

# OUR PLAN FOR OUR PLACE



# THIS YEAR'S BUDGET

For every \$1,000 of municipal funds spent we will allocate approximately:

Volunteers, Youth, Community Centres and Services, Sports Development and Arts Development

\$74.95

Libraries

\$34.70

Community Buildings and Public Facilities

\$18.58

Sporting and Recreational Facilities

\$23.20

Corporate Operations, Administration and Finance

\$213.33

Roads, Footpaths and Traffic Management

\$241.71

Strategic Planning and Development services

\$13.61



Environmental initiatives, natural reserves and beaches

\$52.48

Waste Management

\$83.46



Public Realm, Street Trees, Reserves, Open Space and Playgrounds

\$92.60



Economic Development, Events, Tourism and Marketing

\$108.65



Stormwater Management

\$21.88



# **OUR PLAN FOR 2021-22**

On behalf of the City of Holdfast Bay, I am pleased to present this summary of the 2021–22 Annual Business Plan. Built on our city's strategic plan, Our Place 2030, and input from our community, the Annual Business Plan outlines a budget and a program of new and continuing projects and services for the coming financial year.

Council is committed to keeping rates as low as possible while maintaining high-quality services and delivering new projects and initiatives that make our city a vibrant and healthy place to live. This year, we have declared a rate rise of 2.4% to fund the implementation of several critical projects identified in our 2020–2025 Environment Strategy.

### **RATES**

Council has budgeted to raise \$37.7 million in revenue from general rates (excluding the Landscape Levy but including separate rates). This represents an increase of 2.4 per cent on last year, which equates to an increase of \$48 for the average (median) residential household.

We have also budgeted for additional income of \$8.7 million from a range of non-rate revenue sources, including but not limited to revenue from our commercial operations, grants and subsidies. These income sources are explained in further detail on page 4.

### Assistance with your rates

Your rates are based on the value of your property, as assessed and set annually by the State Valuation Office.

Recently, the Valuer-General of South Australia undertook a state-wide revaluation initiative that increased the valuation of many residential and commercial properties. The updated valuations will be applied to 2021–22 rate calculations. If you are dissatisfied with the valuation of your property, you can object to the State Valuation Office.

If you are a residential ratepayer, you can apply to have your rate increase capped at 6 per cent. This option aims to limit the impact of large property valuation increases and is subject to the criteria set out in the application form.

In addition to the residential rate cap, and in response to the revaluation initiative Council has introduced a one-off discretionary rebate to commercial and industrial properties where an increase in their annual rate bill is in excess of 6 per cent.

1. Alwyndor is a self-funding operation of the City of Holdfast Bay.

You can pay your rates in full as a single payment or in quarterly instalments. Support may be available if you have difficulty paying your rates.

For more information on rate structures, payment options and rebates plus eligibility criteria and application forms for rate capping, please visit holdfast.sa.gov. au/rates or contact us on (08) 8229 9999.

# FUNDING OUR PLANS FOR 2021-22

We have budgeted for:

- A consolidated operating deficit of \$185,730 (Alwyndor deficit of \$293,192 and municipal operations surplus of \$107,462)<sup>1</sup>
- A consolidated operating income of \$71.83 million to cover our operating expenditure of \$72.02 million.
- A 2.4 per cent increase in rate revenue (excluding separate rates and the Landscape Levy\*).
- \* The Landscape South Australia Act 2019 requires councils to collect the Landscape Levy (formerly called the NRM Levy) on behalf of the state government.

In 2021–22, we will invest 62.6 million in municipal operations to provide services, implement programs and build or maintain essential assets, including:

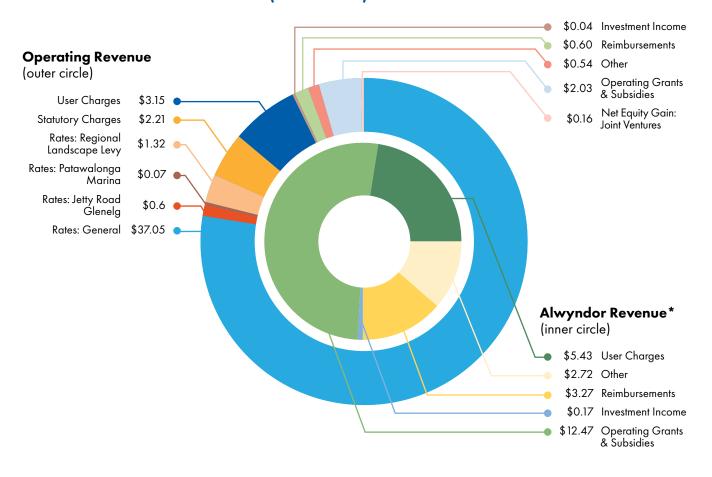
- > \$47.2 million to provide services to our community
- > \$8.5 million to upgrade and maintain community assets
- \$6.9 million for new capital infrastructure and service improvements.

