

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HERITAGE COUNCIL

MINUTES

The 144th Meeting of the South Australian Heritage Council (the Council) was held on Level 7, 81 – 95 Waymouth Street, Adelaide on Thursday 14 March 2024.

Statement of Acknowledgement

The Chairperson acknowledged that the land that the Council members meet on today is the traditional lands for Kaurna people and that the Council respect their spiritual relationship with their country. The Chairperson also acknowledged the Kaurna people as the custodians of the Adelaide region and that their cultural and heritage beliefs are still as important to the living Kaurna people today.

Heritage Council: Chair: Ms Sandy Verschoor Members: Mr Stephen Schrapel, Mr Marcus Rolfe, Mr Gavin Leydon, Mrs Deborah Lindsay, Mr David Brooks, Ms Eleanor Walters, Ms Kate McDougall and Mr Simon Weidenhofer.

Secretariat: Mr David Hanna, Executive Officer, Heritage South Australia, Department for Environment and Water (DEW) and Ms Beverley Voigt, Manager, Heritage South Australia (DEW).

1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

Ms Verschoor welcomed all to the 144th meeting of the South Australian Heritage Council (the Council).

There were apologies from Ms Jan Ferguson.

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA AND DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Agenda

The agenda was adopted with the addition of the following under other business:

- Renaming of State Heritage Places.
- Consideration of an in-principal letter of support for SAFECOM's application for federal funding to create a state government framework for emergency management to improve the incorporation of cultural heritage considerations into emergency management policy.

Declarations of conflict of interest

Ms Marcus Rolfe declared a conflict of interest in relation to Item 8.1 St John Vianney's Church, Item 8.2 – Jenkins Street Slips Precinct and Item 10.1 St Patrick's Church as his firm, URPS, is representing the owner on each occasion.

Mrs Deborah Lindsay declared a conflict of interest for Item 8.1 St John Vianney's Church, Item 8.2 Jenkins Street Slips Precinct and Item 10.1 St Patrick's Church as her firm DASH Architects has represented the owner on each occasion.

Mr Simon Weidenhofer declared a conflict of interest in relation to Item 7.4, Kelvin Building, North Terrace as he is the Heritage Architect for City of Adelaide and had provided advice in relation to local heritage.

3 PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

Council considered the draft minutes of 15 February 2024 meeting and approved them with the following amendments:

- Item 6.5 add the following text "It was noted that Heritage SA will review the information provided on forms 1 and 2 in relation to delegations specifically archaeological designations and permit requirements."
- Under Item 7.2 replace the word "believes" with the word "considered".
- Under Item 9.2 add the following text "It was noted that if a late submission is provided by the Corporation following designation, this information would still be considered by the Council. The supporting information to the listing could be updated, if required, based on the information in the submission."

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Approved** the minutes of 15 February 2024 subject to the above.

4. ACTION ITEMS

The Council noted the status of action items.

Project – State Heritage Place vacancies

Mr Blazeby, Heritage SA, spoke to the project brief on vacant State Heritage Places. This had been progressed out of session. It was agreed that the pilot project would analyse 20 Government owned places with a completion date of 30 June 2024.

It was noted there are 252 State Heritage State Government owned buildings.

It was agreed that it would be framed as a two-stage project and be very clear that the pilot is Stage 1. It was agreed that Stage 2 will do 20 privately owned heritage buildings.

RESOLUTION

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** the status of the action list.

5. IN CAMERA DISCUSSION

The Council had an in-camera discussion pursuant to section 7 (6) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*.

The Council approved the following text for release at its 14 August 2025 meeting.

Heritage Places Act 1993 Amendment Bill

Mr Blazeby noted that Robert Simms MLC introduced a Heritage Places Act Amendment Bill to Parliament. The Government has added its own amendments and it has now passed the Lower House. Mr Blazeby provided Council with details of the amendments that have been introduced.

It was noted that Section 39A not currently delegated by the Minister. Action: Ms Verschoor to speak to the Minister about delegation to Heritage SA in relation to Protection Orders.

Council agreed that enforcement has been inadequate in the past and a framework needs to be established to allow the enforcement to occur.

