

# Application for participation in the Hills and Fleurieu greenhouse gas emissions benchmarking project.

# **Project Summary**

This project aims to help farmers calculate greenhouse gas emissions profiles (carbon accounting) for their farms. It is likely that soon greenhouse gas emissions data will be required for market, financial and insurance access.

The Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board will pay an agricultural greenhouse gas emissions contractor to conduct a greenhouse gas emissions audit for the participant's farms. This will give farmers a "kick start" on this process and the landholder will have full access and use of the emissions audit report and data.

The emission profiles of participating farms will be used to gain insight into and benchmarks for the agricultural greenhouse gas emissions profiles of farms within the Hills and Fleurieu region and will inform the development of strategies to work towards reducing farm emissions within the region.

# **Purpose of this agreement**

The purpose of this agreement is to ensure participants are clear about what participating in the project entails especially regarding the use of the farms emissions data by the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board.

# **Conditions of participation**

To achieve the project outcomes, the landholder acknowledges and agrees:

- to supply the contractor engaged by the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board to undertake
  project with true and accurate data as requested for the purpose of completing the carbon
  audit and permit the contractor engaged by the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board to use
  that data to compile an emissions profile report;
- 2. that the contractor engaged by the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board to undertake project can provide to the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board a copy of the emissions profile report;
- 3. that the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board can securely store the emissions profile report and the data in the emissions profile report in perpetuity; and
- 4. that the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board can use the emissions profile report, the carbon emissions data, once de-identified, for the purposes of regional baselining, data analysis, planning and extension purposes in accordance with the South Australian Information Privacy Principles.

#### **OFFICIAL**

### For the purpose of this document:

"De-identified" data means names, addresses and any other characteristic that could easily identify the farm are removed in all publicly available information.

"Carbon audit" means the calculation of the net carbon dioxide equivalent emissions related to the agricultural production on the property and the emissions intensity of each produce type.

"Information Privacy Principles" exist to keep personal information safe from inappropriate collection, use or disclosure by State Government agencies. A short guide to the principles can be found at <a href="mailto:short-guide-information-privacy-principles\_0.pdf">short-guide-information-privacy-principles\_0.pdf</a>.

# Application and acceptance of project conditions.

By participating in this project, you accept the conditions of participation and if chosen as a participant give permission to pass on the below contact details to the contractor for them to contact you regarding the project. If you are not selected as a participant, you will be informed via email or phone.

I agree the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board and the contractor engaged by the Hills and Fleurieu Landscape Board may use, access, reproduce, display, publish, perform, distribute, adapt, modify, disclose and create derivative works of the Participant Material by combining the Participant Material with data from other sources and create anonymised, aggregated data for the purposes of providing goods and services, on the conditions of their Privacy and Cookies statement as amended from time to time.

Property details				
Physical address	Т	otal hectares		
Agricultural enterprises		lectares actively armed		

Landholder details					
Landholder name					
Signature		Date			
Contact Person		Mobile			
Email					
Landholder postal address					

Please complete the form and email it back to john.butler@sa.gov.au

