

# Media Release

## Andrew Broad

Member for Mallee

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### MURTOA AND DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE OFFICIALLY OPENS

Federal Member for Mallee, Andrew Broad has today officially opened the Murtoa and District Neighbourhood House. The project received funding of \$225,000 under the Federal Governments Drought Communities Program and Mr Broad says it will become a major activity hub for the town.

“The Murtoa and District Neighbourhood House will facilitate a range of activities including workshops and training programs, as well as career services.”

The new facilities will include an administration office, community meeting spaces and an outside deck area available for use by all local residents.

“The Neighbourhood House will engage and promote learning and innovation within the region, particularly for local businesses and farmers,” Mr Broad said.

“I have always said that supporting our small regional towns is vital so it gives me great pleasure to be able to officially open the Murtoa and District Neighbourhood House.”

Mr Broad said the facility will become a great meeting space for local groups such as playgroups, dance groups, and other committees, it will also provide office space for the local newspaper, the Murtoa and District Advertiser.

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