

Notification of dividend / distribution

Announcement Summary

Entity name

RURAL FUNDS GROUP

Security on which the Distribution will be paid

RFF - STAPLED SECURITIES FULLY PAID

Announcement Type

New announcement

Date of this announcement

Tuesday March 1, 2016

Distribution Amount

AUD 0.02232500

Ex Date

Wednesday March 30, 2016

Record Date

Thursday March 31, 2016

Payment Date

Friday April 29, 2016

DRP election date

Friday April 1, 2016 19:00:00

Refer to below for full details of the announcement

Announcement Details

Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

1.1 Name of +Entity

RURAL FUNDS GROUP

1.2 Registered Number Type

other

1.3 ASX issuer code

RFF

1.4 The announcement is

New announcement

1.5 Date of this announcement

Tuesday March 1, 2016

Registration Number

Rural Funds Trust (ARSN 112 951 578) and RF Active (ARSN 168 740 805)



1.6 ASX +Security Code

RFF

ASX +Security Description

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Part 2A - All dividends/distributions basic details

2A.1 Type of dividend/distribution

Ordinary

2A.2 The Dividend/distribution:

relates to a period of one quarter

2A.3 The dividend/distribution relates to the financial reporting or payment period ending ended/ending (date)

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2A.4 +Record Date

Thursday March 31, 2016

2A.5 Ex Date

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2A.6 Payment Date

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2A.7 Are any of the below approvals required for the dividend/distribution before business day 0 of the timetable?

- Security holder approval
- Court approval
- Lodgement of court order with +ASIC
- ACCC approval
- FIRB approval
- Another approval/condition external to the entity required before business day 0 of the timetable for the dividend/distribution.

No

2A.8 Currency in which the dividend/distribution is made ("primary currency")

AUD - Australian Dollar

2A.9 Total dividend/distribution payment amount

per +security (in primary currency) for all dividends/distributions notified in this form

Estimated or Actual?

Estimated

AUD 0.02232500

2A.10 Does the entity have arrangements relating to the currency in which the dividend/distribution is paid to securityholders

that it wishes to disclose to the market?

No



2A.11 Does the entity have a securities plan for dividends/distributions on this +security?

We have a Dividend/Distribution Reinvestment Plan (DRP)

2A.11a If the +entity has a DRP, is the DRP applicable to this dividend/distribution?

Yes

2A.12 Does the +entity have tax component information apart from franking?
No

2A.11a(i) DRP Status in respect of this dividend/distribution
Full DRP

Part 3A - Ordinary dividend/distribution

3A.1 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution estimated at this time?

Yes

3A.1a(i) Date that actual ordinary amount will be announced

Thursday April 28, 2016

3A.1b Ordinary Dividend/distribution amount per security

AUD

3A.2 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution franked?

No

3A.3 Percentage of ordinary dividend/distribution that is franked 0.0000 %

3A.4 Ordinary dividend/distribution franked amount per +security

AUD 0.00000000

3A.6 Ordinary dividend/distribution unfranked amount per +security excluding conduit foreign income amount

AUD 0.02232500

3A.7 Ordinary dividend/distribution conduit foreign income amount per security

AUD 0.00000000

3A.1a Ordinary dividend/distribution estimated amount per +security

AUD 0.02232500

Estimated or Actual?

Estimated

3A.5 Percentage amount of dividend which is unfranked

100.0000 %

Part 4A - +Dividend reinvestment plan (DRP)

4A.1 What is the default option if +security holders do not indicate whether they want to participate in the DRP?

Do not participate in DRP (i.e. cash payment)

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4A.2 Last date and time for lodgement of election notices to share registry under DRP

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4A.3 DRP discount rate

1.5000 %

4A.4 Period of calculation of reinvestment price

Start Date

End Date

Tuesday March 1, 2016

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4A.5 DRP price calculation methodology

Arithmetic average of volume weighted average price of Units traded on ASX during the 20 trading days before the Record date

4A.6 DRP Price (including any discount):

4A.7 DRP +securities +issue date

AUD

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4A.8 Will DRP +securities be a new issue?

4A.8a Do DRP +securities rank pari passu from

+issue date?

Yes

Yes

4A.9 Is there a minimum dollar amount or number of +securities required for DRP participation?

4A.10 Is there a maximum dollar amount or number of +securities required for DRP participation?

4A.11 Are there any other conditions applying to DRP participation?

No

4A.12 Link to a copy of the DRP plan rules

http://ruralfunds.com.au/rural-funds-group/about/corporate-governance/

4A.13 Further information about the DRP

http://ruralfunds.com.au/rural-funds-group/investor-information/distribution-reinvestment-plan/

Part 5 - Further information

5.1 Please provide any further information applicable to this dividend/distribution

Further information can be obtained by contacting:

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5.2 Additional information for inclusion in the Announcement Summary