



# FLINDERS COUNCIL

2nd Quarterly Report (October - December 2017)

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**1. Population Growth**

## 1.1 Increase the supply of affordable housing.

1.1.1 Land use planning policy that provides an enabling environment for housing and investments.		
1.1.1.1 Draft an affordable housing discussion paper		
This is an inactive project		
1st Quarter		
Date: 15th September 2017 Schedule: Ongoing Status: In jeopardy	Work Completed	Issues/Risks
	N/A	Council is not in a position to assist with affordable housing other than by making affordable land and dwelling opportunities available through the planning scheme.
Project Manager	Work to Complete	Response
Robyn Cox	N/A	This strategy will be translated to the planning scheme through diversifying some rural land and making rural residential land available at a range of sizes and localities.

1.1.2 A strategy and action plan that identifies affordable housing options.		
1.1.2.1 In partnership with key stakeholders, investigate the barriers and enablers for affordable housing and develop options.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Council is supporting Flinders Island Tourism and Business Inc. in the development of an initial investigation to determine what potential sources of housing exist that may be utilised as part of a strategy. This is required in part to demonstrate market failure and to justify potential intervention. Meetings with State Government representatives have also been undertaken.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Sophie Pitchford	This project through a Housing Needs Analysis.	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	In conjunction with FITBI prepared Project Brief for a Housing Needs analysis. Through Sarah Courtney MP sought and obtained State Government assistance with the State Government deciding to undertake a review through the Office of the Coordinator - General. They have engaged a consultant to undertake in the first instance an accommodation housing review and will follow up later with a separate tourism review.	Extent of accurate local information is provided in a timely fashion.
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Sophie Pitchford	Arrange local contacts and assistance for appointed consultant to undertake work.	N/A

**1.1.2 A strategy and action plan that identifies affordable housing options.**
**1.1.2.2 Identify incentives for building new housing and buying property to underwrite new developments.**
**1st Quarter**

<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> Going well	<b>Work Completed</b> In conjunction with FITBI prepared Project Brief for a Housing Needs analysis. Through Sarah Courtney MP sought and obtained State Government assistance with the State Government deciding to undertake a review through the Office of the Coordinator - General. They have engaged a consultant to undertake in the first instance an accommodation housing review and will follow up later with a separate tourism review	<b>Issues/Risks</b> Extent of accurate local information is provided in a timely fashion
<b>Project Manager</b> Bill Boehm	<b>Work to Complete</b> Arrange local contacts and assistance for appointed consultant to undertake work	<b>Response</b> Ensure that key stakeholders are engaged

**2nd Quarter**

<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> Going well	<b>Work Completed</b> In conjunction with FITBI prepared Project Brief for a Housing Needs analysis. Through Sarah Courtney MP sought and obtained State Government assistance with the State Government deciding to undertake a review through the Office of the Coordinator - General. They have engaged a consultant to undertake in the first instance an accommodation housing review and will follow up later with a separate tourism review. This Action part of this process.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> Extent of accurate local information is provided in a timely fashion.
<b>Project Manager</b> Bill Boehm	<b>Work to Complete</b> Arrange local contacts and assistance for appointed consultant to undertake work.	<b>Response</b> N/A

**1.1.2 A strategy and action plan that identifies affordable housing options.**
**1.1.2.3 Retain and maintain existing Council housing at an appropriate standard as part of a sustainable recruitment and retention strategy and invest proceeds from previous housing sales into future housing requirements.**
**1st Quarter**

<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Budget allocation provided.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Sophie Pitchford	Annual maintenance program.	N/A

