

27 July 2020

At 5.00 pm

Council

Agenda

- 1. Confirmation of Minutes
- 2. Disclosures of Interest
- 3. Minutes by the Lord Mayor
 - 3.1 Ministers' Awards for Women in Local Government
- 4. Memoranda by the Chief Executive Officer
 - 4.1 Local Government NSW Annual Conference 2020 Nomination of Delegates
 - 4.2 Rescinding of the Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007
- 5. Matters for Tabling
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Healthy Communities Sub-Committee

- 7.3 Accommodation Grant Program Annual Performance Review and Lease Renewals 2020
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- 8.2 Low Rise Housing Diversity Code Consultation Outcomes
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- 8.4 Public Exhibition Planning Proposal 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters
 Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 Amendment and Draft
 Sydney Development Control Plan 2012
- 8.5 Public Exhibition Planning Proposal 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 Amendment and Draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012
- 8.6 Fire Safety Reports
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 - 11.4 Metro Theatre Kings Cross
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 - 11.6 Pop-Up Cycleways Consultation
 - 11.7 Enabling More Bicycle Parking in Existing Residential Developments
 - 11.8 Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust
 - 11.9 Supporting Youth Employment
 - 11.10 Forest Lodge Creek Mural

Item 1

Confirmation of Minutes

Minutes of the following meeting of Council are submitted for confirmation:

Meeting of 29 June 2020

Item 2

Disclosures of Interest

Pursuant to the provisions of the City of Sydney Code of Meeting Practice and the City of Sydney Code of Conduct, Councillors are required to disclose pecuniary interests in any matter on the agenda for this meeting.

Councillors are also required to disclose any non-pecuniary interests in any matter on the agenda for this meeting.

This will include receipt of reportable political donations over the previous four years.

In both cases, the nature of the interest must be disclosed.

Local Government and Planning Legislation Amendment (Political Donations) Act 2008

The Local Government and Planning Legislation Amendment (Political Donations) Act 2008 ("the Act") requires the disclosure of relevant political donations or gifts when planning applications are made to minimise any perception of undue influence. The amendments to the Act require disclosure to the Electoral Funding Authority of:

- a reportable political donation as defined in the Election Funding and Disclosures
 Act 1981 (a donation of \$1000 or more made to or for the benefit of the party, elected
 member, group or candidate or made by a major political donor to or for the benefit of
 a party, elected member, group or candidate, or made to the major political donor), or
- a gift (as defined in the Election Funding and Disclosures Act 1981) to any local councillor or council employee (and includes a disposition of property or a gift of money or the provision of other valuable or service for no consideration or for inadequate consideration) when a relevant planning application is made to a council.

A donation of less than \$1000 can be a reportable political donation if the aggregated total of such donations was made by an entity or person to the same party, elected member, group or candidate or person.

Item 3.1

Ministers' Awards for Women in Local Government

Document to Follow

Item 4.1

Local Government NSW Annual Conference 2020 - Nomination of Delegates

File No: X030976

Memorandum by the Chief Executive Officer

To Council:

This memorandum seeks Council's consideration of the nomination of Councillors as voting delegates to the Local Government New South Wales (LGNSW) Annual Conference, to be held from Sunday 22 November to Tuesday 24 November 2020 at the Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley.

The conference is the main policy-making event for the local government sector. Delegates will vote on motions which determine the policies and priorities for LGNSW and the sector.

The current status of the Covid-19 pandemic, including current indications of some community transmission in the Hunter region, means that there is some level of uncertainty over whether Councillors will be able to attend the event. It is important that Council has made the necessary resolutions so that Councillors are in a position to attend the event should they be able and willing to do so.

LGNSW has advised that the conference will be following government guidelines on safe events and social distancing, noting that this can change in the future. Hygiene practices will include cleaning surfaces, arranging seating, and overseeing food preparation and transport, as well as medical assistance as required. Any changes arising as a result of Covid-19, including to the format of the conference, will be conveyed to Councillors as information becomes available.

Registration to Attend the Conference

Conference attendees are invited to register from 17 July 2020 to take advantage of early bird rates. Early bird rates are available until 25 September 2020.

Voting delegates must be registered to attend the conference, and also be registered as a voting delegate on motions.

Registration as a Voting Delegate

The City of Sydney is entitled to register up to 10 voting delegates for motions. It is proposed that Council nominates the Lord Mayor and all Councillors to attend.

