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Department of Planning, Industry and Environment
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Date: / / 11/120/9

RE: Draft Master Plan of Iron Gates Residential Release - Evans Head Subdivision of Land to Create 175 Residential Lots - Goldcoral Pty Ltd

We wish to advise that we fully support the Iron Gates Residential Development. We have been in discussion with the Developer and have thoroughly checked the site with their Archaeologist.

We wish to advise that the Developer is respecting our cultural heritage and in particular preserving a midden as required by us.

Kind Regards,

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## PUBLIC STATEMENT Support For Vantage At Evans

The Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation, which manages the Native Title Rights and Interests for the Bandjalang people and protects and promotes Bandjalang culture and heritage, supports the Vantage at Evans housing development, previously known as Iron Gates.

Directors from the Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation have held extensive consultations with the developer and inspections of the site over a period spanning years.

Members of the Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation have also met with and have had extensive consultations with an archaeologist who was examining the site on behalf of the developer.

The Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation believes that the plans for the Vantage at Evans project will help protect and promote our culture and heritage. The Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation notes that the site to our knowledge has never been identified as a ceremonial site, a massacre site or a site of tribal graves.

The Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation applauds the developer Goldcoral and its director Graeme Ingles for the level of consultation they have undertaken in relation to this project.

The Bandjalang Aboriginal Corporation recommends that other developers follow their example.

