

MINISTRY OF FINANCE, STRATEGIC PLANNING, NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND STATISTICS

MEDIA RELEASE 2

PUBLIC CONSULTATIONS ON FIJI'S NEW NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The Ministry of Finance, Strategic Planning, National Development and Statistics ('Ministry') is currently formulating a new national development plan (NDP) for Fiji. The new NDP will cover the 3-year, 5-year and a 20-year plan for Fiji.

The Coalition Government aims to launch a comprehensive National Development Plan by mid this year that will result in fostering lasting national unity and shared vision as well as social, economic and political advancement of our nation. The new National Development Plan will facilitate practical solutions to the social and economic sector that the Coalition government will implement to ensure Fiji's lasting progress.

The full consultation schedule is available on the Ministry's website www.finance.gov.fj.

The upcoming consultations venues from Wednesday to Saturday, 14 to 17 February 2024 is attached as **Annex 1** below.

Members of the public, non-government organisations, civil society organisations, communities and other stakeholders are invited to attend the Public Consultations in their respective areas.

Fijians can also make written submissions which can be posted, hand-delivered or e-mailed by 22 March 2024 to the following addresses:

Postal Delivery	Hand Delivery	E-mail
"New National	"New National Development	Subject: "New National Development
Development Plan"	Plan"	Plan"
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Strategic Planning, National	Development & Statistics	
Development & Statistics	Level 3, Ro Lalabalavu House	
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Annex 1

Nationwide Consultations – New National Development Plan 14 to 17 February 2024

Central Division

Date	Time	Province	Locality (Area/Tikina)	Areas Covered	Venue
	8:30am - 10:30am	Rewa	Beqa	Lalati Village, Raviravi Village, Nawaisomo Village	Nawaisomo Village Hall
4.4/00/0004	11:30am - 1:30pm	Rewa	Beqa	Dakuni, Soliyaga, Dakuibeqa Village	Dakuibeqa Village Hall
14/02/2024	2:30pm - 4:30pm	Serua	Serua	Yanuca Island	Yanuca Island Village Hall
	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Serua	Serua (Deuba- commercial)	Makosoi Village- Pacific Harbour	Makosoi Village Hall
	9:00am - 11:00am	Serua	Serua Rural	Masi, Waibogi, Naimasimasi, Nuku, Namuamua, Wainadiro Village, Melita Settlement	Nuku Secondary School
15/02/2024	12:00pm - 2:00pm Serua Serua Rural	Serua Rural	Dranikula Village, Galoa Village, Nasagisagilaca Village, Culanuku Village, Tubarua Village, Lomary Secondary School, Nearby Settlements	Galoa Village Hall	
	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Serua	Serua Rural	Ratu Latianara High School , Korovisilou, Nearby settlements	Ratu Latianara High School
	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Serua	Serua Rural	Naboutini Village, , Nearby Settlements	Naboutini Village Hall
16/02/2024	Traines Traines	Namosi	Naqarawai Village, Wainimakutu Village, Wainimakutu Secondary School, Naraiyawa Village	Wainimakutu Village Hall	
	12:00pm - 2:00pm	Namosi	Namosi	Namosi Village, Navunibau Village, Nasigatoka Village	Namosi Village Hall

Date	Time	Province	Locality (Area/Tikina)	Areas Covered	Venue
	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Namosi	Namosi	Wainiyavu Village, Navunikabi Village, Wainilotulevu Village, Saliadrau Village	Nakavika Village Hall
	6:00pm - 8:00pm	Namosi	Namosi	Nasavu Village, Sadro Village, Sauniveiuto Village ,Vunibau Village	Vunibau Village Hall
	9:00am - 11:00am	Namosi	Namosi	Navua Area	Vashist Muni College Hall
	12:00pm - 2:00pm	Namosi	Namosi	Veivatuloa Village, Mau Village, Lobau Village, Ro Camaisala Primary School, Nearby Settlements	Ratu Simione Matanitobua College
17/02/2024	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Namosi	Namosi	Wainadoi Settlement, Kasanaura Village, Vunisoco Village, Naqara Settlement, Nearby Settlements	Wainadoi Settlement Hall
	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Namosi	Namosi	Veisari Areas	Chauhan Memorial Primary School

Western Division

Date	Time	Province	Locality (Area/Tikina)	Areas Covered	Venue
	10:00am - 11:00am	Nadroga	Malomalo	Malomalo Village, Naidiri Village, Nahoho Village, Sanasana Village	Malomalo Village
14/02/2024	12:00pm - 1:00pm	Nadroga	Semo/Tuva	Semo Village, Nabau Village	Semo Village
14/02/2024	7:00pm - 8:00pm	Nadroga	Conua/ Mavua	Olosara Settlement	Andhra Primary School - Olosara
		Nadroga	Nokonoko/ Bemana	Kavanagasau Area	Kavanagasau Primary School
	10:00am - 11:00am	Nadroga	Vatulele Island	Ekubu Village, Taunovo Village	Vatulele Island - Ekubu Village
15/02/2024	11.30am - 12.30pm	Nadroga	Vatulele Island	Lomanikaya Village, Bouwaqa Village	Vatulele Island - Lomanikaya Village
	7:00pm - 8:00pm	Nadroga	Kabisi/Tuva	Maro Village, Kabisi Village, Natadola Area	Tuva Primary School