The deadline to provide LGNSW with the names of voting delegates is Tuesday 3 November 2020. Additional nominations received after the closing date cannot be accepted. However, the names of voting delegates may be substituted at any time, in line with Rule 34 of the LGNSW Rules.

Voting delegates may not appoint a proxy to attend or vote at formal business sessions on their behalf.

Conference Program / Motions

The conference will include discussion and debate on a range of motions from councils relating to current and emerging policy issues facing local government in NSW.

All members can put forward motions to be considered at the conference, which should be strategic, affect members state-wide, and introduce new or emerging policy issues and actions.

Members submitting motions are encouraged to be familiar with the LGNSW Policy Platform, at: https://www.lgnsw.org.au/policy/policy-platform. The purpose of this Policy Platform is to consolidate the numerous policies and positions of LGNSW — as determined by members — into a single document for ease of reference for members and stakeholders.

The Motions Submissions Guide is available at: https://lgnsw.org.au/events-training/local-government-nsw-annual-conference-2020/motions. The guide provides information on the criteria for motion submission, examples of motions, and what happens to motions after the conference.

Members are asked to submit motions by **Monday 28 September** for inclusion in the conference business paper. The latest date for submission of motions is 12 midnight Sunday 25 October 2020 (28 days prior to the conference).

The full conference business paper is expected to be available one week prior to the conference.

Councillors' Expenses and Facilities Policy

Councillors Chung, Forster, Miller, Phelps, Scott, Thalis and Vithoulkas were the City of Sydney delegates at the 2019 LGNSW Conference held at Warwick Farm. Expenditure incurred for the 2019 conference totalled \$8,691.05.

The Councillors' Expenses and Facilities Policy 2017 provides for Councillors to attend the LGNSW Annual Conference at the City's expense. Funds are available in the 2020/21 operating budget to cover registration fees, travel and other reasonable expenses incurred by Councillors.

Travel

The conference venue, Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley, is a two-hour drive from Sydney via the M1. Alternative methods of travel include shuttle bus and Cityrail, with all travel details available at: https://www.lgnsw.org.au/events-training/local-government-nsw-annual-conference-2020/2020-annual-conference-accommodation.

Accommodation has been pre-booked for Councillors at the Leisure Inn at Pokolbin, with delegate transfers from the hotel to the conference venue available.

Recommendation

It is resolved that:

(A) Council appoint the Lord Mayor and all Councillors as its voting delegates at the Local Government NSW (LGNSW) Annual Conference to be held in the Hunter Valley from 22 to 24 November 2020;

- (B) all registration fees, travel and other reasonable expenses associated with the attendance of Councillors at the conference be met by the City in accordance with the Councillors' Expenses and Facilities Policy 2017; and
- (C) Council note that a spouse, partner or other person may accompany a Councillor at the conference, and the City will meet the cost of their registration fees and official conference dinners.

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Chief Executive Officer

Attachments

Attachment A. Local Government NSW Conference Draft Program

Attachment B. Local Government NSW Conference Registration Brochure

Attachment A

Local Government NSW Conference Draft Program



Local Government NSW Annual Conference 2020

Sunday 22 November – Tuesday 24 November 2020

Main conference venue: Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley, 430 Wine Country Drive, Lovedale NSW 2325

Theme: Growing Community Resilience

DRAFT PROGRAM (as of 16 July 2020)

PRE – OPENING OF CONFERENCE, OPTIONAL WORKSHOPS AND SPECIAL EVENTS		
SUNDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2020, CROWNE PLAZA HUNTER VALLEY		
1.00pm – 7.00pm	Registration opens at the Galleria, Conference and Events Centre	
1.30pm – 3.00pm	 1. Presentation Panel: Semillon 1 Cooling Our Cities Dr Sebastian Pfautsch, Senior Research Fellow – Western Sydney University, Climate and environmental changes Rod Simpson, Environment Commissioner, Greater Sydney Commission (invited) Dr Rebecca Huntley, Principal Consultant, Vox Populi Research 	
1.30pm – 3.00pm	Leading a Safe Organisation: The roles and responsibilities of councils to lead in child protection & domestic violence prevention presented by the Office of the Children's Guardian and Domestic Violence (DVNSW) and Collaborating for Informed Decision Making presented by Maire Sheehan, Facilitator, Educator and former mayor and councillor	
1.30pm – 3.00pm	3. Workshop: Semillon 3 Population migration panel session facilitated by Cr Dai Le, LGNSW Board Member. A facilitated panel session on population shifts, migration and successful refugee resettlement. Panel presentations will be followed by a 30 minute question and answer session. Panel members: Multicultural NSW (MNSW) Settlement Services International (SSI)	
1.30pm – 2.30pm	4. Presentation: The Verdelho Room "It's a jungle out there. Biosecurity can bite. Are you ready for it?" Nicola Dixon, Development Officer, Community Weeds Management Invasive Species Biosecurity, and Ian Turnbull, Invasive Species Officer, Department of Planning, Industry and Environment	

