

# Adelaide Coastal Council Network

## *Vision*

*In 2050 Adelaide's coastline is beautiful, healthy, resilient, cared-for and enjoyed by all.*



Beautiful



Healthy



Resilient



Cared-for



Enjoyed



All

# What's in our vision

**In 2050** – The future of our coastline is influenced by what we do now. A timeline of 2050 is likely to see the increasing impacts of climate change and recognises that the action we take today will have legacy impacts for future generations.

**Adelaide's coastline** – Our remit remains metropolitan Adelaide. The use of the singular term “coastline” recognises that there is only one coastline, not multiple to be managed separately by respective agencies. It also recognises that it is a singular system and, therefore, requires a systems approach (collaborative and integrated) to managing it effectively.

**Beautiful** – We recognise that our coastline is visually beautiful and world-class. By assigning beauty to our coastline, we are linking our hearts and minds and acknowledging its value – something to be cherished.

**Healthy** – A healthy coastline is one that is naturally clean for people, plants and animals. This encompasses the system and coastal processes that underpin terrestrial and marine life.

**Resilient** – Our coastline will be resilient to both shocks and stressors. We recognise the likely impacts of storm events and other natural hazards, as well as longer term issues like climate change. We also recognise that resilience is achieved in many ways, through infrastructure, policy, governance, planning responses and behavioural changes.

**Cared-for** – We acknowledge that as a society, we need to actively care for our coastline, that it needs to be nurtured and supported actively.

**Enjoyed by all** – We want a coastline that can be physically experienced and enjoyed, and that it remains accessible for all members of our community. It is also important that it can also be enjoyed by our “creatures and critters”.

## Mission

*The ACCN will lead, influence, communicate and work together with agencies and stakeholders to ensure that evidence based and prioritised action is undertaken...so our coastline is beautiful, healthy, resilient, cared-for and enjoyed by all*



Lead



Influence



Communicate



Work together



Evidence based



Prioritise