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National Trust of Queensland announces

North Bank Public Forum

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The National Trust of Queensland is holding a Public Forum to give Trust members and supporters the chance to take part in the review of the North Bank project.

The Trust's Public Forum, which is being held before the Enquiry by Design process announced by the Premier, will allow the Trust to collate a broad range of community comments and suggestions and take them to government.

President of the National Trust of Queensland, John Jackson, said "The Trust is very pleased to be involved in the North Bank Enquiry by Design and the Public Forum is a way of giving the community an opportunity to have input into the government's workshop."

The Trust is inviting a range of speakers, experts in their fields of history, architecture, engineering and planning, to the Forum to discuss key issues and stimulate debate.

"The response to the Trust's petition shows there are many individuals and organisations that are very concerned about North Bank. There are some very serious engineering and environmental issues that won't be fixed by minor adjustments. Please come to the Forum and have your say." said Dr Jackson.

The Trust's petition of over 3,000 signatures, which opposes the North Bank development, has been delivered to the Premier's office this week.

What: North Bank Public Forum – to discuss the review of North Bank project

When: Friday 13th June - 3.30 to 6.30pm

Where: Owen J Wordsworth Room, S Block, QUT Gardens Point, Campus Brisbane City Centre.

How Much: Free (Donations accepted)

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