2.00pm – 3.00pm	Bus transfers begin departing from select hotels going to Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley for the Ministers sessions and the welcome reception
3.00pm – 5.00pm	The Galleria, Conference and Events Centre, Cabernet Merlot Room Meet the Politicians Forum with Masters of Ceremony: Cr Linda Scott, President and Scott Phillips, CE, LGNSW Addresses from: • The Hon Shelley Hancock MP, Minister for Local Government • Ms Jodi McKay, Leader of the Opposition Followed by the Politicians' panel:
	 The Hon Shelley Hancock MP, Minister for Local Government The Hon Melinda Pavey MP, Minister for Water, Property and Housing Mr David Shoebridge, MLC Mr Greg Warren MP, Shadow Minister for Local Government The Hon John Barilaro MP, Deputy Premier and Minister for Regional NSW Trade and Industry (invited) The Hon Adam Marshall MP, Minister for Agriculture and Western NSW
	Presentation of the AR Bluett Awards by the Trustees This session is optional. Attendance is free to members registered to attend the conference. RSVPs are required as part of the conference registration.

CONFERENCE OPENS – WELCOME RECEPTION		
SUNDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2020, POOLSIDE AT CROWNE PLAZA HUNTER VALLEY		
5.00pm – 8.00pm	President's Welcome Reception: • Welcome by Master of Ceremonies Cr Bob Pynsent, Mayor, Cessnock City Council • Address by Cr Linda Scott, President, LGNSW • Sponsor address by Chair, Statewide Mutual Registration will be available at this event.	
From 7.30pm	Bus transfers back to conference hotels to commence	

MONDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2020 – Business Session Day 1, Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley		
7.30am – 5.00pm	Registration opens at the Galleria, Conference and Events Centre	
8.00am – 4.00pm	Trade exhibition opens at the Exhibition Centre and Sauvignon Room Delegate Lounge opens for networking	
8.45am	Doors open for official conference proceedings Distribution of voting materials and electronic handsets	
9.05am – 9.10am	Conference introduction by Scott Phillips , Chief Executive, LGNSW	

9.10am – 9.15am	Welcome to Country
9.15am – 11.00am	Address by Cr Linda Scott, President, LGNSW
	Opening of the Federal Conference including demonstration of voting units, adoption of standing orders, presentation of the auditor's report, general financial report and operating report to members, business session and consideration of motions. Opening of the State Conference including adoption of standing orders, presentation of the auditor's report, general financial report and operating report to members, business sessions, and consideration of motions. Chaired by Cr Linda Scott
11.00am –11.30am	Morning tea in trade exhibition, sponsored by Local Government Super
11.30am – 1.00pm	Consideration of conference business continued, chaired by LGNSW President
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Lunch in trade exhibition, sponsored by Local Government Super
1.00pm – 2.00pm	StateCover General Manager's Lunch - Semillon 1 and 2, Level 2 (exclusive to GMs)
2.00pm – 2.05pm	Distinguished sponsor topic by Local Government Super
2.00pm – 3.30pm	Consideration of conference business continued, chaired by LGNSW President
3.30pm – 4.00pm	Afternoon tea in trade exhibition
4.00pm – 5.00pm	Consideration of conference business continued, chaired by LGNSW President Collection of all electronic handsets and motions voting cards
5.00pm	Conference business session closes
5.30pm – 6.00pm	Transfer buses begin departing for the conference hotels
7.00 pm – 7.30pm	Transfer buses to pick up from designated hotels, going to Hope Estate
Conference Dinner at	Hope Estate, 2213 Broke Road, Pokolbin NSW 2320
7.30pm	StateCover sponsor address
8.00pm	LGNSW President and Elite Sponsor present Outstanding Service Awards to elected members
8.30pm	Dinner and entertainment begins
10.00pm	Transfer buses to begin departing back to conference hotels
11.00pm	Dinner ends
TUESDAY 24 November 2020 – Business Session Day 2, Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley	

