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Member for Waite



19 June 2015

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*Michael*

Dear Mr Salkeld

I am pleased to offer my support to the Brownhill Creek Association in their endeavours to protect and enhance the natural heritage of Brownhill Creek through the recommended Option D of the Brown Hill Keswick Creek Stormwater Management Plan – Part B Report.

I have followed the course of this issue for the past 9 years and I am aware of the enormous community concern and environmental implications of the dam proposal. I congratulate the Brownhill Creek Association for the time and effort they have put into raising awareness about this issue, culminating in approximately 11,600 signatures to a petition of South Australians in opposition to the proposal for a dam at Brownhill Creek.

I believe that Option D will enable the waterway to be cost-effectively rehabilitated with appropriate consideration of native habitat, diversity, heritage-significant sites, the community, and residential properties bordering Brownhill Creek.

In public meetings, meetings with constituents and the Mitcham Council, as well as information provided by my office, I am strongly in support of Option D and look forward to hearing the outcomes of the public consultation when they are released.

Yours sincerely

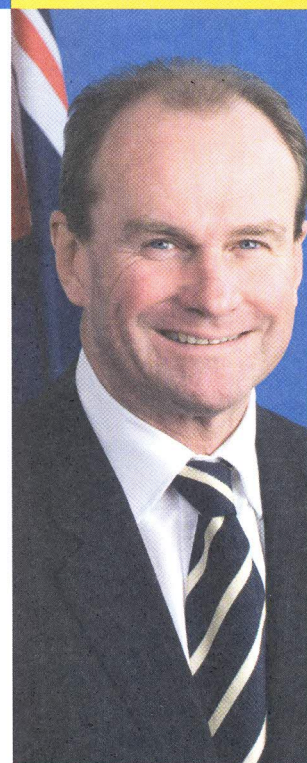
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