



Kingborough

Media Release

FUNDING SUCCESS FOR BLACKMANS BAY SKATE PARK

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Council's application for a Tasmanian Community Fund to contribute towards building an extension to the Blackmans Bay skate park has been successful.

A survey was completed by 226 community members, from inside and outside of Kingborough, regarding the proposed extension and future landscaping of the precinct. There were some intricate designs submitted, all of which will be taken into consideration once a designer has been engaged on the project.

The Mayor of Kingborough, Cr Steve Wass thanks everyone who participated in the survey "There was clearly a lot of time and thought dedicated to the submissions," he said. "We would also like to give our thanks to the Rotary Club of Kingston, YMCA and Youth Action Kingborough for their letters of support."

Council is committed to providing appropriate youth recreational facilities in the municipality and will soon be launching a survey for young people in the Electrona and Snug areas for what they would like to see in their area. "Council has reviewed all of the current facilities available to young people throughout Kingborough," said Cr Wass. "This audit identified a lack of recreational equipment for young people in Electrona and Snug and we want to make sure we ask their views, before we proceed with any plans."

Further updates and news on the survey will be published on Council's Facebook page and website.

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