

# Media Release

## Andrew Broad

Member for Mallee

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### **SWAN HILL SCORES AN UPGRADE**

This afternoon The Federal Member for Mallee Andrew Broad has officially announced the Swan Hill Football and Netball Club have been successful in their application under Round Three of the Federal Governments Stronger Communities Program.

The club will receive a \$20,000 grant to go toward the cost of a scoreboard upgrade at the Swan Hill Recreation Reserve. Mr Broad said the upgrade has been a long time coming with the original scoreboard destroyed by a fire several years ago.

“This project is great for the Swan Hill community, the Recreational Reserve is used all year round with football, netball, cricket and community events so this scoreboard really will benefit everyone,” he said.

“Sporting clubs play a vital role in the wellbeing of regional communities and I’m pleased to see the Swan Hill Football and Netball club get the funding they need to keep these facilities operating at the high standard they do.”

Altogether the estimated cost of the scoreboard upgrade is \$75,427 with the club contributing \$48,570 of the costs.

The new scoreboard will be a 5m x 4m LED video screen with a live video function that can also be used to capture local events such as the Swan Hill Show or local movie screenings.

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