

COMMENT INVITED ON DRAFT *ROTTNEST ISLAND* *MANAGEMENT PLAN 2009–2014*

The draft *Rottnest Island Management Plan 2009-2014* (RIMP) has been released for a two-month public consultation period. This is your opportunity to put forward your views for consideration before the draft Plan is finalised.

The Rottnest Island Authority has taken stakeholder and community views into account in framing the policies and initiatives in the draft Plan. Many of the initiatives reflect suggestions put forward during the first stage of consultation between 29 July and 17 September 2008 to identify issues early in preparation of the draft RIMP.

You can view the draft Plan and submit your comments on www.rottnestisland.com.

The draft RIMP can be inspected at the Rottnest Island Authority (E Shed, Victoria Quay, Fremantle), Rottnest Island Museum, State Library (Perth Cultural Centre) and Fremantle City Library. You can purchase a copy from the Rottnest Island Authority for \$20. (The charge is to cover print costs). It can be purchased from the Rottnest Island Gift Shop (in the Settlement) or at the Rottnest Island Authority (E Shed, Victoria Quay, Fremantle) or phone 9432 9300.

A free **‘summary and submission brochure’** is available online or from the places above.

Your comments can be submitted online (preferred), by mail or delivered to the RIA.

Submissions close at 5pm on Tuesday 5 May 2009.

The Rottnest Island Authority will consider all comments before the draft Plan is finalised. A summary of submissions will be published on the Rottnest Island Authority’s website, with an indication of how the Plan was amended or not amended in response to the submissions. However it will not be possible to respond to individual submissions.

I look forward to receiving input from our valued stakeholders.

Yours sincerely

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