



Mininera & District Football League  
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## MEDIA RELEASE

### Clubs Vote Against Smythsdale Joining MDFL

**Clubs in the Mininera and District Football League (MDFL) have voted against an application by the Smythsdale Football Netball Club to join the MDFL for the 2019 and 2020 seasons.**

According to the MDFL Constitution, 75 per cent of existing clubs must vote in the affirmative to accept a new club into the league. The Smythsdale FNC application did not receive the support required and has therefore been rejected.

MDFL President John Box said "Our clubs and the League Board have spent a lot of time considering Smythsdale's application. We don't want to see any club without a league to play in but our clubs, rightly, have to consider their interests first.

"We thank Smythsdale for expressing an interest in joining the MDFL and are appreciative for the consideration our clubs gave to this application."

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