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Attention: Michael Keys

Dear Mr Zaknich

I refer to Council's submission of the final Thurgoona Wirilinga Precinct Structure Plan 2013 to the Department in accordance with its obligations under the Planning Reform Fund Grant.

I wish to congratulate Council on the completion of the Thurgoona Wirilinga Precinct Structure Plan 2013. The Structure Plan is a comprehensive document that provides a solid strategic platform for the coordinated urban development of the Thurgoona and Wirilinga areas.

I am pleased to endorse the plan as the basis for orderly release and development of land in Thurgoona and Wirilinga to accommodate the expected growth for Albury City for the next 40-50 years.

Although my endorsement does not provide a commitment by the State Government for the funding of State infrastructure as outlined in the plan, the Department is committed to working collaboratively with Council on infrastructure planning and coordination.

Should you have any further enquiries about this matter, I have arranged for Mr Brett Whitworth, Regional Director, Southern Region, of the Department of Planning and Infrastructure to assist you. Mr Whitworth can be contacted on 02 4224 9450.

Yours sincerely

*20 October 2013*  
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