To: The Lord Mayor, Councillor Graham Quirk.

From:

Re: Draft Land Management Plan for Mt Coot-tha.

Dear Cr Quirk,

I am writing to you about the draft Land Management Plan that Brisbane City Council (BCC) must prepare in seeking permission from the Qld Government to issue a trustee lease for a secondary use over part of the Mt Coot-tha Trust Lands, for a privately owned megazipline adventure tourism development on Mt Coot-tha.

As yet we have heard nothing from you about the development of the draft Plan. My questions below relate to the requirement under the Land Act (1994) for community participation in the planning process through various forms of community consultation:

1. What will be the composition of the working group to draft the Plan, what is the process for selecting community stakeholder representatives for the working group how many community representatives will be included in the working group?
2. Will public meetings be held to canvass and discuss the content of the draft Plan prior to its drafting?
3. What detail of studies will be requested to assess the social, ecological, heritage and economic impacts of the proposed development, to be included in the draft Plan?
4. When and how is the draft Plan to be advertised and for how long will it be made available for public scrutiny and comment?

I look forward to your response to these questions.

Yours faithfully,