7.30am – 5.00pm	Registration opens at the Galleria, Conference and Events Centre
7.30am – 8.45am	Semillon 1 and 2 Australian Local Government Women's Association (ALGWA NSW) Breakfast "Big Expectations: how to make a difference and why community is important" Panel guest speakers: The Shahrouk Sisters, facilitated by Ellen Fanning
8.00am – 4.00pm	Trade exhibition opens, The Exhibition Centre and Sauvignon Room Delegate Lounge opens for networking
8.45am	Doors open for conference official proceedings Distribution of voting materials and electronic handsets if required
9.00am	Introduction by Ellen Fanning, Master of Ceremonies
9.05am – 9.30am	Keynote address: Building resilience through partnerships. Presented by Commissioner of Resilience NSW, Shane Fitzsimmons
9.30am – 9.35am	Planning sponsor address by Resilience NSW
9.35am – 10.30am	Opening Keynote Panel: Recovery and Resilience: local strategies and actions to prepare for, recover from and build resilience to disasters and crisis. • Leanne Barnes OAM, GM, Bega Shire Council • Mick Willing, NSW Assistant Police Commissioner, Bushfire Recovery (invited) • Suzie Wright, Vice Chair, Governance, Greater Sydney Landcare network, regarding strategies to manage bushfires moving forward (invited) • James McTavish, NSW Cross Border Commissioner, Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (invited)
10.30am – 11.00am	Morning tea in trade exhibition, sponsored by Landcom
11.00am – 11.05am	Distinguished sponsor address by Landcom
11.05 – 11.20am	Address from Cr Linda Scott , President, LGNSW, on Association Initiatives
11.20am – 11.30am	Treasurer's report, Cr Jerome Laxale , Treasurer, LGNSW
11.30am – 12.30pm (one hour)	Presentation: Panel Regional Services: 'Regional renaissance: how to help regional communities bounce back and thrive in a post pandemic world' The Hon Mark Coulton MP, Minister Regional Health, Regional Communications and Local Government The Hon Jason Clare MP, Shadow Minister for Regional Services, Territories and Local Government Brendan Nelson, CEO Regional Growth, Department of Regional NSW (invited)

12.30pm – 1.00pm (30 mins)	Presentation: Craig Foster , Former Socceroo, Broadcaster, Adjunct Professor of Sport & Social Responsibility and Humanist presents 'Tapping into the Here and Now: Social and Community Strength'
1.00pm – 1.05pm	Distinguished sponsor topic
1.05pm – 2.00pm	Lunch in trade exhibition, sponsored by Landcom
2.05pm – 3.05pm	Closing Address: Dr Norman Swan, Medical & Health Broadcaster, Host, Health Report ABC RN, Commentator & Journalist ABC TV, cofounder Tonic Health Media, presents Control is the Source of Community Resilience.
	How can systems and organisations acknowledge and allow for individual and community control?
3.05pm – 3.15pm	Close of conference, Cr Linda Scott, LGNSW President
3.15pm – 3.45pm	Afternoon tea in trade exhibition

This program is correct at the time of publication; speakers and program details may have changed due to unforeseen circumstances.

Attachment B

Local Government NSW Conference Registration Brochure

LGNSW ANNUAL CONFERENCE

2020 | LOVEDALE, 22-24 NOV | HUNTER VALLEY

Growing Community Resilience

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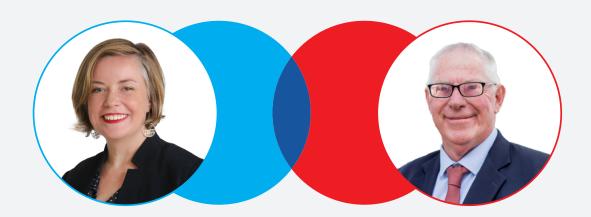






Welcome to the

LGNSW Annual Conference 2020



Presidents Message

Cr Linda Scott

On behalf of the Local Government NSW (LGNSW) I am delighted to welcome you to our 2020 LGNSW Annual Conference.

Since last year's conference, hosted by Liverpool Council, LGNSW has successfully advocated on behalf of your council on the range of State and Federal issues that you told us mattered most to your communities.