Council discussed the idea of a welcome pack for new owners of State Heritage Places.

Mr Blazeby discussed the amendments in relation to Designation. No “intent” to designate in the changes, but the amendments will allow for Council to remove the designation based on evidence presented in submissions during consultation.

Ms Verschoor thanked Mr Blazeby for his overview.

6 ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION / DECISION

6.1 Heritage Tourism Program

Ms Meg Barker, Department for Environment and Water, was welcomed to the meeting.

Ms Barker noted there is \$250,000 available this financial year to Improve *knowledge and capability* in tourism fundamentals by heritage sites and operators – so that:

- Operators in the heritage sector are better participants in the tourism sector.

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- Operators in the tourism sector with heritage offerings are better at activating these products and experiences.

Ms Barker indicated that \$150,000 had been allocated to small grants fund of amounts of up to \$15,000. Given the small amount available to each applicant, it will not fund hard infrastructure, but it will fund things like story telling and promotion. This will be appealing to the micro businesses.

Given the limited size of the grant fund, it was noted that big market operators would not benefit this round and this is something that DEW will advocate for to the Tourism Commission. Council also noted that funding ought to be available to start up businesses.

An online session was held about interpretation and online stories with 58 participants. It was noted that applicants must be listed with the Australian Tourism Data Warehouse.

Ms Barker noted that the Tourism Industry Council of SA (TICSA) is overrun with enquiries so the grant program will likely be significantly oversubscribed.

The importance of telling the story of our heritage places was discussed.

Ms Verschoor thanked Ms Barker for her presentation.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** the information provided and the presentation by Ms Meg Barker, Manager, Tourism and Visitor Experience, DEW.

6.2 For Review - Policy: Description or Notes for State Heritage Places

Council reviewed this policy and approved the changes suggested in the agenda paper. Council also asked that the words “architects and planners” be removed from the third dot point on page one.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the Policy: Description or Notes for State Heritage Places
- **Approved** the changes suggested in tracked changes and the minor amendment described above.
- **Noted** that the updated policy will be made available on the Council’s webpage.

6.3 For Review – Policy: Public Nominations for Entry in the Register

Council reviewed this policy and endorsed the changes recommended in the agenda paper.

Council also agreed that the nomination form will include a statement to indicate that personal details will be redacted before being made available to the public unless the nominator indicates they approve for their name to be released. The policy would be updated to reflect this.

Furthermore, Council agreed that an introductory sentence about listing objects in the Act would be added to the policy as a precursor to the paragraph explaining in what instances a nomination for an object will be accepted.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the Policy: Public Nominations for Entry in the South Australian Heritage Register.
- **Approved** the changes suggested in tracked changes and the additional two amendments described above.
- **Noted** that the updated policy will be made available on the Council's webpage.

6.4 For Review - Guideline: Summary of State Heritage Place

Council approved the revocation of this guideline, given the information within it is contained within the relevant policy.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the Guideline – Summary of State Heritage.
- **Approved** the revocation of the Guideline – Summary of State Heritage Place.

6.5 For Review - Guideline: Assessment Process

Council reviewed this guideline and endorsed the changes recommended in the agenda paper. Furthermore, Council recommended that the section 16 criteria from the *Heritage Places Act 1993* be included under the heading "Statements of Significance".

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the Guideline: Assessment Process
- **Approved** the minor changes suggested in tracked changes as well as the addition of section 16 criteria as described above.

6.6 External website

It was noted that the Board and Council Chairpersons supported by the department will receive a presentation from the Director of Communication on 27 March 2024. At this meeting, the Chairpersons will receive information about website matters.

Ms Verschoor spoke to the elevation of heritage within the Department structure and visibility through the website, noting that “heritage” is not part of the name of the department and it is quite difficult to navigate to the page through the Department’s website.

Noted that “Heritage News” is a good tool for getting information directly to key stakeholders, but would like to see the size of the mailing list grow. Ideally all State Heritage Place owners would get a copy of Heritage News.

Council agreed that it would investigate the need for a comprehensive communication strategy is important.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** that Council will revisit this matter following the presentation at the 27 March 2024 meeting of Board Chairpersons.

