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Submission to Future Melbourne Committee

City of Melbourne, Council Meeting Room, Melbourne Town Hall Administration Building
2 June 2020, 5.30pm – Meeting No.77
Agenda Item 7.1 - Notice of Motion Cr Rohan Leppert Southbank Promenade

Southbank Residents Association is supportive of this motion.

When this project first went to FMC, we were quite vocal with our desire to be consulted, especially with regard to the tree removal and their replacement. We have been engaged by the City regarding this, but to date, owing to Covid-19, we have not been able to facilitate a meeting with council officers and our committee. We are hopeful we will be able to do this sometime in the not too distant future.

In any case, this is a significant development that will impact many stakeholders. We are quite surprised it wasn't available for public comment, via participate Melbourne, as a part of the process. We concur with Cr Leppert's list of stakeholders to invite for submissions. We were a little perplexed that Southbank Residents Association wasn't listed though, however acknowledge that was probably just a small oversight and that Cr Leppert knew that in any case it was a given that we would be part of the conversation.

This is a space that is in need of some serious attention and we look forward to the projects completion and are will to work with the City through the course of the project.

Tony Penna
President
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