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WELCOME REVITALISATION FOR THE CITY CENTRE

Federal Member for Newcastle Sharon Grierson has welcomed the release of plans by GPT to revitalise Newcastle's central business district.

"This is a wonderful chance to capture retail, business, tourism and entertainment opportunities for the growing city population," Ms Grierson said.

"For some time the CBD has been a missing link in the revitalisation of our city - and this development has the potential to complement the successful work that has been done in the Honeysuckle precinct."

"This is a great chance cement the area as a regional retail hub."

"It is also a great opportunity to engage in community discussions about how we move forward while remaining true to the heritage values represented in existing buildings."

"I look forward to assisting, with all levels of government, the smooth progress of this development so that its potential is optimised."

"By working together I am confident we can get a great outcome for the city - exploring all the possibilities presented by the plans."

"It is a significant investment in our city - and a mark of confidence in our future."

"I congratulate GPT for its commitment to the project and to Newcastle."

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