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From: Moira Deeming
Sent: Monday, 29 November 2021 1:39 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Link to survey

Hi Sean,

I think it's great. I've just got a few minor suggestions to reduce the word count on the front page if you don't mind.

My suggested version is:

In Victoria, sex work is only legal if it takes place within certain areas, such as industrial precincts, (Sex Work Act 1994).

The Victorian Government, through the Sex Work Decriminalisation Bill, is seeking to expand where sex work can legally operate. Under the changes, sex work will be allowed to operate on public streets, in residential, retail and commercial areas.

Council holds concerns that the proposed changes will negatively impact the community, especially businesses, families and children.

Council is also concerned that the proposals will not achieve the worthy goal of increased safety for sex workers and will instead result in reduced police, health and counselling resources for sex workers.

Council is of the view that the Government's consultation process for these proposed changes was insufficient. Whilst Council has no authority in relation to this issue, we believe it is our duty to make sure the voice of our community is heard and so we are inviting you to complete a brief survey.

Thanks so much for all your hard work on this,

Kind regards,

Cr Moira Deeming

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Hi Moira

Thanks for the chat on Friday. Following your feedback we have adjusted the community survey accordingly.

Here is the link to the survey on the City of Melton conversations page.

<https://conversations.melton.vic.gov.au/sexworksurvey>

As the page is yet to be published, you will need to login with the relevant user details below:

Username: [redacted]
PW: [redacted]

Trust that this reflects the changes as discussed.

If you could let me know if you have any changes by the end of the day, that would be appreciated. Happy to receive feedback via email, phone or a meeting if you prefer.

Fact Sheet is also attached. We will send this to Councillors with a link to the survey once it goes live.

Regards

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