**2nd Quarter**

<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Sophie Pitchford	N/A	N/A

**1. Population Growth**

1.2 Increase "the working age" population.

1.2.1 Services and activities for young people that also aim to attract and retain young families to the Islands.		
1.2.1.1 Deliver Flinders Council School Holiday Program in partnership with the Flinders Island Aboriginal Association Inc.(FIAAI)and the school for the young people on Flinders and Cape Barren Islands.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> The School Holiday Winter Program was delivered in July. The program consisted of AFL Football Clinics, Cavaliers Netball Clinics, Glow in the Dark Party and a Movie Screening. The attendance at the each session was: 1. Football Clinics - 54 participants over the two days 2. Netball Clinics - 30 participants over the two days 3. Movie Screening - 55 attended 4. Glow in the Dark Party - 52 participants	<b>Issues/Risks</b> Consultation with young people. Staff are finding it increasingly more difficult to meet with youth and provide opportunities for more student input into the program. The program is well supported by the 5-12 age cohort however significant disinterest in the program and reduction in attendance from the 12-25 years is evident.
<b>Project Manager</b> Stacey Wheatley	<b>Work to Complete</b> Planning and delivering the Spring and Summer Programs. Meetings with FIAAI and the Flinders Island District High School (FIDHS) staff have occurred during this quarter and next.	<b>Response</b> Develop Youth Advisory Group and link in with student leaders group from FIDHS.
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> The Spring School Holiday Program was delivered in October and included the following activities: Whirlwind Film Festival: in partnership with Scotch Oakburn College - 37 attended Show Time Art Activity: Art activities provided to support show entries - 22 attended MC Philly: MC and Hip Hop Artist workshops in partnership with FIAAI - 26 attended Rollerblading: Two rollerblading sessions held at Emita Hall - 32 attended  December 2017 Performing artist workshops were delivered at the School during the 4th and 9th of December. The artists worked with the students to create giant puppets and create a story which will be performed at the Furneaux Islands Festival. This project was funded by Council and FIAAI with sponsorship from Momentum Energy, School, Furneaux Community Arts, Interstate Hotel, Sharp and Flinders Island Aviation. International artist Stefan Hisler, Tasmanian artist Felicity Horsley	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A

	<p>and local playwright Nathan Maynard formed the collaboration. They will return 5th to the 22nd of January.</p> <p>Planning for Surf School, Festival and Summer School Holiday is completed and due for delivery in January.</p> <p>The Community Development team are currently training a new staff member, Daniel Pitcher, in the role of Youth Development.</p>	
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Stacey Wheatley	<p>Planning and delivering Summer School Holiday Program including Box Pony workshops for an event at Emita Sports, surf school throughout January and performing artists workshops which will be incorporated into the Furneaux Islands Festival.</p> <p>Staff training for the Youth Development Officer will also occur in the next quarter.</p> <p>Planning for the Autumn School Holiday Program will commence in this quarter.</p>	N/A

### 1.2.1 Services and activities for young people that also aim to attract and retain young families to the Islands.

#### 1.2.1.2 Promote events, activities and programs through best means available including, but not limited to, Island News, pamphlets and flyers, social media and Council's Community Calendar.

#### 1st Quarter

<p><b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017  <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing  <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span></p>	<p><b>Work Completed</b></p> <p>2nd August, staff supported the Community Training Event by the Red Cross at the CWA Rooms by helping with promotion, putting up of flyers, as well as social media.</p> <p>11th August, staff provided support for the Flinders Flicks including waiving fees for sound technician AK and hall hire fees, printing program and voting sheets and transporting chairs from Flinders Island District High School to the hall in the truck.</p> <p>9th September, staff promoted the Gun Club Super Shoot with printing of a householder, Council Facebook, online promotion and facilitating outdoor tables to be taken to the event by the Works and Services Department.</p> <p>16th September, staff provided support for the annual football &amp; netball games including liaising with the Netball &amp; Football Associations, flyer production, waiving of Council fee for ground hire, donation of prizes including hampers of local produce, arranging seating and grounds/facility preparation with outdoor staff and printing and distribution of householder.</p>	<p><b>Issues/Risks</b></p> <p>N/A</p>
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>



