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Dear Stakeholder

Point Nepean National Park and Quarantine Station

At the community information day at the Point Nepean Quarantine Station in May this year, you provided contact details so we could keep you up to date with this important project.

The Victorian Government's invitation for proposals for development of the Quarantine Station closed on 6 August, marking the end of the 10 week expression of interest phase.

The next phase of the project is a robust process of evaluation and assessment. Evaluation teams are assessing submissions against the criteria outlined in the expression of interest documentation.

Proposals will be assessed in accordance with the need to be sensitive to their setting within the national park, while maintaining public access and preserving the environmental and heritage values which make the site so attractive to locals and visitors.

Successful proposals will need to be financially viable, maintain access and make a strong positive contribution to the local economy by creating jobs and tourism opportunities on the Mornington Peninsula.

Planning and environmental requirements, including Indigenous and cultural heritage requirements, will also be considered prior to any final proposal being approval.

The project team is working towards making an announcement about the next stage in October/November.

We will continue to keep you up to date with progress.

More information is available on our website, www.depi.vic.gov.au/pointnepean Alternatively, you can email point.nepean@depi.vic.gov.au or telephone the DEPI customer service centre on 136 186.

Best regards

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