Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee

Answers to questions on notice

Agriculture, Water and the Environment Portfolio

Inquiry: Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Agriculture,

Water and the Environment Measures No. 1) Regulations 2021

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Senator Davey asked:

Senator DAVEY: Thank you. I just flag that my quick glance shows that most of the electorates within the Murray-Darling Basin are coalition held. That's for Senator Sterle, because I'm sure he is running off to check the computer. But that is not to say that it is only coalition. There is Eden-Monaro, for example. They've also been successful, with Jerrabomberra Creek getting some funding. So congratulations to them as well.

Dr Derham: If it would be of use, I can table or make available a map to the committee that shows the boundary of the Murray-Darling Basin, and a dot point for where the successful projects are located, if that would be a useful visual tool?

Senator DAVEY: I think that would be a very helpful visual tool to understand the basin and the areas that we're talking about.

Answer:

A map showing the boundary of the Murray–Darling Basin and approximate project locations is provided at **Attachment A**.

Murray-Darling Healthy Rivers Projects