A detailed breakdown of expenditure is provided in the graph on page 4.

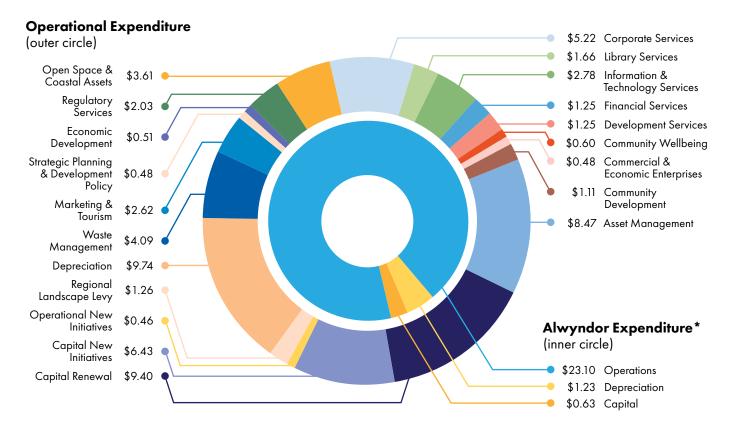


**Amanda Wilson** Mayor City of Holdfast Bay

## WHERE FUNDS COME FROM (MILLIONS)



# **HOW FUNDS ARE ALLOCATED (MILLIONS)**



<sup>\*</sup>Alwyndor is a self funding business unit of the City of Holdfast Bay.



# **OUR VISION**

Balancing our progress with our heritage, we lead in coastal management to deliver high-quality public spaces and services to build a welcoming, safe and active community where resident, visitor and business prosperity meet.

Our Place: 2030 Strategic Plan

To achieve this vision we have identified five focus areas, each of which are supported by key objectives:



### COMMUNITY

A healthy, creative, connected community

- > Building a healthy, active and resilient community
- > Celebrating culture and diversity
- > Providing welcoming, accessible facilities
- > Fostering an engaged, contributing community



### **ENVIRONMENT**

A community connected to our natural environment

- > Protecting biodiversity
- > Building an environmentally resilient city
- > Using resources efficiently
- > Fostering an environmentally connected community



### **ECONOMY**

A diverse and resilient local economy

- > Supporting and growing local business
- > Making it easier to do business
- > Harnessing emerging technology
- > Boosting our visitor economy



### **PLACEMAKING**

An accessible, vibrant and safe coastal city that celebrates our past to build for our future

- > Creating vibrant and safe places
- > Developing walkable, connected neighbourhoods
- > Building character and celebrating history
- › Housing a diverse population



### **CULTURE**

An effective, customer-centred organisation

- > Providing customer-centred services
- > Being financially accountable
- > Enabling high performance
- > Supporting excellent, efficient operations

At the time of publishing, council is undertaking a review of its strategic plan.

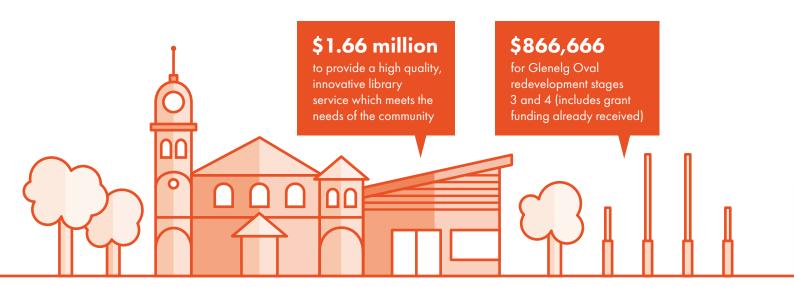
# WHAT WE WILL DO IN 2021-22



# COMMUNITY

A healthy, creative, connected community.

