



MOUNT BARKER
DISTRICT COUNCIL

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A Summit of minds

Scientists, artists, community and business leaders will soon meet in Mount Barker to discuss and address environmental and social challenges.

An initiative of Adelaide University, Dynamic State Summit will bring together new ways of thinking, sharing and taking action.

Mayor Ann Ferguson is very excited about the event being held in Mount Barker, "Many great minds, local and far, are coming here to help inspire and activate change, hope and action".

"This Summit is very important and relevant to our district as it has similar objectives to our very own Community Plan" Mayor Ferguson said.

Council will help organise and run the Summit, producing video, illustrations, art and music that will be shared with the community.

"It's all about bringing about change, Mayor Ferguson said

"We'll work together to identify and explore local issues and effective solutions on topics such as food, nature and energy".

As part of the Dynamic State Summit, a screening of the short film *Regenerating Australia* will be held at Wallis Cinema and a First Nations artwork will be painted on site.

"I'm very proud we're commissioning this important cultural artwork during this event, Mayor Ferguson said

"The artwork will help tell a story of the past, present and future of this special place and event".

The Dynamic State Summit will be held at the Ukaria Cultural Centre on 23-24 June.

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