

Re: CONTACT AT NSW DEPT OF SPORT - INFO ON FUNDING FOR WAGGA CONFERENCE CENTRE

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Thanks Margaret - that's correct, funding was not confirmed and is subject to business case development and review.

I've also copied Jenny Davis from INSW as she is aware of this project and so she knows NSW Sport are engaging with DoI on this.

Thx

Chris

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Sent from my iPhone

On 10 Jan 2017, at 12:24 am, Margaret O'Dwyer <margaret.odwyer@industry.nsw.gov.au> wrote:

Hi Jane

I have just had a call from Michael Toohey of NSW Sport (Ph: 87548868)

Jane, please give Michael a call after 11:30am today for additional information - he may be less circumspect with you!

It appears that the funding is not confirmed.

The Government is "interested" in funding the project, though the bureaucracy does not support the project.

The project was presented to the ERC prior to Christmas, but though the Aus Clay Target Assoc were funded to produce a business case, the ERC has asked that Infrastructure NSW prepare an independent business case.

If the business case stacks up, the funding will come from the Regional Growth Environment & Tourism Fund (Chris - this is why I am copying you in).

So the press relating to this project is premature.

Regards

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