6.7 Project proposals for 2024/25

Ms Voigt, Heritage SA, noted that a paper had not been provided at this meeting and instead a paper to Council would be provided to the new membership of Council at its next meeting.

Action: Heritage SA to provide a paper to the 6 April 2024 meeting.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** that this will be progressed at the 6 April 2024 meeting.

6.8 For Review - Update to Guidelines for Assessing State Heritage Criteria

Dr Louise Bird gave the Council an update on the work of the Guidelines Working Group and drew the Council’s attention to a table of proposed changes to the Guidelines for Assessing State Heritage Criteria. The Council provided Dr Bird feedback on the proposed changes.

Dr Bird noted that the document, including the amendments and improvements, will now be sent to Visual Communications in the Department for Environment and Water for graphic design and layout.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Reviewed** *Guidelines for Interpreting State Heritage Criteria*
- **Decided** which changes outlined in the table are to be implemented.
- **Approved** the approach to finalising the publication of *Guidelines for Interpreting State Heritage Criteria* on the website, with the Chair approving final editing changes determined by the Council at this meeting and graphic design and layout out of session.

6.9 For Review - Procedure – Meetings and Prescribed Urgent Matters

Council reviewed this procedure and endorsed the changes recommended in the agenda paper. Council also agreed that the procedure would include justification why the Council does not accept any papers tabled on the day of the meeting, namely that the Council needs appropriate time to consider papers to deliberate on their content.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the Procedure – Meetings and Prescribed Urgent Matters
- **Approved** the minor changes highlighted in the document.
- **Noted** that the updated Procedure will be made available on the Council's webpage.

6.10 Bulk Grain Handling Facilities

Ms Jade Kanas, Heritage SA, was welcomed to the meeting. It was noted that bulk grain handling facilities and export terminals are associated with the industrialisation of South Australia's grain industry through the adoption of bulk handling following the passing of the *Bulk Handling of Grain Act 1955* (Bulk Handling Act).

Between 1956 and 1997, the South Australian Co-operative of Bulk Handling (SACBH) constructed an extensive network of approximately 111 upcountry storage sites, including seven port terminals, across agricultural areas of the state.

Currently, only one bulk grain handling facility is registered as a State Heritage Place, namely the Railway Station Complex and Silos, Railway Terrace, Balaklava.

Council endorsed the recommendation to add six bulk grain handling facility places to the assessment list.

Council requested that the assessments be presented at a similar time to allow for comparison. Dr Bird agreed that this would be a good approach.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Added** six places to the Assessment List (Active Assessment) for assessment and consideration for listing as State Heritage Places.

7 ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR PROVISIONAL ENTRY ON THE SA HERITAGE REGISTER

7.1 Shoreham (flats), 18A South Esplanade, Glenelg. On Kurna Country.

The Council were provided an assessment report relating to this place.

Mr Burns, Heritage SA, spoke to the assessment and noted that the place has had many unsympathetic changes resulting in a loss of integrity.

Council agreed with the recommendation and rejected the place for listing as it did not meet any of the criteria.

Action: Council agreed to write to the Local Council to suggest it for Local Heritage listing.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Rejected SHOREHAM (FLATS), 18A SOUTH ESPLANADE, GLENELG** (CT 5044/304 S3797 U1; CT 5044/305 S3797 U2; CT 5044/306 S3797 U3; CT 5044/307 S3797 U4; CT 5044/308 S3797 U5; CT 5044/309 S3797 U6; CT 5044/310 S3797 U7; CT 5044/311 S3797 U8; CT 5044/312 COMMON PROPERTY STRATA PLAN 3797 Hundred of Noarlunga), as it does not meet any of the s16 criteria in the *Heritage Places Act 1993*.

7.2 Torrens Island Quarantine Station Complex. On Kurna Country.

Ms Kanas, Heritage SA, noted that this place was registered as a State Heritage Place on 21 October 1993. On 15 February 2024, the Council approved the reassessment of this complex to ensure that all elements of significance for the place are included in the State Heritage listing.

Ms Kanas noted additional elements had been added to the original listing in the draft Summary of State Heritage Place provided to Council members.

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Council discussed and agreed with the recommendation to provisionally enter this place under criteria a), b) and d).

