

# Chapter A6

# Stakeholder

# Engagement



## Summary of key findings:

Melbourne Airport is actively engaging with a broad range of community, industry, and government, regulatory and other stakeholders on the third runway (M3R).

Engagement activities occurred prior to public exhibition of this Major Development Plan (MDP); will continue throughout the formal public exhibition period; and then, subject to approval of the MDP, beyond the approval, construction and opening of the new runway.

Consultation has occurred, and continues to occur, across a broad geographic area to increase awareness with affected communities.

A dedicated engagement website ([melbourneairport.com.au](http://melbourneairport.com.au)) has been established to encourage two-way communication between Melbourne Airport and the community.

It is part of an engagement strategy employing multiple channels to make community participation easier and increase awareness of Melbourne Airport project developments. It complements traditional channels such as the community phone line and email.

These multiple channels include project briefings, public displays, listening posts, community forums, and conversations with the community via a bespoke virtual engagement hub.

Detailed community and stakeholder engagement on the final flight paths and airspace design will occur after MDP approval.

The community can provide formal feedback during the MDP's public exhibition period.