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# MEDIA RELEASE

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The Launceston Ratepayers Association supports the residents of Invermay who are opposed to the Launceston City Council's proposal to construct a CONNECTOR ROAD along Forster Street that will join the Northern Outlet Road to a yet-to-be-rezoned Industrial Estate at Mowbray.

The Association calls on Aldermen to defer its consideration of this proposal at its meeting on Monday 29 September and to further consult with the ratepayers and residents of the Municipality.

The Association supports the residents of the Elphin Road area who have been arguing for a bypass of Elphin Road, and in conjunction with the residents of the Glebe area repeats its long-held call for a road that will bypass these important residential areas.

The Association repeats its submission to the LCC Strategic Plan (June 2008) where it sought an inclusion in the Plan :

***2.3 Add an action to incorporate a transport roadway through the Lindsay Street area so as to incorporate the available land due to land acquisition for the flood levee, such east-west connector to extend from the Northern Outlet at the Charles Street Bridge ALONG Lindsay Street and via the Inveresk Precinct land to join up with Henry Street/ Racecourse Crescent and eventually the Elphin Road Bypass to Hoblers Bridge Road.***

For further information contact the Association Secretary, and consult our website.