Waste and Resource Recovery Implementation Plan, Collaborative Procurement and Statutory Planning

The draft Business Plan will be presented to the Board for approval prior to 30 April 2018.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT WASTE FORUM BUS TOUR

A number of Board Directors joined the Local Government Waste Forum bus tour on 22 & 23 March. The tour provided Councillors, staff and Directors the opportunity to see a number of waste and resource recovery operations across the Loddon Mallee and Goulbourn Valley waste and resource recovery regions. The tour includes visits to Eaglehawk Recycle Shop, ScatoPlus (mushroom growing compost), Mt Scobie Environment Centre and Botanical Gardens at the former Kialla Landfill.



ALLSTONE QUARRIES, EAGLEHAWK



BIOMIX, STANHOPE

RECYCLING INDUSTRY

NEWRRG will continue to provide information to Local Government and Alpine Resorts and act as a conduit back to the Port Folio for our stakeholders.

We will continue to seek advice from our Councils and Alpine Resorts to ensure that we can focus our resources and energy to meet the needs of the region.

SKILLS BASED MEMBERS OF BOARD RECRUITMENT

Applications for NEWRRG Board positions closed in February. The Department has reported that there has been a significant increase in the number of applicants received from the recruitment drive in 2014 with the establishment of the Waste and Resource Recovery Groups. New Directors will be appointed to the Board to begin their term from 1 August 2018.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information on any item included in this Communique or relating to the North East WRRG please contact the Executive Officer, Cydoni Edwards on 0438 003 038 or cydoni.edwards@newrrg.vic.gov.au