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Port of Hastings Corporation

Dear Sir,

Re: Expansion of Port of Hastings:

I am writing to inform you that I cannot support the Port of Hastings expansion for the following reasons.

A fully comprehensive and independent Environmental Effects Study on Westernport Bay and surrounding Coastlines has not been undertaken. This Study should have been done and the results published for Public viewing as a precursor to the Port of Hastings Land Use and Transport Strategy Consultation Draft September 2006. There is no use shutting the gate after the horse has bolted.

Man can erect a building, Roadway or Rail Line in the wrong place and replace it, but when man stuffs up a bay, the future outcome is only in the hands of mother nature.

Totally opposed the development of the Port of Hastings.

Janet Vagg