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PHHWV is a non-profit, charitable organisation committed to providing hope for Victorian equines through education, rehabilitation and advocacy.

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A NEW FACE FOR HORSE WELFARE

Response to neglected horses by Project Hope, the state's oldest equine welfare and protection organisation, will continue from May 2010 under new administration.

A new committee of longstanding PHHWV members and previous office bearers has taken an interim role until the annual general meeting. This follows a decision by the existing committee to stand down to resolve protracted differences in administrative and governance issues. The annual meeting to be held on 23 July will elect a committee for 2010-2011.

Since 1973 Project Hope has assisted hundreds of neglected horses and offered advice to thousands of owners. An experienced organisation to respond to these needs is as vital as ever. Project Hope also educates the community on the plight of neglected horses and encourages improved legislation in this area.

Horse welfare reports continue to roll in to the PHHWV number 1300 881 606. Donations of medicines and horse equipment and financial donations will be welcomed as winter approaches.

Sue Kirkegard, the interim President said "We thank members and supporters for their personal efforts to improve horse welfare and to support dedicated committee members of Project Hope over many years. We invite members to be involved, ask questions and make suggestions, and invite everyone to attend the agm on 23 July."

The website www.phhvw.org.au has details of the new committee and contacts for horse reports, membership and donations.