

Resolution of Council

14 May 2018

Item 12.6

Rubbish Audit of the Local Government Area

Moved by Councillor Phelps, seconded by Councillor Vithoukias -

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council note an increase in reports of rubbish and waste left in public areas around the City of Sydney; and
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to conduct a rubbish audit of suburbs across the local government area to determine 'hot spots' where additional pick-ups and education campaigns may be required.

The above motion was not carried. The resolution as follows was carried.

It is resolved that Council note:

- (A) an increase in reports of rubbish left in public areas around the City of Sydney;
- (B) the City's Cleansing and Waste and Rangers Units work collaboratively in responding to and investigating illegal dumping;
- (C) areas in which there is continual dumping are added to a hotspot list and inspected regularly by Rangers and Cleansing and Waste staff which may include conducting surveillance; and
- (D) the City's Waste Education Team supports these actions by:
 - (i) providing educational letters and brochures to households (within a block, street or hotspot area) informing residents about the booked clean-up service and the applicable fine for illegal dumping;

- (ii) liaising with building managers and cleaners in multi-unit dwellings to ensure they are informed of and use the booked clean-up service for bulky waste;
- (iii) providing booked clean-up service posters and brochures on request for display in apartment blocks; and
- (iv) delivering City-wide campaigns, such as "Want-a-tip" to inform and educate residents of available services.

Carried unanimously.