In 2021–22 our projects and programs comprise:



\$64,500

for reserve improvements program for northeast Brighton

# Ongoing Projects and Programs

- > \$1.13 million for community development programs, services and events
- \$605,000 for the continued delivery of community wellbeing programs
- \$ 1.66 million to provide a high quality, innovative library service which meets the needs of the community
- \$2.03 million for the provision of regulatory services to keep our community safe with an emphasis on equity, fairness and compliance
- \$1.39 million to renew and upgrade our open spaces and playgrounds
- \$866,000 to continue to maintain our community buildings
- > \$85,340 on our library collection and facilities
- > \$100,000 to maintain our carparks

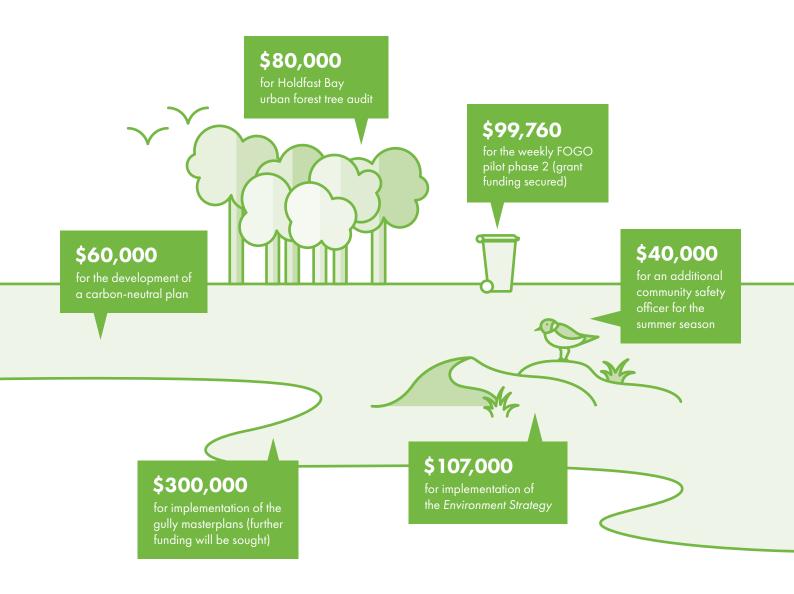
- Glenelg Oval redevelopment stages 3 and 4 (includes grant funding already received) – \$866,666
- Reserve improvements program for northeast Brighton – \$64,500



# **ENVIRONMENT**

A community connected to our natural environment.

In 2021–22 our projects and programs comprise:



# Ongoing Projects and Programs

- \$3.61 million to care for our environment and manage our open spaces, natural areas, beaches and coastal zones
- \$4.09 million to manage waste (including collecting, processing and disposing of waste)
- \$ 100,000 to improve stormwater drainage (in additional to major works listed under new projects)
- > \$576,000 to undertake maintenance works along our coast

- Implementation of projects identified in the 2020–2025 Environment Strategy including:
  - » Stormwater management \$1 million
  - » Implementation of the gully masterplans \$300,000 (further funding will be sought)
  - » Holdfast Bay urban forest tree audit \$80,000
  - » Development of a carbon-neutral plan \$60,000
  - » Weekly FOGO (food organics garden organics) pilot phase 2 (grant funding secured) – \$99,760
  - » Funding for implementation of the Environment Strategy – \$107,000
- > Funding for an additional community safety officer for the summer season \$40,000



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# Ongoing Projects and Programs

- > \$507,000 for continued implementation of our Economic Activation Plan — to build local business capacity, attract investment, support innovation, digital evolution, and regional collaboration
- > \$2.61 million for tourism marketing to attract visitors and boost trade for local businesses
- > \$484,000 to deliver commercial activities to ensure the best possible return on the community's investment

