



National Karting Development Centre: Driving Australia's Motorsport Future

A bold vision for the future of Australian motorsport has been unveiled with the announcement of the National Karting Development Centre (NKDC) on the Gold Coast.

Located at Lot 2, Litchfield Lane, Pimpama (formerly Xtreme Karting), the NKDC will combine world-class karting facilities with education, training, and competition programs designed to develop the next generation of Australian drivers.

The Centre will feature purpose-built tracks, professional driver training, school-based road safety initiatives, and the ability to host state and national competitions. Its design is focused on creating a safe, sustainable, and accessible environment where young drivers can learn, compete, and grow into elite-level talent, all while engaging the local community.

To bring this vision to life, the project is seeking endorsement for the project via the Ministerial Infrastructure Designation (MID) process, an assessment framework that facilitates delivery of community infrastructure. The MID ensures rigorous planning, environmental, and traffic assessments, with a focus on stakeholder engagement through various stages of the assessment process.

"The NKDC is more than a motorsport facility - it's a pathway for Australian talent and a hub for community engagement," said Project Director Sera Rohan.

"Through the MID process, we can ensure the facility meets the highest standards and delivers long-term benefits for the Gold Coast, both on and off the track."

The NKDC is expected to generate local employment opportunities, boost grassroots motorsport, and position the Gold Coast as a premier destination for national and international karting events.

Community support for the project is currently being sought through an online survey and engagement process that is currently underway.

For more information or to provide feedback, visit nationalkartingdevelopment.com.au