



MEDIA RELEASE

DROUGHT CENTRE TO OPEN IN CEDUNA

Rural Financial Counselling Service SA Inc (RFCSSA) along with other Government services will open a trial drought centre in Ceduna on 12 and 13 November.

RFCSSA general manager Kay Matthias said today that a rural financial counsellor would be available at the centre on both of these days.

"the South Australian Government along with RFCSSA have seen a need for a drought centre in Ceduna to provide a service for the increasing number of clients expected on the western Eyre Peninsula as a result of continuing drought conditions.

"The centre will open on a trial basis initially while we determine what ongoing need is required." Ms Matthias said.

Other services at the centre will be Centrelink and the Eyre Peninsula Drought Coordinator.

The drought service centre is located at Shop 7, Surprys Mall, 35 Poynton St, Ceduna, the Eyre Peninsula Natural Resource Management Office.

Clients wishing to make an appointment to see a rural financial counsellor on these days can phone the RFCSSA freecall hotline number of 1800 836 211.

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