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## **Overwhelming support for Derwent River Ferry shows why Government must act now**

The RACT has been calling for the State Government to deliver on its election commitment and deliver a Derwent River Ferry service to ease congestion and stimulate the economy.

Earlier this week, RACT launched a Facebook poll and called for people to have their say.

RACT's Executive General Manager, Membership and Community, Stacey Pennicott, said that the poll showed there was massive support for the ferry.

"More than 86 per cent of people supported a Derwent River Ferry, with less than eight per cent opposed," Ms Pennicott said.

"The community supports it, the Government promised it and now is the time to deliver it.

"Not only would it help reduce congestion, it would help reinvigorate Bellerive Quay and provide opportunities for businesses on either side of the River. It needs to be part of the COVID-19 infrastructure solution that the Government will announce when Parliament resumes next week."