

Philip Dalidakis MP

Member of the Victorian Legislative Council for Southern Metropolitan



"I am passionate about providing **opportunity for all** and ensuring that our society provides not just a safety net but a **springboard to life.**"

Wednesday March 23 2016

From Colt 45s to Café Latte: Caulfield rifle range is history

Work to transform and revitalise the former Caulfield City Rifle Club into a new restaurant and bar has begun.

Local Member Philip Dalidakis welcomed the start of the project, which involves reconstructing the building at the rear of the site and restoring the iconic red brick building on Glenhuntly Road.

External ramps will be installed to improve access for people in wheelchairs and parents with prams, and a large external deck will provide outdoor seating neatly integrated with the adjacent Elsternwick Plaza Park.

The \$2 million project is being led by Victorian rail asset owner VicTrack on behalf of the Victorian Government.

Construction is expected to be complete by September this year, with the new bar and café to open soon after.

This property project follows and complements the City of Glen Eira's recent redevelopment and upgrade the adjacent Elsternwick Plaza Park.

Quotes attributable to Member for Southern Metropolitan, Philip Dalidakis

"It's great to see this wonderful project underway, which will transform this disused space into a buzzing local restaurant and bar on the doorstep of station."

"The project will bring more visitors and life to the busy Glenhuntly Road shopping strip, and I'm looking forward to having a meal and drink here later in the year when works are finished."

Quotes attributable to the Glenhuntly Rifle Pty Ltd Executive Director Richie Ludbrook and Dave Sharry

"The project will create an iconic Melbourne licensed indoor/outdoor food and beverage establishment that will increase the overall use of the Elsternwick Plaza Park and one that the community will be proud of."

"The business will operate seven days a week as an indoor/outdoor café and bar with a carefully considered Indochine food and beverage offering."

Media contact: Hugo Kelly M: 0417 290467



Jobs



Education





Public Housing



Disability Access



PO Box 260, Bentleigh, VIC 3204
281 Centre Road, Bentleigh, VIC 3204

 (03) 9557 1500
 (03) 9557 1522

 philip.dalidakis@parliament.vic.gov.au
 philipdalidakis.com.au
 /PhilipDalidakisMP
 @philipdalidakis