



LOCAL GOVERNMENT TRANSPORT ADVISORY PANEL

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To: All Local Government Transport Advisory Panel Members (LGTAP)

This document contains supporting information to assist with the assessment process for the Special Local Roads Program applications conducted by the LGTAP

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VENUE	LGA House Meeting Room 1 Level 1 16 Hutt St ADELAIDE
DATE	Wednesday 10 May 2006
Time	2.pm – 4.00 pm

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Apologies**
- 3. SLRP (Special Local Road Program) – Background Information**
- 4. LGTAP Policy and Guidelines (for assessment of applications)**
- 5. Consideration of applications received**
- 6. Consideration for next meeting**
- 7. Closure**

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Special Local Roads Program - Background Information

The LGA advised all Councils of the call for Specials Local Roads Program funding additional funding for the Strategic Regional Program announcement in LGA Circular 11.3 on 10 March 2006.

A letter advising of the call for submissions was also sent to all Regional LGAs and Councils. The letter outlined the requirement for Councils to submit both SLRP applications (and AusLink) to their respective Regional LGA to enable determination of regional strategic priorities. The letter also included the application form and guidelines for the SLRP.

Traditionally LGTAP has assessed road funding applications (SLRP) utilising the Roads Infrastructure Database which includes assessment ranging from determination of the primary purpose of the road through to establishment of its priority with other road. This includes primary purposes such as Freight, Tourism and Social.

Details of all applications received have been entered into the Roads Infrastructure Database and relevant spreadsheets are attached to assist members with their deliberations.

As in previous years the panel will be required to recommend funding allocations to the applications received. This year there will be a complication with the delay (August to November 2006) of advice of outcomes of the AusLink Strategic Regional Program applications. This means the panel may not be able to finalise SLRP recommendations until some indication of successful AusLink applications is received.

It is suggested that the panel give consideration to application of priorities for SLRP applications received in the process of this meeting (10 May 2006) with a view to holding another meeting, date to be determined, when more AusLink information is available. Timing of the second meeting will be required to be scheduled to allow sufficient time to subsequently advise recommendations to the SA Local Government Grants Commission and the Federal Minister for Transport.