

MELBOURNE MARKET AUTHORITY

MARKET CIRCULAR NO: 597

Date: 9th January 2014

TO: All Fruit & Vegetable Stand Holders at the Melbourne Market.

EPPING MARKET TOUR OF TRADING STANDS AREA

Following consultation with the Growers Advisory Committee and the release of the Expression of Interest (EOI) for Epping Fruit and Vegetable Stands, it is proposed to offer the following dates and times for visits to the new Epping market:

- 1. Saturday 18 January 2014, 10.00am 12.00pm;
- 2. Tuesday 21 January 2014, 10.00am 12.00pm; and
- 3. Thursday 23 January 2014, 10.00am 12.00pm.

The visits will be in the form of an escorted group tour, led by the MMA. A briefing will be held prior to the visit at 10.00am sharp.

All stand holders who are presently considering the EOI form are encouraged to make a visit to see the new trading floor area. Prior to the first visit, maps of the Epping market and the trading stands area will be made available by the MMA.

How to register

<u>Bookings are essential.</u> In order to confirm a place for one of the allocated times listed above, stand holders should telephone the Melbourne Market Authority (MMA) reception on (03) 9258 6100 or visit the MMA administration building.

You need to register your attendance a minimum of two days before the date of visit.

Getting there

Stand holders will be required to make their own travel arrangements to Epping. You can enter the Market via the Cooper Street and Gateway Boulevard intersection where you will proceed directly to the Administration Car Park (approx. 100m in front of the Administration Building). Please note this is before you get to the Gate 1 boom gates. Should you be travelling in a heavy vehicle, please notify the MMA of this at the time of booking.

Please note that the above dates and times are subject to stand holder interest.

Clothing

All visitors to the Epping site are required to wear appropriate closed toe shoes and a safety vest.

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