

# 2026 Smarter Grazing, Stronger Lands — Mentoring and Demonstration Sites

## Form Preview

### SmartGrazing, Stronger Lands — Mentoring & Demonstration Sites EOI

#### Form description

Smart Grazing, Stronger Lands is an SA Drought Hub led project supporting pastoralists across Australia's Southern Rangelands to adopt climate-smart decision-making tools, technologies and practices that improve grazing management and ecosystem health.

Through this project, we're looking for properties from South Australian rangeland producers across two area, five mentoring sites and two demonstration sites, who want hands-on support to put a climate-smart decision-making tool, technology or practice into action on their property.

We're looking for producers who've been thinking about making a change, have identified something that could work for their operation and will benefit from support to give it a go and share their learnings with others. Applications from groups of producers working on similar challenges also welcome.

If have any questions, please contact Jade Leyden on 0438 990 399.

Applications close 2pm 22 June 2026.

#### Part 1 - About you

\* indicates a required field

**Your name \***

**Property name \***

**Location (closest town is fine) \***

**Phone number \***

**Email \***

#### Part 2 - About your business

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### What type of livestock does your business run? \*

- Cattle
- Sheep
- Mixed
- Other:

### Do you have any other enterprises alongside your livestock?

- Cropping
- Tourism / property stays
- Agistment
- On-property value-add (meat sales, wool processing, etc.)
- Off-property income
- Other:

Tick any that apply or leave blank if not applicable.

### What size is your property? \*

Hectares or square kilometres — whatever you use.

## Part 3 - Your background

### Have you done any of these land management courses?

- Grazing Land Management (GLM)
- Holistic Management
- Property Management Planning (PMP)
- RCS
- Other
- I haven't taken part in formal land management training

### If other, please outline

## Part 5 - Your application

### Application Type

A **Mentoring site** will support you to work 1:1 over the next two years to support you to implement a decision-making tool into your business. What this support looks like will be based on your needs and the tool being implemented, and can be discussed with you as part of the application process.

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A **Demonstration site** will provide up to \$35,000 in funding per property for at least two properties to help support the on-ground implementation of a decision-making tool. This funding stream is suitable for tools that require significant setup costs.

### I would like to apply for

- Mentoring
- Demonstration site

## Mentoring site details

\* indicates a required field

### Who's applying

#### Are you applying as an individual or with a group? \*

- As an individual property
- A group of properties working on something similar
- As an individual property - but willing to work with others on similar tools

### Who else is involved?

Property Name	Property Size	Contact Person	Enterprise

### What decisions on your property do you find challenging to make, or would like more support to use a decision-making tool? \*

### How would this tool, tech or practice improve your (or your groups) climate-smart decision-making? \*

### Have you got a particular mentor or tool developer you'd like to work with? \*

## Demonstration Site Details

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### Your Application

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**Describe your project and outline how you will deliver it. \***

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**How would this tool, tech or practice improve your climate-smart decision-making? \***

**Have you got a particular mentor or tool developer you'd like to work with? \***

## Work Plan

Outline each of the activities to be undertaken as part of the grant and include the start and finish dates. Add a new line for each activity.

<b>Activities to be undertaken</b>	<b>Start Date</b>	<b>End Date</b>
	Must be a date.	Must be a date.

## Project goals and measuring success

**What are you hoping to achieve with your project?**

**List each of the project's goals (what the project is aiming to achieve), and how you will measure its success.**

**The goals should be written as specifically as possible so links to the priority areas are clear.**

For multiple goals, please add additional rows for each goal.

<b>Goal</b>	<b>How will success be measured?</b>

## Budget

<b>Expense</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>Notes</b>
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For example, host a stickybeak day,

## Declaration

### Anything else you would like to share to support your application?

## Declaration

This section must be completed by an appropriately authorised person on behalf of the applicant organisation (may be different to the contact person listed earlier in this application form).

- I certify that the application form has been checked for errors and that the organisation I am applying on behalf of is supportive of the project.
- I consent to the release of information in this application form for publicity and public information purposes.
- I agree to participate in pre and post project surveys capturing learnings and project outcomes
- If becoming a demonstration site, I agree to provide the SA Arid Lands Landscape Board with a final report including expenditure details and project outcomes.

### I agree

Yes  No

### Name

### Position and Property

### Date

Must be a date.

### How did you hear about this round?

- SAAL Website
- Facebook or social media
- NRM body
- Word of mouth
- Other: