



# MINING REHABILITATION ADVISORY PANEL

## COMMUNIQUE – September 2019

### A summary of the Mining Rehabilitation Advisory Panel's Meeting on 25 September 2019

#### **1. Shaft Remediation Pilot Project (Donnybrook)**

The department has commenced project planning and initial consultation for a shaft remediation pilot project to address significant safety risks in a section of the Argyle Forest Block south of Donnybrook. The project is being undertaken in collaboration with the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions.

#### **2. Strategic Workshop**

A new Panel of members has been appointed to MRAP holding office for a term not exceeding three years.

A Strategic Workshop will be held in late 2019 to explore and map out priority areas for consideration, for the Mining Rehabilitation Fund and Abandoned Mines Program in the forthcoming 2 to 3 years.

#### **3. Consistent and effective processes**

The panel is working with the Department to adopt consistent and effective processes for prioritising projects under the Abandoned Mines Program, and for planning and undertaking abandoned mine projects.

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Sally Audeyev  
Chair