Dear stakeholder,

Please see below information regarding planned works and redevelopment of the Richardson Park site.

The Minister for Tourism, Sport and Culture, Lauren Moss recently made the decision not to permanently declare Richardson Park as a heritage place, in accordance with section 32 of the Heritage Act 2011.

The first stage of works, on the redevelopment of Richardson Park, transforming it into an open community training space will commence in the coming months.

The works include an upgraded playing field, and amenities block. A new road near the site will also be constructed to facilitate safer and efficient access to Ludmilla Primary School.

Environmental testing will be carried out on areas of the site from Wednesday 13 May 2020.

As part of the environmental testing, non-destructive sampling from outer buildings and concrete stockpiles on the site will be taken for testing for a range of materials, including asbestos.

A medium size excavator will be on site to move concrete stockpile to allow consultants to collect samples.

Should you have any questions or concerns about the works, please contact the Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics, Graeme Finch on 08 8924 7361 or email graeme.finch@nt.gov.au

For more information on Richardson Park go to: www.dipl.nt.gov.au