

Request to be heard?: Yes

Precinct: General

Full Name: Linda Jennifer King

Organisation:

Affected property:

Attachment 1:

Attachment 2:

Attachment 3:

Comments: My name is Linda King. I am a resident and owner at Yarra's Edge (YE). The Fisherman's Bend draft framework proposes a tram bridge over the Yarra River at YE. I am opposed to this bridge for the following reasons: 1. I bought my property in YE for the pleasure of overlooking the marina. The proposed tram bridge threatens the viability of the marina as many tall ships and yachts will no longer be able to access it. 2. The tram bridge will take away the only open grassed space in YE and abut the children's playground, threatening their safety. 3. The tram bridge will increase noise and foot traffic in YE and increase vehicle traffic congestion in Lorimer Street, threatening the peaceful lifestyle residents currently enjoy and which was the reason many of us bought our properties here in the first place. 4. The tram bridge will create an enormous visual blot on the current beautiful views YE residents enjoy of uninterrupted views up the river to the Bolte Bridge. 5. The tram bridge has potential to threaten breeding habits of the unique and much loved Nankeen Night Heron which has made its home at YE. 6. The proposed tram bridge will devalue the value of my apartment due to the loss of views, loss of ships in the marina and loss of the little green space we have. For these reasons, I strongly advise the Fishermans Bend Planning Panel to recommend that the draft planning scheme amendment GC81 be opposed, and to seek a more appropriate option to the transport needs of Fishermans Bend. Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the draft framework. I welcome the opportunity to present my submission in person. For further information, please contact me on the number or email provided with this submission. 15 December 2017