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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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# **Huon Valley Council appoints contractor to Dover Medical Centre expansion**

Macquarie Builders have been appointed to undertake the works for the Dover Medical Centre expansion project, which is planned to commence on 29 May 2023.

After no submissions were received for the call for tenders in January 2023, Macquarie Builders eagerly stepped in.

“Macquarie Builders are passionate about supporting rural development and we look forward to working with them on this project,” said Acting Huon Valley Mayor Toby Thorpe.

Phase 1 of the expansion project involves converting the current Community Room into 3 consulting rooms and a new reception. A temporary reception desk will also be constructed to allow for service retention during Phase 2.

Phase 2 will include the construction of new toilet facilities, waiting area, reception and office spaces.

“Phasing the project will allow for operations to continue while works are underway.”

Macquarie Builders expect to have all works complete by the end of 2023. This will provide additional capacity and expanded medical services capability for the Dover region.

Macquarie Builders come with experience in building health care centres, having recently complete the Kingston Health Centre in Kingborough and currently constructing Brighton Regional Doctor’s Clinic.

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