Claire Nicholl	Van Diemen Project Team visit 27th-28th September.	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<p><b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017  <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing  <b>Status:</b> Going well</p>	<p><b>Work Completed</b></p> <p>Van Diemen Project is an Enterprise Centre belonging to State Growth whose role it is to support small business in Northern Tasmania - The Fert Isle Business Event was delivered by the Van Diemen project and was promoted by Community Development through social media and printed materials, as well as via our email mailing lists.</p> <p>Lady Barron Gym inductions have been promoted via email, Island News and facebook.</p> <p>St John Ambulance delivery of community First Aid courses on the Island were promoted, via facebook, email and the Island news.</p> <p>Surf Life saving Tasmania &amp; MAST, Bronze Medallion and Jetski Licencing courses were assisted with venue bookings as well as facebook and email promotions.</p> <p>Furneaux Islands Festival promotion including expressions of interest for chefs, market stall holders and chef mentees.</p>	<p><b>Issues/Risks</b></p> <p>N/A</p>
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	<p>Promotion and support for Emita Sports and Ten Days on the Island events.</p> <p>Staff will also be promoting Furneaux Islands Festivals, Summer School Holiday Program and Autumn School Holiday Program.</p>	N/A

1.2.2 An islands specific population growth strategy.		
1.2.2.1 Develop population growth strategy.		
1st Quarter		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Bill Boehm	Developing a population growth strategy involves understanding all of the social, cultural and economic drivers that affect the Community. This can involve significant engagement and research but essentially is an industry or sector-led series of actions. Population growth per say may be the eventual outcome. Council plays largely a supportive role with knowledge at a sector level essential so that Council can then react with supportive policies and actions. Collection of meaningful data is also important. This approach is essentially an evolutionary one and becomes the strategy.	N/A
2nd Quarter		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Work as per first quarter.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Bill Boehm	N/A	N/A

1.2.3 Study the existing constraints to increasing the level of the locally based population.		
1.2.3.1 Liaise and work with Flinders Island Tourism and Business Inc. (FITBI) using strategic studies & reports.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Provided information on enterprise suitability mapping conducted by the Dept. of Primary Industries, Parks, Water and Environment (DPIPWE) in relation to the information provided and its limitations.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Robyn Cox	<b>Work to Complete</b> Will take direction from the Council representatives on the Flinders Island Tourism and Business Inc. (FITBI) committee(s).	<b>Response</b> N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Prepared a briefing for the Mayor to answer a question asked of Council regarding Land use Strategy and offered a discussion session with FITBI members. Provided extensive comment on two FITBI project briefs.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> The project is directed from an action in the FITBI Destination Action Plan. It is not clear what strategic studies and reports are intended to be liaised on.
<b>Project Manager</b> Robyn Cox	<b>Work to Complete</b> N/A	<b>Response</b> Work on ad hoc requests such as the question to Council.

1.2.4 A banking model that supports community aspirations.		
1.2.4.1 Aim to influence the lending practices of banks to align with those in Regional Australia.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Some direct lobbying through Northern Tasmania Development Corporation identified a potential anomaly.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Bill Boehm	N/A	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Bill Boehm	N/A	N/A

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## 1.3 Value-add to local commodities.

1.3.1 Opportunities for value-adding of local commodities are identified and promoted.		
1.3.1.1 Provide opportunities for the identification of value-adding to local commodities through Fert-Isle Flinders Forum.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> The project overview and planning for this event were completed.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
	<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Team members from the Van Diemen Project, led by Chris Davies, have picked up this project and wish to partner with Council to deliver it. We are aiming for delivery of the Forum on the 27th/28th November as per project overview.
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> The partnership with the Van Diemen Project to deliver the Fert-Isle Flinders forum was not fruitful. It became apparent that the goal of delivering discussion and canvassing opportunities to value-add to local commodities was not a shared one.  In spite of this, the tour of Island businesses did however provide participating businesses with the opportunity to promote their products. Participating businesses included, Flinders Island Olive Oil, the Bush Pharmacy, and Flinders Island Condimental, as well as Palana Retreat, and Sandro's Silversmith and Gold Jewellery.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> The difficulty with collaborating with the Van Diemen Project was that they had their own objectives to meet in terms of number of events/clients serviced.  Community Development advice to the Van Diemen Project to postpone the event, as well as include content identified through community development survey & feedback from the first Fert Isle event was not heeded. Despite low local participation, positive outcomes arose by all attendees, with state and federal government representatives obtaining a good understanding of local business needs.
	<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Work towards providing opportunities to identify and promote value-adding to local commodities will be continuing on a different tack next quarter, under the possible banner of Fert Isle Futures.

