



## THE GOVERNMENT OF NORFOLK ISLAND

### MEDIA RELEASE

#### **Disposal of Builders' Waste and Green Waste**

Norfolk Island Minister for the Environment, Education and Social Welfare, Vicky Jack, said today that additional arrangements have been put in place for the disposal of builders' waste during the temporary moratorium on acceptance of builders' waste by the Waste Management Centre.

Mrs Jack said that, following further discussions with the industry, two more local trade representatives have agreed to assist in the disposal of builders' waste. John Christian-Bailey and Mal Tarrant have been added to the list of tradespeople who will co-ordinate with other businesses for the disposal of builders' or trade waste.

Tradesmen requiring assistance with the disposal of trade waste should contact one of the following builders who will co-ordinate the disposal:

John Christian-Bailey  
Steve Ford  
Brendon Gardner  
Trevor Gow

Brandt McRichie  
Dennis Sterling  
Peter Swynenburg  
Mal Tarrant

The Minister said that she has asked the Administration of Norfolk Island to open up one of two sites which it owns to the public for green waste delivery. She said that there are some logistical and planning issues to resolve at either site, but she hopes to announce a temporary site for green waste disposal in the near future.

"I am grateful for the patience and co-operation of the community in assisting us to eliminate Argentine Ants from the Waste Management Centre precinct", Mrs Jack said. "The special measures regarding builders' and green waste are a temporary inconvenience while we work to remove this damaging insect pest".

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