



South East Premium Wheat Growers'
Association

**PO BOX 365
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4th May 2011

Mr Scott Pickering
Chair
Northern Mallee Declared Species Group
RMB 9162
Esperance WA 6450

RE: Support for Barrier Fence

Dear Scott,

The South East Premium Wheat Growers' Association supports the endeavours of the Northern Mallee Declared Species Group to erect the state barrier fence in the Esperance Port Zone.

There will be many benefits to grain growers and livestock producers in this region. Stopping the emus from entering the agricultural area will limit the damage that they do to the crops.

It was pleasing to hear that the Esperance Shire will conduct a referendum to levy a specific area rate to partly fund the construction of the fence. We will encourage our members to vote in the affirmative.

Yours sincerely,

Lyndon Mickel
President
