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Boat ramp opponents take fight to city

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The group opposing plans for a new boat ramp and breakwater at Mallacoota are taking their campaign to metropolitan Melbourne.

Map: Mallacoota 3892

The Friends of Bastion Point are advertising in the Melbourne Times calling for the project to be scrapped.

The new works have been approved by the Planning Minister and the East Gippsland Shire and now need approval from the Environment Minister.

A spokesman for the Friends group, Leo op den Brouw, says opponents of the project will make their campaign an election issue.

"It's been a long, hard road in trying to get what we believe are correct decisions and it's made by Government and leading into an election we know that things are going to get pretty tight with some of the inner-city seats and we do have a lot of supporters in the inner-city seats of Melbourne," he said.

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