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## Subdivision Application: Main Drive Oaks and other Heritage Trees to be removed from Public Open Space ?

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Dear Ray,

Re: Walker Corporation current Planning Permit and Subdivision Application No. 20070638

I understand Walkers are now proposing to include a large number of the Main Drive Avenue of Heritage Trees, including Oak Trees 136, 134A, 134B, 79, 76, 75, 73, 71, 70, 66, 63, 61, 53, 52, 51, 51A, and 39 in private lots. (See extract of Walkers Application plan attached.)

Is this to be allowed by Heritage Victoria ?

I am particularly surprised by Walkers proposed change, because it appears to be a significant departure from the scheme approved by you in 2005, and yet there has apparently been no correspondence from Walkers to you on this matter.

It would appear clear from the Heritage Permit (inc: Plan HVS3B) that you approved in September 2005 that it was planned for these trees to be included in the Main Drive Public Open Space rather than to be subdivided into private properties.

Your early response would be appreciated.

Regards,

Brian

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### 2 attachments



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