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JARRAHDALE WA 6124.

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Paul Martin - CEO - Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale.

Hi Paul,

The Jarrahdale Community Collective has been approached by local residents to explore new, exciting, inclusive and interactive activities in and around Jarrahdale, which look to provide economic benefits to the town and surrounding areas of Serpentine Jarrahdale, whilst acknowledging the shared history of the area.

One such suggestion is to use the old Alcoa Railway Line, the JCC has setup a steering committee to explore this concept for the possible establishment of A Rail Bike Trail utilising a section of this line located close to the Jarrahdale Township. The JCC having secured funds for a feasibility study into this project, having recently engaged Bluesalt Consulting to conduct the study, with initial discussions already taken place the feasibility study is set to commence shortly.

This is not only is an imaginative use of the abandoned line, the area is well suited for this purpose as it will provide further opportunities for families to exercise while exploring the forest and learning a little of its history.

The JCC is looking for in principle support from the Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale to support and promote this project as it moves through its various stages from an idea to a reality.

Please note this is not a request for funding, there is no expectation of an approach to the shire for funding as we are confident funding can be secured elsewhere should the feasibility study produce a positive result.

Please see attached map of the proposed area, the environmental assessment and letters of support from PTA & Jarrahdale Heritage Society

With Regards

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