



## Planning

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Dear Mr Littlemore,

**Subject: Balranald Shire Strategic Framework Plan**

I refer to Council's request for the Department's endorsement of the consolidated Balranald Shire Strategic Framework Plan.

I acknowledge the work that has been undertaken on this project in conjunction with the community and State Government. I can now endorse the Balranald Shire Strategic Framework Plan as the basis to provide sufficient land to meet Balranald Shire's residential and employment needs for the next 15 years.

In endorsing the consolidated Balranald Shire Strategic Framework Plan, I note that Council has adopted most of the recommendations for land use change in the draft principal LEP, recently exhibited. I would encourage Council to monitor its land supply uptake and review the Strategic Framework Plan to ensure that it remains relevant to the needs of the Balranald Shire.

The Department looks forward to working with the Council on finalising the principal LEP for Balranald Shire to implement the recommendations of the consolidated Strategic Framework Plan.

Should you have any further enquiries about this matter, I have arranged for Anna Patton, Planning Officer to assist you. Ms Patton may be contacted at the Department's Western Region Office on telephone number (02) 6841 2180.

Yours sincerely,

**Tom Gellibrand**  
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