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ALERT ALERT ALERT – BASTION POINT OCEAN ACCESS EES IS ON EXHIBITION – WRITE A SUBMISSION NOW!

BASTION POINT OCEAN ACCESS ENVIRONMENT EFFECTS STATEMENT ON EXHIBITION

The Bastion Point Ocean Access Environment Effects Statement is now available for public comment.

**The exhibition period is for 6
weeks commencing Mon 4
June 2007.**

**Submissions are due by 5pm,
Mon 16 July 2007.**

HOW TO GET A COPY OF THE EES

You can download a full color electronic copy of the Environment Effects Statement and its supporting documents via the East Gippsland Shire Council website <http://www.egipps.vic.gov.au>.

The Shire will provide you with a free hard copy of the EES Summary Brochure and a free CD ROM of the full EES. You can also buy printed copies of the EES Main Report (\$25), Appendices (\$25) and the Supplementary Reports (\$50) from. You can view printed copies of these documents at selected locations in Mallacoota, Bairnsdale, Traralgon and Melbourne. To order your copies or for further information contact -

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URGENT – WRITE A SUBMISSION NOW!

It is critical that as many people as possible write a submission in objection to the proposed breakwater development. It is the only way your views can be heard!

The Save Bastion Point Campaign has developed a **Submission Writing Kit**. It explains how to make a submission and what the key issues are. Get your copy of the kit from www.savebastionpoint.org.au or contact June Drake on (03) 5158 0504.

SUBMISSION WRITING WORKSHOPS

The Save Bastion Point Campaign will be holding a community meeting in Mallacoota to inform the public about the proposed breakwater and to provide information on writing a submission. All welcome! Bring pen and paper.

Date – Wednesday 13th June 2007

Time – 7pm

Venue – Miva Miva

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER THE EES EXHIBITION PERIOD WHEN WE'VE HANDED IN OUR SUBMISSIONS?

The Minister will establish a small Panel of experts to review the submissions and hold a Panel Inquiry/Hearing in mid to late September. If you wish to give an oral presentation at the Panel Inquiry you must make a submission and in it let them know you wish to be heard.

The Panel will make a recommendation on the proposed development to the Minister for Planning who will then decide whether to approve the development or not.

**Stop this inappropriate
development! Oppose it by
writing a submission NOW!**