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GORCC to manage the Anglesea Beachfront Caravan Park in 2017

The Great Ocean Road Coast Committee will take on the operation of the Anglesea Beachfront Caravan Park at the end of the current lease, 1 December 2017, after a select tender process did not find an acceptable proposal for the value of the site.

GORCC Chief Executive Officer Richard Davies said the Great Ocean Road Coast Committee will continue to ensure the best possible visitor experience at the park, protect the coastal environment and maintain its responsibility for ensuring the effective management on behalf of the Victorian Government, the community and visitors.

“GORCC will commence a comprehensive stakeholder engagement process, including a master plan for the park,” said Mr Davies. “We will work closely with the community to ensure the future directions for the park and investment in the park and environment are in accordance with community, camper and visitor expectations.”

Mr Davies said the committee was committed to maintaining the site at current standards.

“At the time of change of management no current guests, campers and permit holders will be disadvantaged by the change,” said Mr Davies.

“The Great Ocean Road Coast Committee is a not-for profit organisation. Funds generated through park operations will be going back into improvements at the park and to progress other coastal management projects such as improvements to the Queens Park Caravan Park and development of the Point Grey project, as well as supporting and expanding our infrastructure, education programs and environmental protection works.”

Mr Davies said the committee extended its thanks to the existing lessees Errol and Trish Morris for managing the park during the current lease period.

To receive updates about the Anglesea Beachfront Caravan Park visit: www.gorcc.com.au.

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