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LATEST NEWS

WELLBEING IN EVERY DECISION CONFERENCE

Wed 28 Aug: [Wellbeing in Every Decision: Planning for a Healthy and Liveable region conference](#)

If you're a planner, population health professional or have an interest in creating healthy and liveable communities in regional Victoria then this conference is for you!

The aim is to explore how statutory and strategic planning and health professionals can work collaboratively, and how to apply a wellbeing focus across a wide range of strategies and policies in a regional Victorian context. Click [here](#) for more information and to book.

DRAFT MARINE AND COASTAL POLICY - Setting the framework for the future of coastal management in Victoria

DELWP has released a draft Marine and Coastal Policy, which is on public consultation until 15 August 2019. Once implemented, the Policy will play a central role in guiding decision-making in relation to the planning, management and sustainable use of Victoria's coastal and marine environment. If you are interested in the planning and management of Victoria's coasts, come along and hear our expert panel discuss their views on the draft Policy, and what it means for the future direction of marine and coastal management in this State. The panel session will be interactive, and questions from the audience will be encouraged. To book click [here](#)

VPELA'S STATE PLANNING CONFERENCE 2019 - If I could I would change this...

Thu 29 & Fri 30 Aug: For full details and how to register, download the program and focus session details here [Conference Program](#), [Focus Sessions](#)

UPDATE TO A PRACTITIONER'S GUIDE TO VICTORIA'S PLANNING SCHEMES

[A Practitioners Guide to Victorian Planning Schemes](#) has been updated. The guide provides a 'one-stop shop' for planning practitioners to assist in the application and writing of planning scheme provisions. Updates have been made to chapters 6.3 and 6.4, sections 6.6.2 and 6.7.3, and appendix 1. These changes will further assist with the translation of planning schemes to the Planning Policy Framework. A more comprehensive review of the guide will be undertaken and released later this year.

PLANNING SCHEME HISTORIES

[VicPlan](#) new release v2.2.3 - Have you tried the new Time slider feature in VicPlan? You can now see Planning Scheme zone & overlay changes over the last 2 years and historic property changes too. Map Amendment have direct links to the Planning Scheme Amendment web pages. Heritage site Hermes numbers and Crown Land descriptors are now included in VicPlan searches. For a full list of VicPlan updates see [VicPlan web page](#). If you require assistance with VicPlan please use the Help and Feedback on the toolbar.

WAURN PONDS TRAIN MAINTENANCE AND STABLING FACILITY

GC104 to the Greater Geelong And Surf Coast Planning Schemes proposes to apply the Public Acquisition Overlay and Special Control Overlay, introduce the *Waurnd Ponds Train Maintenance and Stabling Facility Project Incorporated Document, June 2019* as an incorporated document and make the Minister for Planning the responsible authority for land at and surrounding 255 Reservoir Road, Waurnd Ponds. Further information is available via planning.vic.gov.au/glps.

PIA PLANET

Tue 6 Aug: [Aboriginal Cultural Heritage \(Bendigo\)](#) - The course will provide planners with a comprehensive overview of legislative responsibilities and requirements under the *Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006*. Thu 8 Aug: [Preparing a Precinct Structure Plan for a Greenfields Precinct](#) - This course will provide an overview of preparing and applying a PSP to a greenfields precinct. Wed 14 Aug: [Effective Strategic Planning](#) - This module provides a straightforward outline of the steps and skills needed for effective strategic planning and

identifies the keys to success and the common failings of strategic plans. Thu 26 Sep: [Smart City Strategy Delivery and Successful Implementation](#) - A session designed to help attendees develop town planning, urban design and infrastructure solutions through smart city thinking and application.

PIA CPD BEFORE DINNER SERIES

Tue 13 Aug: [Garden Area Requirements](#) - Also available as a livestream and on demand. Tue 17 Sep: [Planning Enforcement Options and How to Choose Which One to Use](#) – Also available as a livestream and on demand.

PIA EVENTS

Fri 11 Oct: [PIA Vic State Planning Symposium](#) - This year's Symposium will be exploring the theme 'Leaving a positive legacy beyond our generation', register now to be part of the conversation.

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EXHIBITIONS

- [Wyndham C243wynd](#) proposes to apply a Public Acquisition Overlay to properties on the south side of the Sayers Road, between Tarneit Road and Morris Road. Hoppers Crossing, and properties on the east side of Tarneit Road, between Sayers Road and Hogans Road, Hoppers Crossing.

PANEL REPORTS

- [Colac Otway C97cola](#) Implement the key directions of the Colac 2050 Growth Plan: Planning for Growth 2018.
- [Frankston C127fran](#) Introduce public open space contribution rates for all non-exempt subdivisions.
- [South Gippsland C090sgjp](#) Implementation of the Housing and Settlement Strategy, September 2013.

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