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Good evening,

I would like to indicate my support for the draft guidelines that have been established to initiate comprehensive planning review of the important project.

As a life long NW Tasmanian resident, I am encouraged by the possibilities that such a development will bring to Hobart and Tasmania. The enabling and flow-on plans to improve housing, ferry and rapid bus transport and hotel accomodation are both necessary and exciting.

It is fitting for this project to be deemed a Project of State Significance, because that is exactly what it is. It will enable Tasmanian professional AFL players, support staff, workers and supporters to benefit from 40 years of effort in working to establish our own team in our own colours and song.

This promises to be a high quality facility that not only allows the most spectated teams from sport at the highest level to be seen locally, all year round without the risk of weather, but also enables music concerts, exhibitions and conferences.

A facility that we can be proud of, that showcases our beautiful city and state to Australia and the rest of the world, that encompasses unique Tasmanian building materials, colours and textures.

I would also like to indicate support for the 'alternative' proposal 'Maq Point 2.0' which may actually be a more appropriate location with breathtaking design.

Sincerely,

Justin Austbo
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