Pastoral Board Strategic Plan 2020-2022

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Value Proposition

The Pastoral Board in administering and furthering the objects of the Pastoral Act, acts with a focus on transparency, responsiveness, flexibility, competency, consistency and equity, and aims to support the growth of the pastoral industry in South Australia.

The Board achieves this through:
- Monitoring land condition.
- Utilising research, data and best practice.
- Maintaining a strong compliance framework and application.
- Facilitate the maintenance of landscape function, including through rehabilitation work.
- Effectively communicating and engaging with pastoralists and other stakeholders.
- Working in partnership with lessees to promote the objects of the Act.
- Working with PIRSA to ensure effective decision-making under delegation.

Strategies

1. **Influence the Pastoral Act Review**
   1.1 Use the collective experience of Board Members to influence and inform the development of the new Pastoral Act.

       Measures: Number of engagement activities with Minister and PIRSA Act review team; Board provided targeted opportunities to inform Bill development.

   1.2 Facilitate engagement of lessees to participate in the Pastoral Act review.

       Measures: Number of engagement activities; number of participants assisted/responded; Board seen as advocate for Bill.

2. **Build Credibility and Understanding**

   2.1 Strengthen role of the Board as an advocate for the pastoral industry and advise the Minister on how best to address matters through the operation of the Pastoral Act.

       Measures: Number of engagement activities with Minister.

   2.2 Increase the understanding of the role and operation of the Board to stakeholders.

       Measures: Number of Board policies/guidelines on website; number of hits on PIRSA pastoral webpage; engagement activities; survey results.
3. Enable Industry Development

3.1 Ensure all Board policies and guidelines are designed to enable sustainable industry development with social, environmental and economic goals.

   Measures: key stakeholders have helped inform desired goals of policy products.

3.2 Identify opportunities for improvement in administration of the Pastoral Act and make clear recommendations for change to the Minister.

   Measures: Feedback on Act administration to Minister is supported by pastoral industry stakeholders.

Related documents:

- Communications and Engagement Plan 2020
- Board Forward Agenda 2020
- Governance Charter 2020