It was noted that several objects related to the place remain on site. They include street signs, specimen boxes, bed linens and grave markers. Council agreed that an assessment of the objects located at the Station should be prepared.

Council also considered whether criterion c) may be met relating to archaeological potential. Council discussed and agreed that it was very unlikely to be met given that the site had been thoroughly recorded through each phase of the building cycle.

Council agreed that the description under criterion d) could be strengthened by adding a paragraph about why the site was originally chosen.

Council also briefly considered whether criterion e) might be met and agreed it was not.

Subject to additional information being added to criterion d) – the Council approved the Summary of State Heritage Place.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **PROVISIONALLY ENTERS** the Torrens Island Quarantine Station Complex, 114 Trunkway, Torrens Island (CT 6211/942 D90964 A300, CT 6211/943 D90964 A301, CT 6212/771 D90964 Q302, CT 6212/771 D90964 Q306) in the South Australian Heritage Register as a State Heritage Place, as it is deemed to fulfil criteria (a), (b) and (d) for State Heritage listing under section 16(1) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*:
 - (a) it demonstrates important aspects of the evolution or pattern of the State's history,
 - (b) it has rare, uncommon or endangered qualities that are of cultural significance,
 - (d) it is an outstanding representative of a particular class of place of cultural significance.
- **APPROVED** the Summary of State Heritage Place for Torrens Island Quarantine Station Complex, Grand Trunkway, Torrens Island SA 5015.
- **APPROVED** the addition of the collection of Objects located at Torrens Island Quarantine Station to the assessment list for assessment as objects considered to be intrinsically related to the heritage significance of the Torrens Island Quarantine Station.

7.3 Rogart (flats), 4-6 Malcolm Street, Millswood. On Karna Country.

Mr Burns, Heritage SA, gave an overview of the assessment of Rogart (flats) and indicated it had been recommended under criteria a), b) and e).

It was noted that on page 6 of the Report that it says “original elements” twice (a double up). Action: Heritage SA to correct this.

Council approved the provisional entry under criteria a), b) and e) and approved the Summary of State Heritage Place subject to the minor amendment described above.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Provisionally entered** Rogart (Flats), 4-6 Malcolm Street, Millswood (CT 6003/893 U1; CT 6003/894 U2; CT 5005/480 U3; CT 5005/481 U4; CT 5005/482 U5; CT 5005/483 U6; CT 6003/895 COMMON PROPERTY SP 8068 Hundred of Adelaide) in the South Australian Heritage Register as a State Heritage Place, as it is deemed to fulfil criteria (a), (b) and (e) for State heritage listing under section 16(1) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*:
 - (a) it demonstrates important aspects of the evolution or pattern of the State’s history
 - (b) it has rare, uncommon or endangered qualities that are of cultural significance
 - (e) it demonstrates a high degree of creative, aesthetic or technical accomplishment or is an outstanding representative of particular construction techniques or design characteristics
- **Approved** the Summary of State Heritage Place for Rogart (Flats), 4-6 Malcolm Street, Millswood.

7.4 Kelvin Building, 233-236 North Terrace, Adelaide. On Kaurna Country.

It was noted that Mr Simon Weidenhofer departed the room due to a conflict of interest in this matter.

Mr Tom Mackay, Heritage SA, was welcomed to the meeting. Mr Mackay provided an overview of the assessment and indicated that it was recommended for provisional entry under criteria a), b) and e).

It was noted that in 1989, Apperley, Irvin and Reynolds included the Kelvin Building and Shell House as exemplars of the Inter-War Commercial Palazzo style. Ms McDougall noted that the authors, who were based in the eastern states, had consulted with Mr Paul Stark from South Australia in selecting these two examples.

Council agreed with the assessment report and provisionally entered the place under criteria a), b) and e).

Council approved the Summary of State Heritage Place.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Provisionally entered the KELVIN BUILDING, 233-236 North Terrace, Adelaide** (CT 5129/427 F102327; Hundred of Adelaide) in the South Australian Heritage Register as a State Heritage Place, as it is deemed to fulfil criteria (a), (b) and (e) for State heritage listing under section 16(1) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*:
 - a) it demonstrates important aspects of the evolution or pattern of the State's history
 - b) it has rare, uncommon or endangered qualities that are of cultural significance
 - e) it demonstrates a high degree of creative, aesthetic or technical accomplishment or is an outstanding representative of particular construction techniques or design characteristics.
- **Approved** the Summary of State Heritage Place for Kelvin Building, 233-236 North Terrace, Adelaide.

8 ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED FOR CONFIRMATION ON THE SA HERITAGE REGISTER

8.1 St John Vianney's Catholic Church, 544 Glynburn Road, Burnside. On Karna Country.

It was noted that Mrs Deborah Lindsay and Mr Marcus Rolfe departed the room for this item given they had both declared a conflict of interest in this matter.

Mr Burns, Heritage SA, provided an overview of the recommendations to Council.

It was noted that this place was provisionally entered as a State Heritage Place on 15 June 2023 under criterion e) of section 16 of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*. There was one submission received during the three-month public consultation period.

It was noted that Heritage SA had responded to each of the objections raised by the submission in the agenda paper presented to Council.

Ms Verschoor welcomed Mr Jason Schulz, DASH Architects, Ms Julie Lewis, URPS, Mr Trevor McAuliffe, and later, Ms Kyla Daly representing the owner. Mr Schulz provided an oral representation reaffirming their written submission that the place fails to meet the criteria for listing under section 16 of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*.

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Mr Burns noted that the place demonstrates a high degree of creative and technical accomplishment, notably in the use of welded-steel portal frames and therefore recommended it ought to be confirmed under criterion e).

Council considered the matters raised by Mr Schulz and Mr Burns respectively.

Council agreed that it met criterion e) in relation to outstanding construction technique and confirmed the entry of the place in the Register.

Ms Verschoor thanked the guests for their time.

RESOLUTIONS:

That the South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the submission received in relation to the entry of St John Vianney's Catholic Church in the South Australian Heritage Register;
- **Confirmed** the entry of St John Vianney's Catholic Church (CT 6276/148 D130353 A5441 Hundred of Burnside) in the South Australian Heritage Register as a State Heritage Place, pursuant to sections 18(4) & 18(5) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993* as it satisfies criterion (e) under section 16(1) of the Act:
 - (e) it demonstrates a high degree of creative, aesthetic or technical accomplishment or is an outstanding representative of particular construction techniques or design characteristics
- **Approved** the Summary of State Heritage Place.

8.2 Jenkins Street Slips Precinct, New Port. On Karna Country.

Mr Burns provide an overview of this matter and noted that this place was provisionally entered as a State Heritage Place on 17 August 2023.

It was noted one submission was received during the three month consultation period.

Council considered the submission and agreed to confirm the entry in the Register under criterion c). Council approved the Summary of State Heritage Place.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Considered** the submission received in relation to the entry of the Jenkins Street Slips Precinct in the South Australian Heritage Register;
- **Confirmed** the entry of the Jenkins Street Slips Precinct, Karna Country, Jenkins Street, New Port (CT 5874/511 A7 D54259 Hundred of Port Adelaide) in the South Australian Heritage Register as a State Heritage Place, pursuant to sections 18(4)

& 18(5) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993* as it satisfies criterion (c) under section 16(1) of the Act:

(c) it may yield information that will contribute to an understanding of the State's history, including its natural history

- **Approved** the Summary of State Heritage Place.

9 ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR DESIGNATION IN THE SA HERITAGE REGISTER

9.1 Lake Palankarinna Fossil Reserve. State Heritage ID. 14292.

It was noted that Mr Marcus Rolfe and Mrs Deborah Lindsay returned to the meeting at this point.

Ms Megan Thomas, Heritage SA, was welcomed to the meeting. Ms Thomas noted that on 19 October 2023, the Council approved the intent to designate Lake Palankarinna Fossil Reserve in the South Australian Heritage Register as a place of palaeontological and geological significance under section 14(7)(a) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993* providing special protections pursuant to Part 5 of the Act.

The Council noted there were no submissions received during the consultation period and determined to Confirm the designation of Lake Palankarinna Fossil Reserve.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Confirmed** the designation of Lake Palankarinna Fossil Reserve 14392, Approximately 90 km north of Marree, Marree 5733, CR5758/134 H832300 S362, Outside of Hundreds in the South Australian Heritage Register as a place of palaeontological and geological significance pursuant to section 14(7)(a) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*.
- **Approved** the Summary of State Heritage Place – Designation for Lake Palankarinna Fossil Reserve 14392, Approximately 90 km north of Marree, Marree 5733, CR5758/134 H832300 S362, Outside of Hundreds.

10 BETTER HERITAGE INFORMATION

Dr Tom Mackay noted that Heritage South Australia has prepared additional information for four State Heritage Places at this meeting and these reports had been provided to Council members with their agenda package.

Council considered these reports under Section 14 of the *Heritage Places Act 1993*: The Council may include other information in the Register, or hold other information in association with the Register, as the Council thinks fit.

- St Patrick’s Church, 268 Grote Street, Adelaide. On Kurna Country.
- Criterion Hotel, 28 Smillie Street, Robe. On Bunganditj Country.
- Shop and Dwellings, 26 Smillie Street, Robe. On Bunganditj Country.
- Shop and Dwelling, 14 Albyn Terrace, Strathalbyn. On Ngarrindjeri Country & Peramangk Country.

The Council approved all four reports without amendment and approved the suggested changes to the Registered name.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Approved** BHI SSHP Church – St Patrick’s, 268 Grote Street, SA 5000 (CT 5604/216 F181133 A291, Hundred of Adelaide)
- **Approved** change of Registered name to ‘St Patrick’s Catholic Church’
- **Approved** BHI SSHP Criterion Hotel - Former, 28 Smillie Street Robe SA 5276 (CT 5789/979 D31159 A 10, Hundred of Waterhouse)
- **Approved** change of Registered name to ‘Former Criterion Hotel’
- **Approves** BHI SSHP Shop and Dwellings, 26 Smillie Street, Robe SA 5276 (CT 5453/863 T441801 A33, Hundred of Waterhouse)
- **Approves** change of Registered name to Campbell’s Store and Cottages’
- **Approves** BHI SSHP Shop and Dwelling, 14 Albyn Terrace, Strathalbyn SA 5255 (CT 5961/686 F126928 A6, Hundred of Strathalbyn)
- **Approves** change of Registered name to ‘Butcher’s Shop’

11 ITEMS FOR NOTING

11.1 Status of Assessments

Noted.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** the status of assessments.

11.2 Chairperson's Report

Ms Verschoor thanked retiring members Ms Kate McDougall, Mr Gavin Leydon and Mr Marcus Rolfe on behalf of all of Council. Ms Verschoor indicated that she had valued their input and that they will be missed.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** the Chairperson's Report.

11.3 Correspondence

Noted.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** the correspondence.

11.4 Delegations Report

Noted.

RESOLUTION:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Noted** the delegations report.

12 Any Other Business

Names of State Heritage Places

Ms Voigt noted that the name of a State Heritage Place – "Suicide Bridge and Telegraph Line - formerly Lunatic Bridge" located on the Old Coach Road to Wentworth near Border Cliffs, had been raised as inappropriate and offensive and requested that it be changed.

Action: Council agreed that it would consider renaming this place when it is presented with the Better Heritage Information report in relation to this place and agreed that a policy would be developed for its consideration.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

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- **Requested** that Heritage SA consider renaming Suicide Bridge when it prepares the Better Heritage Information report.
- **Requested** that a policy be developed around naming conventions.

Disaster Ready Fund Correspondence

Mr Blazeby noted that the Council had received a request to provide in principle support for the development of a framework for the inclusion of cultural heritage considerations into emergency management policy. Council endorsed this request.

Action: Heritage SA to provide the Chair with a draft letter for approval.

Ms Voigt noted that this fits well with emergency preparedness at HCOANZ level.

RESOLUTIONS:

The South Australian Heritage Council:

- **Agreed** to provide a letter of in principal support.
- **Noted** that the Chair would be provided a draft letter for consideration and signature.

CLOSE OF MEETING

Ms Verschoor closed the meeting at 1:30pm



Ms Sandy Verschoor

Date: 6 April 2024

Chair