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**Mrs PENFOLD (Flinders):** Will the Minister for Regional Development advise the house whether the successful community builders' program has been scrapped? I am advised that, usually, the next round of submissions to run the program would have been closed by now, but calls for submissions have not been issued at all. One of the objectives of the South Australian Strategic Plan is to increase volunteering with a priority action to remove barriers to volunteering and to promote community participation. The Community Builders Program is an effective way of undertaking this objective and complements the strategic plan.

**The Hon. K.A. MAYWALD (Minister for Regional Development):** I thank the member for Flinders for her question. The question involves the outcomes of the budget and I suggest that the member await those outcomes.