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Memorandum

To: UNAP Supporters
From: Professor Hilary Winchester, Pro Vice Chancellor: Strategy and Planning
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Subject: New role for Marc Shannon

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Dear UNAP Supporter,

We are pleased to announce that Marc Shannon, Manager: UNAP will commence working with Northern Futures on 7 September 2009 in the role of Acting Chief Executive. Marc will work with the Northern Futures Board and staff to implement the Board's vision for the future of the organisation.

This arrangement, funded by UniSA, is a major commitment that demonstrates UniSA's desire to raise aspirations and improve educational outcomes to build workforce capacity in the region.

As further evidence of UniSA's commitment to community engagement, particularly in northern Adelaide, the UniSA organisational structures are being altered to establish a **"Centre for Participation and Community Engagement"** to be based at Mawson Lakes Campus. A Director for this Centre is currently being appointed.

Marc's contribution as Manager: UNAP since 2006 has been significant and underpinned the development of the Centre for Participation and Community Engagement. UNAP will continue to be an integral part of this new Centre. Please contact Professor Hilary Winchester (ph: 8302 0157 or email hilary.winchester@unisa.edu.au) or her Executive Officer, Dr Melanie Attard (ph: 8302 0456 or email melanie.attard@unisa.edu.au), to discuss new opportunities for connections between UniSA and northern Adelaide.

UniSA looks forward to continued close relationships across the region and playing a significant role in building the investment in the people of northern Adelaide.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Hilary Winchester

Professor Neil Otway