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## Public comment sought on marina

THE public is invited to have its say on a proposal by Rosewood Grove to develop the Port Rockingham jetty and marina facility at the beach end of Wanliss Street in Rockingham.

The proponent is encouraging public comment on the proposal and on an environmental review being carried out in conjunction with the Environmental Protection Authority.

The proposal involves developing an open-pile construction pier extending north from the shore for about 200m, and breakwater extending north-east for about 550m parallel with the shore.

The facility would house a maximum of 500 boat pens using piled finger jetties and floating pontoons.

Public access to the boat pens would be from the pier and the breakwater is expected

to accommodate a retail precinct of about 4000sqm, along with charter boat access and refuelling, and public use for refuelling and sullage facilities.

The breakwater has been designed to protect the marina and boats from storm activity from north-westerly winds and winter storms.

It will also provide a public fishing platform.

For more details on the project, visit [www.portrockingham.com.au](http://www.portrockingham.com.au) or call 1800 467 733.

Public meetings on the proposal will be held at the Cruising Yacht Club of WA in Val Street, Rockingham.

The meetings will begin on Sunday, February 17, at 11am, and on Wednesday, February 20, at 7pm.



**An artist's impression of the proposed marina.**