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Please attribute the below information to Shire President, Cr David Roe.

Seabird Erosion Update

The Shire of Gingin would like to advise the community of the following progress concerning the coastal erosion issue at Seabird:

- Detailed designs for Seabird protection works were completed earlier this year, with a seawall being the preferred option.
- The Shire called tenders for construction of the seawall in February, with civil engineering contractor Neo Infrastructure the successful tenderer.
- Shire is currently in negotiations with Neo Infrastructure on a commencement date.
- As this project has been funded by the State Government the Shire is awaiting their approval of the design and to release funds.
- Shire is unable to award the contract for commencement until these funds are released by the State Government.

The Shire is continuing to progress this project as swiftly as possible, and will continue to keep the community informed of its status as and when updates come to hand.

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