

Mallee Floodplain Management Strategy

Have your say on local flood risks

A Floodplain Management Strategy is being developed for the Mallee to provide a single, regional planning document and a 'rolling' three year works program to guide future investment priorities.

The first step to inform this process is for the community and stakeholder groups to provide advice on: local flood risks; important infrastructure that may be impacted by floods and mitigation options.

We are seeking your input on the following areas to help us identify both regional and local priorities for flood management:

1. Local flood behaviour (flooding caused by both riverine and/or stormwater) including flood risk areas and hot spots.
2. Important infrastructure that may be impacted by flooding, including:
 - Utilities (e.g. water, electricity, communication);
 - Transport (e.g. roads, railways);
 - Food supply (e.g. irrigation infrastructure, storage facilities);
 - Recreation (e.g. sports facilities, tourist attractions);
 - Social and cultural sites (Indigenous and non-Indigenous);
 - Other assets valued by the community (e.g. private residences, businesses, agricultural land).
3. Flood mitigation works that could reduce risks and/or impacts.



Above: Flooding at Red Cliffs Golf Club on Dow Avenue and McPhee Road, 2011. Photo: Mallee CMA.

What's next?

The information you provide will be used by the Mallee Floodplain Management Strategy Steering Committee to discuss and prioritise flood mitigation options.

The possible mitigation options will be outlined in a three year work plan, which will be released for public comment as part of community consultation on the Draft Mallee Floodplain Management Strategy in 2017.

For more information

For more information on the Mallee Floodplain Management Strategy contact the Mallee CMA via info@malleecma.com.au, or phone (03) 5051 4377.

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