

2022 Pre-Election Priorities

outcomes

SACOME's 2022 Pre-Election Priorities were informed by members and focused on impactful, strategic and long-term outcomes that remove impediments to growth, address structural challenges and improve regulatory outcomes.

Advocating on behalf of the South Australian resources sector, SACOME called for bipartisan commitment on five key priorities, recognising that the difficult task of state development must stand above politics of the day.



Northern South Australia Productive Water Security Project

Call for funding to finalise the business case of this major state economic development initiative



LIBERAL

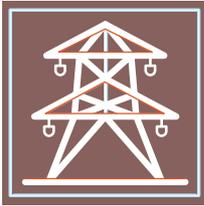


LABOR

\$15 MILLION

STATE & COMMONWEALTH
FUNDING FOR THE NORTHERN
WATER PROJECT

Support to progress business case and commitment to \$10m State component of funding



Energy Transition Roadmap

Establishment of an SA Energy Advisory Board with industry representation to prepare a South Australian Energy Transition Roadmap

X LIBERAL

Rejected call for establishment of Energy Advisory Board – seek to address substance of request through evolution of existing SA Energy Solution plan

✓ LABOR

YES LABOR PARTY COMMIT TO ESTABLISH AN ENERGY TRANSITION ROUNDTABLE



Future Workforce & Skills Framework

Development of a Framework that maps requirements across nine ‘Growth State’ industry sectors and aligns training and education needs

✓ LIBERAL

5 YEAR SKILLS POLICY THAT AIMS TO SOLVE WORKFORCE AND LABOUR SUPPLY & DEMAND CHALLENGES

X LABOR

Commitment to the delivery of five new technical colleges across the state to help meet skills shortages – no specific commitment to an industry wide Future Workforce & Skills Framework



Resource Infrastructure Corridors

Implementation of Resources Infrastructure Corridors initiative as a means of catalysing resources project development and as an investment attraction measure for the State

✓ LIBERAL

\$2 MILLION COMMITTED TOWARDS A RESOURCE INFRASTRUCTURE CORRIDOR BUSINESS CASE

✓ LABOR

Commitment to continue the 2021-22 budget allocation towards this initiative



Land Access

Continued, bipartisan rejection of a landowner right to veto; and no new moratoria to be introduced to South Australia

? LIBERAL

Neither Party support a landowner ‘right to veto’, or intend to introduce any new moratoria, but have not clarified if they will implement any of the recommendations from the Select Committee*; Fracking moratoria in South East to remain

? LABOR

* Note: Independent MPs Geoff Brock and Fraser Ellis have declared that their support to form government depends on either major party being prepared to implement the recommendations of the Select Committee Inquiry on Land Access.