

**RESPONSE TO PUBLIC QUESTIONS  
ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL 29 SEPTEMBER 2009**

**Public Question Time – answers to questions taken on notice\***

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**Question regarding whether Council would make specifications for tenders available to the public on the Council website (Gary Voges)**

*In relation to Business Item No. 8.3 on tonight's agenda, Marina Reserve Masterplan, Section 4.5, 'Proposed Consultation' who and what are 'certain groups' and whom are they made up of, and how will the individuals be selected for that group?*

**Answer**

The Public Tender Documents for Consultancy Services (Design) of Marina Reserve Masterplan was advertised in the Age on the 3 October 2009 and is available at Councils website (Tenderlink) which can be accessed at <https://www.tenderlink.com/portphillip/> The Tender closes on the 30 October 2009.

As part of this process a consultation plan will be developed. Note that the Tender, at pages 69-70, includes the list of concerns raised by local residents and it is a requirement of the Tender that these issues as well as any new issues raised are addressed in the design.

The detail of the consultation process has not yet been established and will be worked out with the successful Head Consultant after their appointment.

*\*Note: answers to any questions in Public Question Time which were answered at the meeting are included in the minutes of that meeting.*