

Money for recycling projects

GRANTS worth nearly \$3 million have been made available for recycling projects by the State Government.

Councils, many of which have been hit by the increase in the solid waste levy, and private companies can apply for grants.

"Improved waste management is not only good for the environment, but it contributes to South Australia's economic growth by creating jobs," Environment Minister David Speirs said.

The announcement came as SA was praised by the Federal Government and the World Wide Fund for Nature for national leadership in waste management for the Northern Adelaide Waste Management Authority.

The NAWMA was hailed a top example of councils collaborating to create the scale needed to build a large facility delivering benefits to ratepayers.