1.3.2 Support the growth of local sustainable fishing and aquaculture enterprises.		
1.3.2.1 In conjunction with Flinders Island Tourism and Business Inc. (FITBI), consider opportunities as they arise to drive growth in fishing and aquaculture enterprises.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Bill Boehm	Actions will depend on progress of FITBI considerations.	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Bill Boehm	Actions will depend on progress of FITBI considerations.	N/A

1.3.3 Promote Flinders Island as a high quality food producing region with a clean, green image.		
1.3.3.1 Provide support for events and activities that promote Flinders Island produce.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Staff promoted Island produce through the purchase of prize baskets containing Furneaux Coffee, Brymworth Garlic, Hizzard's Condimental produce and Blue Rocks Soaps, as well as other items. These were awarded to players at the recent Flinders Island annual netball tournament with teams from King Island and Bridport.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> The November Fert Isle Forum will feature a business showcase bus tour of Island producers for Forum participants. A taste and sell trade show is planned for the Forum dinner.	<b>Response</b> N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 31st December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> The November 27th Fert Isle Business bus tour provided promotion for Flinders Island produce.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Visiting Chef program for the Furneaux Islands Festival will highlight local produce at the Market and Festival Finale. The Festival Market day will provide an opportunity for local producers to showcase their product. The Food and Crayfish Festival will also provide further opportunities.	<b>Response</b> N/A

1.3.3 Promote Flinders Island as a high quality food producing region with a clean, green image.		
1.3.3.2 Promote Flinders Island produce through the Furneaux Islands Festival.		
1st Quarter		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> 2nd July 2017 to 31st January 2018 <b>Progress:</b> 30% <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> An application for funding from the Australia Day Great Ideas Grants Program 2018 has been completed and submitted. Our idea for the grant funding is to bring professional chefs to the Island to contribute to two events at the Furneaux Festival. If the grant application is successful the chefs will be showcasing local produce as well as mentoring local youth interested in hospitality.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> The risk for this activity is that the funding application will not be successful.
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> If the grant application is successful, we will be engaging the chefs and sourcing local produce for them to use, as well as recruiting young people for mentoring.	<b>Response</b> N/A
2nd Quarter		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> 2nd July 2017 to 31st January 2018 <b>Progress:</b> 30% <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Collected registrations from market stall holders. Submitted a successful grant application to the Australia Day Great Ideas Program to bring professional chefs to showcase Island Produce at the Festival Market and Festival Finale BBQ.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Delivery of the Furneaux Islands Festival Market day and Festival Finale BBQ events which will showcase Island produce.	<b>Response</b> N/A



1.3.4 Productive and sustainable agricultural sector.		
1.3.4.1 Consider opportunities on request to assist the agricultural sector.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> No requests for assistance have been received from the agricultural sector.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> N/A	<b>Response</b> N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> No requests for assistance have been received this quarter.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> N/A	<b>Response</b> N/A

1.3.5 A strong Flinders Island Brand that underpins growth and development of local commodities.		
1.3.5.1 Assist to facilitate the delivery of the Flinders Marketing Strategy 2016 - 2020.		
1st Quarter		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> This project sits with Flinders Island Tourism and Business Inc. (FITBI). Council has paid FITBI \$44,000 for the 2017-2018 financial year for the implementation of the Branding and Marketing Strategy.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Following up with FITBI on the quarterly report for December 2017.	<b>Response</b> N/A
2nd Quarter		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> While Council contributes to funding this project, the responsibility for the delivery of the Flinders Marketing Strategy 2016-2020 sits with Flinders Island Tourism & Business Inc (FITBI). The FITBI Quarterly Report containing information relating to the implementation of this strategy was delivered to Council at the 25th October Councillor Workshop.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> N/A	<b>Response</b> N/A

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## 1.4 Foster and support entrepreneurial activity.

