



Sharon Grierson MP
Federal Member for Newcastle

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ASSURANCES WELCOME ON NOBBYS

Federal Member for Newcastle Sharon Grierson today welcomed reports that the Federal Environment Department will assess the proposed Nobbys Headland development.

"Nobbys Lighthouse is an iconic feature of the Newcastle landscape," Ms Grierson said, "and it is rightly on the Commonwealth Heritage List."

"While the development proposed for Nobbys Headland has the potential to enhance community access to and amenity of our heritage site, it is vital that the development is consistent with the heritage values of the place."

"It is appropriate that the Environment Department assess this development against the requirements of Commonwealth legislation for the heritage protection of listed places."

"I look forward to a sensible outcome that moves our City forward while protecting its unique character and history."

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