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The Premier in visiting the Glenelg Council informed the Council firstly that the Government would examine ways of assisting the Council in the development of a community centre in Loseley Square and see whether the plans for the expansion of the police station could be so tailored as to accommodate the needs of the Council on the site as well, that he would also examine ways of protecting existing tenants for a period until it was necessary to make substantial alterations.

The Premier also told the Council that the design engineers of the Department of Marine and Harbours were now examining the proposals of the Glenelg Council for jetty works. The Government considered that the development of the tourist trade was of vital importance to economic expansion in South Australia, and that Glenelg provided some of the State's major tourist facilities already. Therefore, the provision of jetty works was a good investment and the Government wanted to be able to assist. He hoped that concrete proposals arising out of the examination now being made by the Department would be able to be put to Government later this financial year, and the Government hoped that work could start then. He assured the Council of the Government's interest and sympathy in the matter.

28th August, 1967.