

Williamtown <u>Air Force Base Redevelopment</u>

New public works at the Williamtown RAAF Base near Newcastle are being inquired into by federal parliament's Public Works Committee. Worth an estimated \$149 million, Stage 1 of the RAAF Base redevelopment will support the Airborne Early Warning and Control aircraft at Williamtown.

If you have any comments to make on Stage 1 of the redevelopment, including its need, cost and value for money, please write by 27 July 2002 to:

The Secretary Public Works Committee Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600 Phone: (02) 6277 4636 Fax: (02) 6277 4426 Email: jcpw@aph.gov.au The project submission from the Department of Defence and more information is available from the committee's web site at www.aph.gov.au/house/committee/pwc or from the committee secretariat.

Please note that the Public Works Committee is neither involved in tendering processes nor in the awarding of contracts. Inquiries on those matters should be addressed to Lieutenant Colonel Darren Naumann, Project Director, Capital Infrastructure Branch, Department of Defence, R4-2-059, CANBERRA ACT 2600, telephone: (02) 6265 7681.