



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **Conservation Management Plan Australian Cornish Mining Sites: Burra**

Following a rigorous and competitive tender process, Council has awarded Swanbury Penglase the responsibility to prepare the Burra Conservation Management Plan for the Australian Cornish Mining Sites: Burra.

The Australian Cornish Mining Site: Burra was listed on the National Heritage List on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2017 and a conservation management plan will assist Council to identify, protect, conserve and present the abundance of heritage listed buildings/areas in the township to all generations for many years to come. The plan will be developed in alignment with the Burra Charter which provides guidance for conservation, use and the protection of heritage values.

Swanbury Penglase is an Adelaide Based architecture firm that have a dedicated team of over forty five including directors, associate directors, project directors, senior associates, associates, architectural staff, interior designers, landscape architects and administration staff.

Swanbury Penglase has extensive experience with heritage work encompassing buildings and places included on local, state and national heritage lists and registers. The team has a proven understanding of the context of the project and the statutory requirements of the Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1990 (EPBC Act) having previously prepared Management Plans for a National Heritage listed place and strive to undertake an open and transparent consultation throughout the delivery of the project.

Chief Executive Officer David J. Stevenson welcomes the announcement and hopes that the plan will help guide any works at the heritage sites into the future.

The Conservation Management Plan does not circumvent the development application process. Any major works would still be subject to advice from the SA Heritage Council on the effect that any development proposal may have on the heritage significance in Burra.

The Conservation Management Plan will be finalised in September 2019.

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Further Information/Comment

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