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Huon Valley's Land Use and Development Strategy

Huon Valley Council has engaged SGS Economics and Planning to develop the Huon Valley Land Use and Development Strategy (LUDS).

The LUDS will address community expectations of sustainability and maintenance of local character, while establishing where and how housing needs for the growing community will be met.

Once developed, the LUDS will set the strategic direction for future land use in the Huon Valley. It will inform the placement of housing, infrastructure, and employment as Huon Valley grows into the future.

The LUDS will be informed by consultation with the community of the Huon Valley and will be assembled into a strategic Council document with actionable items, policies and tools for implementation.

The LUDS project is underway and community consultation will be taking place to understand the expectations and future needs of the community.

"This is an opportunity for community members to have their say on the future needs of the community. I encourage our community members to engage during the consultation process," said Huon Valley Mayor Sally Doyle.

There are various ways to have your say on the development of the LUDS, including attending one of five local workshops happening in May and June, sending written submissions and completing the online survey.

Workshops will be held in Dover, Geeveston and Cygnet in May, and Huonville and Franklin in June. Visit www.huonvalley.tas.gov.au/consultations/land-use-and-development-strategy/ to respond to the online survey, book your attendance at one of the workshops and find further information on the project.

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