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Announcement of New Members

Sullivans Cove Waterfront Authority & Sullivans Cove Design Panel

The Sullivans Cove Waterfront Authority is pleased to announce the appointment of two new members:

Professor Philip Goad is an internationally recognised authority on modern Australian architecture who has worked extensively as an architect, conservation consultant and curator. He is currently Director of the Melbourne School of Design at the University of Melbourne, and has held visiting scholar positions at Columbia University (New York), Bartlett School of Architecture (London) and UCLA (Los Angeles).

Lyn Cox is a former Managing Partner of Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu in Tasmania and is currently President, State Council and National Director of the Australian Institute of Company Directors. Lyn is highly regarded for his work in the areas of governance, assurance and advisory and risk assessment.

The new members replace former Chairman Alan Brooks and Professor Evan Walker who have both recently completed three year terms with the Authority.

Existing Authority member Ian Knop AM, has been appointed Chairman of the Authority.

Ian is the Chairman and Managing Director of Profile Ray and Berndtson and is also Chairman of the Ray and Berndtson Asia Pacific Practice. Ian was Deputy Chairman of Aurora Energy and is a retired Chairperson of the Sydney Ports Corporation. He is a Director of the Export Finance and Insurance Corporation and has been a member of the Austrade Board since 2005.

In other news, Robert McGauran has been appointed Head of the Sullivans Cove Design Panel.

Robert is a prominent national advocate on development of planning policy, urban renewal strategies and urban design. His architectural practice (McGauran Giannini Soon Pty Ltd Architects, Urban Planners and Interior Designers) is especially highly regarded for designing housing, retail and public facilities, including waterfronts,

schools and community hubs. In 1999, Robert was awarded a Life Fellowship to the Royal Australian Institute of Architects for contributions to the profession.

The Design Panel is an expert advisory body whose members have specialist skills in architecture, urban design, planning and heritage. The Design Panel provides advice to the Sullivans Cove Waterfront Authority aimed at attaining the best possible urban design and planning outcomes for Sullivans Cove.

“Alan Brooks, Peter Elliott and Prof Evan Walker have made enormous contributions to the future of Hobart and Sullivans Cove,” said Chief Executive Jeff Gilmore. “I would like to thank them for sharing their expertise and passionate commitment to urban design excellence during the Authority’s inaugural three years. Their input has been tremendously valuable as the Authority goes about its role of protecting, enhancing and developing Sullivans Cove now and into the future”.

About the Sullivans Cove Waterfront Authority

The Sullivans Cove Waterfront Authority is the planning authority responsible for protecting, enhancing and developing Sullivans Cove and surrounding areas. The Authority aims to preserve the unique qualities of the Hobart Waterfront, which defines the identity, vitality and image of the Tasmanian people.