

MINDEROO FOUNDATION RECOVERY PODS

The Minderoo Foundation Fire Fund is focussed on direct, on-the-ground support for fire affected communities as they recover and rebuild from the 2019/20 Australian bushfires.

The Fire Fund team has developed the recovery pods as an innovative solution to the temporary-accommodation need facing those who've lost their homes.

The pods were developed to provide a practical base camp while people work towards longer term rebuilding. Each recovery pod costs approximately \$30,000 to manufacture based on current specifications.

Early users of the pods indicate that they are a valued tool to support the recovery process. The Minderoo Foundation is keen to work with Federal and State disaster recovery agencies, as well as other corporate and charitable partners, to secure sustainable funding for more pods.

The pods have two functionality options, use as a workstation, or for short-term accommodation with bunk beds included.

The 7.2m x 2.4m units are fully self-contained and come equipped with a 2,300 litre water tank and can operate on the included 5 KVA generator or use the 15-amp external plug-and-play mains capability.

The pods also include a toilet, shower and small open kitchen with a two-burner stove. Externally, power points and a fold up shade-cover make the unit a well-equipped base camp, while other vital recovery and rebuilding work goes on nearby.

The recovery pods are not designed for long-term accommodation, they are intended to provide a solution in rural and remote areas devastated by the recent bushfires as the rebuilding process is ongoing.

Delivery, installation and recipent of Recovery Pod at Kangaroo Island, SA









Toilet, shower, small open kitchen with a twoburner stove and refridgerator



Small open kitchen with window and washing machine



2,300 litre water tank and 5 KVA generator



Four person bunk bed



Workshop configuration