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		Nadroga	Wai/Tuva	Lomawai Village, Ciriwai Settlement, Tau Village, Namata Village	Lomawai Secondary School
16/02/2024	10:00am - 11:00am	Navosa	Nasikawa	Matokana Village	Matokana Community Hall
10/02/2024	2:00pm - 3:00pm	Navosa	Bemana	Nalebaleba Village, Bemana Village	Nalebaleba Community Hall

Northern Division

Date	Time	Province	Locality (Area/Tikina)	Areas Covered	Meeting Venues
15/02/2024	9:00am - 11:00am	Bua	Vuya	Nabouwalu Government Station, Nabouwalu Village, Waisala, Namau Fijian, Sautalo, Natouvaga, Nabouwalu AOG Camp compound, Namulomulo, Raralevu, Manadi Settlement	Naulumatua House
15/02/2024	12.00pm - 2.00pm	Bua	Vuya	Navave Village, Vuya Village, Lakeba, Navave, Vuira, Natewa, Nanuku, Lomate, Matakilawa, Nasauto, Sigana, Koroqele	Vuya Village Hall
15/02/2024	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Bua	Solevu	Nacavaga Village, Makolei Village, Nabau, Nawaido Village, Nukubalavu, Volivoli, Solevu Junior Secondary School, Nasikeci, Ucuniseva, Naivivau, Fatima, Taicake, Rara	Immaculate Conception School
16/02/2024	9:00am - 11:00am	Bua	Wainunu	Kilaka Village, Nakorovou Village, Nadivakarua Village, Nearby Settlement	Nakorovou Village Hall
16/02/2024	12.00pm - 2.00pm	Bua	Bua	Waisa village, Nasasaivuya Village, Natokalau Village	Nasaisaivua Community Hall
16/02/2024	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Bua	Kubulau	Nakayaga, Raviravi Village, Namalata Village, Namalata Goverment Station, Kubulau District School, Raviravi AOG, Navatu Village, Kiobo Village, Namena Island	Namalata Village Hall
17/02/2024	10.00am - 12.00pm	Bua	Wainunu	Wailoaloa Forestry, Cogea Village, Navakasali village, Nadua Village, Nawaisomo settlement, Rabenaivalu Primary School and nearby settlement	Nawaisomo Village Hall

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17/02/2024	10:00am - 12:00pm	Bua	Wainunu	Vunivutu, Lagi, Navatui, Daria Government Quarters, Ratu Luke Memorial School, Waisevu, Korotiki Village, Daria Village, Nabevu, Sydney Land, Naniudrau, Muanicula, Cicia,	Ratu Luke Memorial High School

Eastern Division

Date	Time	Province	Locality (Area/Tikina)	Areas Covered	Venue
			Lomaiviti		
	9:30am - 12:00pm		Ovalau	Rukuruku, Viro, Tavia, Arovudi	Rukuruku Village Hall
	1:00pm - 3:30pm	n Lomaiviti m		Nauouo Village and nearby residents, Vuma, Toki, Vatukalo, Cawaci Secondary School	Vuma Village Hall
14/02/2024	4:00pm - 7:00pm			Vagadaci Village – Wailailai Village, Raratabu Government Station, Waitovu Village	Levuka Village Hall
				Baba Settlement, Delana Compound, Levuka Town	Levuka Town Hall
				Nasaga, Wainaloka, Naiviteitei, Navuloa	Bureta Village Hall
15/02/2024	9:30am - 12:00 pm			Lovoni Village, Tukuta Village, Wainiveli Settlement, Nasaumatua	Lovoni Village Hall
	1:00pm - 3:30pm			Nukutocia Village, Visoto Village, Nacobo	Visoto Village Hall

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				Naikorokoro Village, Nasinu Village, Tokou Village	Tokou Village Hall
	4:00pm - 7:00pm			Natokalau Village, Draiba Village, Draiba Housing, Draiba Prison Compound, Nasova, PAFCO Quarters	Lomaiviti Provincial Council Hall
16/02/2024	9:30am - 12:00 pm		Moturiki	Nasesara Village, Savuna Village, Naicabecabe Village, Nasauvuki Village, Navuti Village	Nasauvuki Village School
				Wawa Village, Niubasaga Village	Uluibau Village School