1.4.1 Streamlined and customer focused development application and assessment processes, including pre-lodgement information and advisory services.		
1.4.1.1 Review of pre-lodgement information and advisory services.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Administrative support around application and permit process has been highlighted as a recent requirement. Training has been provided to another member of staff in case of absence of key personnel.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> The issues around time management regarding this project are emerging as other projects place pressure on existing staff.
<b>Project Manager</b> Jacci Viney	<b>Work to Complete</b> More official role for staff to ensure ownership of process is maintained.	<b>Response</b> An internal staff review to ensure all pressures are covered is being undertaken.
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> No issues noted within the period.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Jacci Viney	<b>Work to Complete</b> N/A	<b>Response</b> N/A

1.4.2 Build local entrepreneurial capability.		
1.4.2.1 Work with stakeholders to develop a partnership that links, supports and empowers community economic developments with other Flinders organisations.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Community development hosted a visit from the Van Diemen Project 27th-28th September. The department has also been attending Flinders Island Business and Tourism Inc. meetings.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Council will be partnering with the Van Diemen Project to deliver a small business forum in November. This will focus on providing support for small business by linking them with business resources provided by State Growth, Business Tasmania, and the Regional Development Authority. Community will be working closely with Flinders Island Business and Tourism Inc to promote this event.	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 31st December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	November 28th, Community Development supported the delivery of the Fert Isle Business Forum by the Van Diemen Project, which offered Flinders businesses the opportunity to link up with State Government small business stakeholders such as State Growth and the Department of Employment who provided information about their programs & services.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	As yet to be determined.	N/A

1.4.2 Build local entrepreneurial capability.		
1.4.2.2 Work with Furneaux Community Arts to develop a partnership that links, supports and empowers community economic developments with other Flinders organisations.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	N/A	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 31st December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	No tasks completed this quarter.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	This depends upon what opportunities arise.	N/A

1.4.3 Promotion of the region's natural and cultural environment.		
1.4.3.1 Continued relationship with Flinders Island Tourism and Business Incorporated and Furneaux Community Arts.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Council continues to maintain a good working relationship with these two organisations through officer regularly attending meetings and assisting with various actions	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Continuation of partnership arrangement	<b>Response</b> N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b> Council continues to maintain a good working relationship with these two organisations through officer regularly attending meetings and assisting with various actions.	<b>Issues/Risks</b> N/A
<b>Project Manager</b> Claire Nicholl	<b>Work to Complete</b> Continue attending meetings and assisting with tasks where possible.	<b>Response</b> N/A

1.4.3 Promotion of the region's natural and cultural environment.		
1.4.3.2 Consult with the Flinders and Cape Barren Island Aboriginal Associations and other relevant organisations to support tourism related projects that align with the Flinders Island Destination Action Plan.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	N/A	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	N/A	N/A
<b>2nd Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Community Development is represented on the Destination Action Plan (DAP) implementation committee. Work to support Aboriginal tourism related projects is being supported and progressed through this DAP body. As yet there are no reportable projects.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Not yet identified.	N/A

1.4.4 Employment opportunities are enhanced through development of projects and initiatives with education service providers and employers.		
1.4.4.1 Be a willing and able partner to support education, training and employment initiatives.		
<b>1st Quarter</b>		
<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	The Community Development Office hosted a work experience student from the Flinders Island District High School, September 2017. A mentoring experience in hospitality and events has been planned this quarter for the Furneaux Islands Festival in January 2018. The Flinders Island Destination Action Plan (DAP) Committee has identified under Priority 5 of the Plan the need for information for young people and employers in relation to apprentice & trainee-ships. Community Development is represented on this Committee. Planning is underway for a combined information event in November.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Planning for the mentoring experiences which will be part of the Furneaux Island Festival will be continuing this quarter, in	N/A

