

## **Appendix 9a**

## Adjunct to Item 8.1 – Notice of Motions Status update

Letter to the Minister for Planning

## **Ordinary Meeting of Council**

Wednesday 27 October 2021 at 7:00pm

Via Videoconference (Zoom)



Our Ref: QG1720209

mg:jf

4 October 2021

The Hon. Richard Wynne MP Minister for Planning

Via email: <a href="mailto:richard.wynne@parliament.vic.gov.au">richard.wynne@parliament.vic.gov.au</a>

Dear Minister Wynne

## **Victorian Planning Reforms**

At the Ordinary Council meeting held on 22 September 2021, The Borough of Queenscliffe considered a Motion on Notice about the current planning reform process the Victorian Government is undertaking.

The resolution carried by Council included the following action, that Council:

Writes to the Minister for Planning and Shadow Minister of Planning requesting that effective, open and transparent consultation be held with both local governments and local communities on proposed planning reforms before any planning reform decisions are made.

I have enclosed copy of the Motion on Notice number 2021/583.

The Borough of Queenscliffe has an engaged community for whom planning and the preservation of local character are deeply felt issues. As the elected representatives Council would welcome the opportunity to participate in an early discussions about any proposed planning reforms to ensure that the issues of importance for our community are taken into account.

If you would like to discuss any of the matters raised in the Notice of Motion please do not hesitate to contact me <a href="mailto:ross.ebbels@queenscliffe.vic.gov.au">ross.ebbels@queenscliffe.vic.gov.au</a> or 0427 448 160.

Yours sincerely

Cr Ross Ebbels MAYOR