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PO Box 137, Doncaster, Victoria, 3108

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Darren Eckhardt
General Manager
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Dear Mr Eckhardt

Re: Support for the South-East Sports Hub

I write with enthusiasm and unwavering support for the proposed South-East Sports Hub (SESH), on behalf of the Melbourne Chinese Soccer Association. SESH is a project that promises to be a beacon of opportunity and empowerment for our youth and women in sports.

The significance of this endeavour cannot be overstated, SESH will serve as a nucleus for the development of young talent and empowerment of women in sports, fostering a culture of diversity and athleticism. It will unlock the potential, opening doors to new horizons for aspiring athletes in our community.

As a club, we are deeply invested in the world of football (soccer), we understand the transformative power that sports facilities can have on a community.

SESH's vision aligns with the Melbourne Chinese Soccer Association's focus on increasing access to community sport - it not only addresses the pressing need for modern sports infrastructure but also creates a hub for fostering physical activity, teamwork and community engagement. SESH will feature :

- 71 Hectares of new land for community recreation
- Meets immediate needs and forecast growth for the next 25+ years
- \$50M worth of land and works for stage funding from the redevelopment project
- Easy access to Freeway Mornington Peninsula and Eastlink
- 350,000 people live within 10KM
- Similar in size to Casey Fields
- Sustainable and Recycled water supply.

Please accept our endorsement of the proposed SESH. the Melbourne Chinese Soccer Association stands committed to actively engage and contribute to SESH. We firmly believe that the success of SESH will translate into greater social equity in our community.

Thank you for your dedication to enriching our community through sports. Your vision and dedication have not only brought transformative changes but have also inspired countless individuals to strive for excellence in athletics.

Kind Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Andrew Young'.

Andrew Young
Secretary
Melbourne Chinese Soccer Association