		conjunction with the School. Community Development liaison with the School in relation to the apprentice & trainee-ship event identified by the Destination Action Planning committee.	
<b>2nd Quarter</b>			
<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>	
	<p>The Destination Action Plan (DAP) implementation group has identified the need for vocational pathways education for employers, parents &amp; students. This is in the planning phase and will consist of an information session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daniel Hart from MAS national as well as Department of Employment State Manager Erin Rule - or other representative- to deliver information re programs including: Youth Jobs Path, Seasonal Worker Trial....</li> <li>• Including meeting outreach employment services to Flinders provided by Salvation Army, Max Employment &amp; My Pathways. Visiting Flinders twice a month.</li> </ul> <p>In addition the DAP group has identifies the need for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a survey of building industry practitioners to establish gaps and opportunities. This is in progress.</li> </ul> <p>Community Development staff supported and promoted St John to provide First Aid training to the community.</p> <p>Community Development staff supported and promoted Surf Life Saving Tas to provide ASIDE (Bronze Medallion) training, Jetski PWC licensing to the community.</p>	N/A	
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>	
Claire Nicholl	<p>Delivery of the information session for in relation to vocational pathways for employers, students and parents.</p> <p>Complete the survey of building industry practitioners.</p> <p>Staff will respond to any other training, education initiatives as they occur.</p>	N/A	



1.4.5 Tourism and development is promoted through a focus on high quality food production, niche enterprises and clean, green image and sustainable farming practices associated with Flinders Island.

1.4.5.1 Through association with FITBI, support the delivery of the Flinders Island Destination Action Plan (DAP) 2017-2020.

#### 1st Quarter

<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Community Development has been attending Destination Action Planning committee meetings, including coordinating meetings, taking meeting notes, and undertaking tasks as identified by the group.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Continue in this role.	N/A

#### 2nd Quarter

<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> <span style="color: green;">Going well</span>	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Community Development has been attending Destination Action Planning committee meetings, including coordinating meetings, taking meeting notes, and undertaking tasks as identified by the group.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Continue to facilitate the organisation, note taking and other tasks associated with attending the Destination Action Planning implementation committee meetings.	N/A

**1.4.5 Tourism and development is promoted through a focus on high quality food production, niche enterprises and clean, green image and sustainable farming practices associated with Flinders Island.**

**1.4.5.2 Explore opportunities for Natural Resource Management (NRM) type activities as they arise.**

**1st Quarter**

<b>Date:</b> 15th September 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> Going well	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Community Development has had regular meetings with Parks and Wildlife staff and Flinders Island District High School teacher Helen Carnell in relation to facilitating the collaboration of our organisations with Parks activities. In particular to tie-in student involvement with Parks' ongoing natural resource management activities. Parks are however under-resourced and these opportunities have been limited.	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Community Development is currently working on supporting a Discovery Ranger to visit Flinders Island over the summer 2018. The Discovery Ranger Program Tasmania is a statewide program that supports the public to explore the State's National Parks.	N/A

**2nd Quarter**

<b>Date:</b> 15th December 2017 <b>Schedule:</b> Ongoing <b>Status:</b> Going well	<b>Work Completed</b>	<b>Issues/Risks</b>
	Unfortunately the attempt to attract a pilot Discovery Ranger Program on Flinders Island for the Summer 2018 was unsuccessful. Steve Johnson from Parks and Wildlife informed us that '...regretfully, Parks has had to pull out of running a Discovery Ranger Program on Flinders Island this summer. We have had to make the hard decision to prioritise our resources elsewhere. This is especially disappointing given the wonderful ground work that Anthea Shedley has put into scoping out the potential of such a program. We appreciate the enthusiasm that Anthea assures me you had for the program, and your offer to provide support.'	N/A
<b>Project Manager</b>	<b>Work to Complete</b>	<b>Response</b>
Claire Nicholl	Community Development will continue to liaise with Parks and Wildlife as well as the Flinders Island District High School to investigate opportunities for natural resource management activities.	N/A



























































































































































































































































