Q1 Which part of the Planning and Design Code would you like to make a submission about? (Please click the circle to select which part of the Code you wish to comment on. You can also see which council areas are included in the rural and urban code via the links below.)

My submission relates to Statewide code

Q2 Please provide your contact details below (Name, Postcode & Email are mandatory) Please be advised that your submission will be made publicly available on the SA Planning Portal.

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Your Council Area: Playford
Suburbs/Town: Elizabeth Downs
State: South Australia
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Q3 Which sector do you associate yourself with?

General Public

Q4 Would you like to make comment on

General comments
Q14 Please enter your general feedback here

I have a Certificate in Fire Technology, Cert 2 in Horticulture, have had more than 30 years as an emergency service volunteer (CFS & SES) i have for many years been advocating buffer zones of fire retardant plants between bush land and residential & commercial properties. We should have safe access & egress roads from danger zones such as bushfire prone areas or flood prone areas these roads should be marked as such similar to what japan does for its tsunami escape routes. We should ban places where there is only one access/egress route. We should engourage people to plant Fire Retardant species especially in high risk areas. All schools in bushfire prone areas should be fire safe buildings and the grounds should be safer refuge places. It may be worthwhile to build large underground water storage tanks for firefighting purposes and where possible there should be access to this supply by Helicopter pickup.

Q15 Do you have any attachments to upload?(pdf only)  Respondent skipped this question