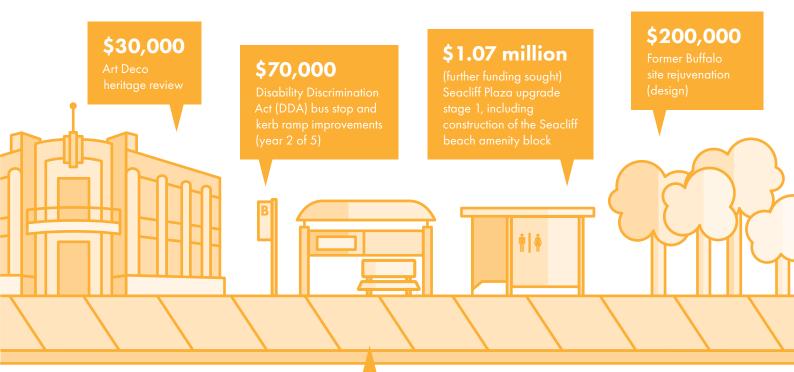
- > Jetty Road Brighton Masterplan implementation \$160,000
- > Brighton Beachfront Holiday Park redevelopment Stage 2 - \$1.2 million
- > Kingston Park Kiosk \$500,000



# **PLACEMAKING**

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# \$3.3 million

on maintaining roads kerbs and footpaths

# Ongoing Projects and Programs

- > \$9.39 million to manage and maintain our city's assets
- \$1.25 million for the provision of development assessment, development advice and building compliance services
- > \$484,000 on strategic planning and policy
- > \$3.3 million on maintaining roads, kerbs and footpaths
- > \$65,750 on CCTV and lighting

- Former Buffalo site rejuvenation detailed design (grant funding confirmed) – \$200,000
- > Artwork for Jimmy Melrose Park \$30,000
- Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) bus stop and kerb ramp improvements (year 2 of 5) – \$70,000
- Seacliff Plaza upgrade stage 1, including construction of the Seacliff beach amenity block – \$1.07 million (further funding sought)
- Power line undergrounding and aerial bundled cable investigations – \$30,000
- > Jetty Road stage 2 detailed design \$400,000
- > Beach access signage (year 2 of 3) \$50,000
- > Traffic safety improvements (year 1 of 3) \$50,000
- > Integrated Transport Strategy priorities \$90,000
- > Art Deco heritage review \$30,000
- > Sturt Creek Linear Park design (year 1 of 2) \$50,000



# **CULTURE**

An effective customer-centred organisation.

In 2021–22 our projects and programs comprise:



# Ongoing Projects and Programs

- > \$6.9 million to provide transparent corporate services that support our elected members, provide high-quality governance, manage our finances to ensure long-term sustainability and provide the best possible value for money to our ratepayers
- \$2.9 million to deliver contemporary information and technology services
- \$2 million to replace plant and equipment, including IT equipment

# New Projects

 Implementation of the City of Holdfast Bay enterprise technology roadmap – \$500,000 **MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS** IN 2020-21

Tiati Wangkanthi Kumangka Exhibition won

**2020 MUSEUM** AND GALLERIES **NATIONAL AWARDS (MAGNA)** 

outstanding achievement

Completed the

Completed the

WIGLEY RESERVE **PLAYSPACE &** FITNESS HUB upgrade

\$13.7M BRIGHTON

**OVAL COMPLEX** 

REDEVELOPMENT



Holdfast Bay Tennis Club

Completed Stage 1 of the

Undertook works on

5.2 km of roads,

4.9 km of kerb

and water table and

1.8 km of footpath





3,412 **RESIDENTS** 

Supported

# 130 LOCAL

business advisors



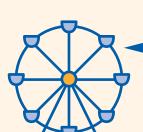
Developed and commenced implementation of our

**ENVIRONMENT STRATEGY** 

Attracted

380,000 **EVENT VISITORS** 

spending \$38.4 million





**13,431 LIBRARY MEMBERS** 

to borrow

363,000 **ITEMS** 





Commenced construction of Chapel Street plaza and the Hindmarsh Lane upgrade adjacent to

**JETTY ROAD GLENELG** 

> For a full list of achievements, please visit holdfast.sa.gov.au/achievements.

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Keep up to date on the progress of projects at **yourholdfast.com** 

# READ MORE ABOUT OUR PLANS

This document serves as a summary. For more information on our 2021 – 22 budget, services and projects you can access a full copy of the 2021 – 22 Annual Business Plan:

- > online at holdfast.sa.gov.au/publications
- > at the Brighton Civic Centre, 24 Jetty Road, Brighton
- > at the Brighton Library, 20 Jetty Road, Brighton
- > at the Glenelg Library, 2 Colley Terrace, Glenelg.

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