I'm so proud that our advocacy on issues prioritised by you - especially about the impact of COVID-19, bushfires, floods and prolonged drought - has resulted in an unprecedented amount of Federal and State government funding flowing to your council and communities

This substantial investment is recognition of how critical local government is to our locally led recovery and is consistent with the principles of the Intergovernmental Agreement signed by the Premier, Deputy Premier and Local Government Minister at last year's annual conference.

I am also pleased that LGNSW was able deliver *The Local Government (COVID-19) Splinter (Interim)* Award 2020 to keep as many council staff employed to undertake essential local government services, for as long as possible, as well as the *Local Government (State)* Award 2020, in conjunction with local government employee representatives.

As a result, councils throughout the State are now better placed to drive locally led economic recovery, safeguarding local jobs and supporting local businesses to rebuild communities and infrastructure for the public good as we advance disaster and pandemic recovery efforts.

While there are many wins to be celebrated at this year's conference, hosted by Cessnock City Council in the Hunter Valley, the LGNSW Board, staff and I know there is much work to be done on behalf of your council and your community for the future

We look forward to hearing your views, at this conference, about how to do that.

Welcome to Cessnock

Bob Pynsent, Mayor, Cessnock City Council

Welcome to the Hunter Valley. Welcome to Cessnock. It's great to have you here to enjoy the conference, at a time when visitors to our region remain crucial. Our community, like many of your own, has been faced with significant challenges; first bushfires and then COVID-19. To host delegates from across NSW is a special opportunity to showcase everything our LGA has to offer

We are home to more than 59,000 people covering about 1,950sq km. Predominantly a mining town until recent years, the City of Cessnock, which incorporates Hunter Valley Wine Country, is a thriving city with many attractions highlighting our culture, history and our way of life. We are home to outstanding, award-winning restaurants, wineries, entertainment venues, boutique and resort-style accommodation and golf courses. I hope your visit includes experiencing all that our fantastic region has to offer. Enjoy the conference!

Covid-19 Precautions

The conference will be following the government guidelines on safe events and social distancing, noting that this can change in the future. We will be following hygiene practices by cleaning surfaces, arranging seating, overseeing food preparation and transport, as well as medical assistance as required.



Conference Venue

Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley

This year's conference is at the Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley, an IHG hotel. The venue offers the largest and most comprehensive conference and exhibition facility in the Hunter Region.



The Hunter Valley is perfectly positioned within two hours' drive from Sydney, and 50 minutes from Newcastle Airport along the M1 Pacific Motorway and is accessible via public transport. The most convenient train stations are at Maitland, Newcastle or Morisset and connection buses are available from each station. The hotel offers free parking for those who wish to drive and explore the Hunter Valley's renowned fine wines, gourmet food and hospitality, making pre and post touring a wonderful delegate experience that will also support tourism and boost the local economy.

Plenary sessions will be held within the Conference and Events Centre, in the combined Cabernet and Merlot rooms. The trade exhibition will be held in the Exhibition Centre.

Conference Overview

The conference begins on Sunday afternoon, to give you travel time in the morning. Registration will open at 1pm and a series of ticketed workshops will take place between 1.30pm and 3pm. This will be followed by the return of the popular Meet the Politicians Forum, being held for the second year, with a number of State Government Ministers and Shadow Ministers attending. It will lead into the President's Welcome Reception held alfresco by the pool and pergola.

On Monday, the conference's full exhibition will begin and the Federal and State Conferences will open, followed by business sessions and consideration of motions. The General Managers' Lunch, sponsored by StateCover, will take place and the Conference Gala Dinner will be held at Hope Estate.

Tuesday begins with the Australian Local Government Women's Association (ALGWA NSW) breakfast, discussing why community is important and how to make a difference (ticketed event).

drought and bushfires greatly affecting tourism, business and property loss, along with Covid-19 and the economic downturn and recession. The plenary program will focus on "Growing Community Resilience". A range of speakers and panels will look at crises management preparation and economic downturn, regional services, building resilient communities and the health of places and people. We look forward to hearing from Commissioner of Resilience NSW, Shane Fitzsimmons and Dr Norman Swan, among others. The full program is on the LGNSW website.

If you are posting about the LGNSW Annual Conference on social media, please use the hashtag #lgnsw2020



Registration

Registration to Attend the Conference

Registrations open in mid-July on the LGNSW website. We invite councillors, mayors, general managers and senior staff to register as individuals or groups.

