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Port Germein Jetty

The District Council of Mount Remarkable has engaged a suitable company to undertake a comprehensive inspection of the Port Germein Jetty which will provide Council with a detailed and comprehensive understanding of the current condition of the jetty.

“Council identified last year that further structural works are required to be undertaken on the Port Germein Jetty. To better understand the details, and be able to have meaningful discussions with the jetty owner (the State Government), Council requires a comprehensive inspection report including detailed designs for any proposed remedial works” said District Council of Mount Remarkable Chief Executive Officer, Sam Johnson.

The Port Germein Jetty is an iconic jetty, being one of the largest in the Southern Hemisphere, and being heritage listed. The jetty is an integral asset to the community of Port Germein, the broader Council region, and the State as a whole.

“Council recognises the importance of this asset, and whilst Council is aware that the jetty is leased by Council from the State Government whom own the jetty, we are committed to working with all parties to ensure we enhance on what we have, and not degrade what we have” said Sam Johnson.

Council has already raised these concerns with the State Government, and is still awaiting a response. Council will be continuing meaningful and proactive discussions with all relevant stakeholders.

“Assets like jetties are integral to our region’s history, our way of life, and in respect to Port Germein, the jetty is part of the identity of the town and community” said Sam Johnson.

Upon completion of the inspection, information will be presented to Council and appropriate parties including the State Government.

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