**2017 Farm Planning Courses Expression of Interest Form.**

Agriculture Victoria staff are seeking expressions of interest from landholders to participate in whole farm planning courses. Courses are held where a group of landholders can be formed in a specific geographic location or have similar property characteristics (such as size and primary land use). We are seeking interest from landholders to assist with planning course type and location for 2017. Courses require a minimum number of participants to run. Courses usually include five sessions that are held during business hours. There is a cost associated with participating in the course, which covers expenses such as course materials and aerial photos (this would not exceed $300). Filling out this form does not commit you to attend a course, although it will be considered a genuine interest to attend. For more information contact Kylie Macreadie at Agriculture Victoria on (02) 60437 900 or email kylie.macraedie@ecodev.vic.gov.au

**Contact Details**

First Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Last Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( )\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Mobile:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Farm Size (Ha):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Year property purchased\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(*please provide one only of land parcel, lot plan number or PIC*)

Land Parcel\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Or Lot Plan Number\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Or PIC \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Farm Address**

Farm Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number and Street:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Town/Suburb:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Postal Address**

Same as Property Address 🞏

Number and Street:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Property Information**

*(please tick one or more)*

Primary use of the property:

 🞏 Beef 🞏 Sheep 🞏 Grains

 🞏 Horticulture 🞏 Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 🞏 Lifestyle

Number of livestock (All Species):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of: 🞏 BetterBeef Networks 🞏 Bestwool/Bestlamb 🞏 Landcare

 Please turn over

The sentence that best describes the course I would be interested in attending is (*please select one*):

🞏 I have a lifestyle property and I would like to know more about how to manage my property and my responsibilities as a landholder.

🞏 I would like to better understand my soils, water, biodiversity, land degradation and principles of whole property management through developing a farm plan.

🞏 I have completed a farm plan and would like to review what I have achieved and update my plan.

🞏 I would like to further build on my skills as a landholder and develop a plan that address farm risk management and resilience.

Identify three topics that you would like to develop more skills and knowledge in to improve your property management.

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2,

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Any other comments or suggestions……

Please return this form to:

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