

## Collection Summary

**ID Number:** CS 202

**Title:** Aldinga Arts Eco Village

**Extent:** 1 Folder(s)

**Span Dates:** 2006-2008

**Language:** English

**Geographic Location:** Adelaide, Australia

**Abstract:** The collection consists of correspondence and printed material.

## Selected Search Terms

**Subjects:** Collective settlements; Collective farms; Organic farming; Sustainable agriculture; Permaculture; Sustainable buildings; Green technology

**Historical Notes:** The Aldinga Arts EcoVillage is a sustainable housing development located at 173 Port Road, Aldinga, a suburb south of Adelaide, South Australia. It has an interesting history that, over nearly 25 years, has taken it from its birth as a concept in the minds of artists Barbara Powell and Vivienne Newcombe, architect John Maitland, and Permaculturist Steven Poole, to the vibrant, growing Village you can see today. Our Village is an intentional community based around the principles of permaculture, with a focus on arts and the environment. Physically, the village currently consists of 169 commercial and residential lots, communal neighbourhood orchards, eight stormwater collection ponds or dams, an outdoor brick oven with associated covered meeting space, and an amphitheatre for outdoor performance events and gatherings. The site also incorporates a small farm that will be developed to enhance our food sustainability, and an associated small-scale wastewater treatment plant that directs treated sewage effluent from the Village to agricultural use. The treatment process is biologically based and chlorine free. <http://www.aev.net/index.html>

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