Early bird registration rate is \$840 and applies if you register and pay by 25 September 2020.

Standard registration rate is \$940 for all registrations made between 26 September and 11 November 2020.

Dinner is not included in the overall registration cost and is an optional added cost of \$132.

Members wanting to take advantage of the early bird rates, who are uncertain of the names of councillors attending, can still register and pay now and confirm names later, provided they do so by 11 November (Delegates' names and alterations to delegates' names can be completed online).

Note: Voting delegates must be registered to attend the conference and be registered as a voting delegate.

Registration as a Voting Delegate

Separate from Conference registration, financial members must nominate the names of their voting delegates for voting on motions by 12 noon (AEDT) on 3 November 2020. Nominations received after this time/date cannot be accepted, however, a member may, subject to the LGNSW rules, notify LGNSW of a change to the name of an already nominated voting delegate (a substitute delegate) after this time/date.

The submission of motions will be required by **Monday 28 September 2020** with final motions due by Sunday 25 October 2020.

For all information relating to voting entitlements, nominations and dates, please refer to the LGNSW website.

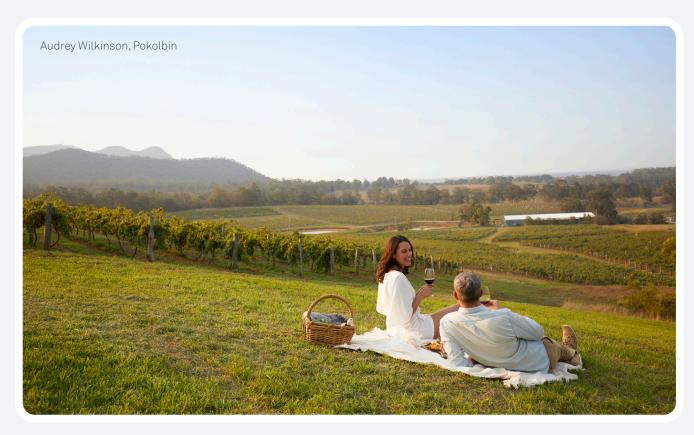
Register Online at Ignsw.org.au

Online registration is conducted through a secure site, which accepts credit cards (Visa or Mastercard with a 1.5% surcharge), cheque and direct deposit payments. Once you have registered, you will receive a confirmation email and a tax invoice. Your registration will be confirmed once full payment is received.

Delegate Registration Fees

Registration at the event opens on Sunday 22 November from 1pm – 7pm in the Galleria, Conference and Events Centre. On Monday 23 November and Tuesday 24 November, registration will be open from 7.30am – 5pm in the Galleria.

Delegate registration fees include online business papers, the President's Welcome Reception, two-day business sessions including morning and afternoon tea, lunch, delegate networking function, and name badge. The cost to attend the conference is heavily subsidised by LGNSW and sponsors.



Your Virtual Satchel

LGNSW Annual Conference 2020

In an effort to help minimise our carbon footprint, LGNSW is encouraging delegates attending the Annual Conference 2020 to bring and reuse a satchel from a previous LGNSW conference or your favourite well-worn conference bag.

This year, we are donating part of the cost of the delegates' satchels to the charity of our choice, Foodbank NSW. This is within the principles of "reuse", being economically minded and sustainable, and to support the cause and work of a great charity that feeds the disadvantaged across NSW.

A BYOBAG competition will be held where winners will be crowned for the best "Sad" Bag (oldest) and "Glad" Bag (decorated) with a prize for each winner.





Optional Events can be booked as part of the online registration as extra options

- > Councillor training sessions are \$44
- > The ALGWA breakfast is priced separately at \$55
- > The Meet the Politicians Forum is offered free on Sunday 22 November, but you must register before you gain entry
- > The conference dinner is optional and priced at \$132
- A free special interest lunch session for general managers only is offered on Monday 23 November

The conference fee does not cover accommodation or partner attendance. Partners wishing to attend social functions need to book and pay online.

Sponsor Registration Fees

Each sponsorship level includes a certain number of registrations. If sponsors wish to register additional staff, we have a special rate per person, which includes the President's Welcome Reception only. Tickets must be purchased separately for the dinner. All sponsors (whether included in your package or extra) must register attendance via the online registration portal.

Registration fees (inclusive of GST)

Member

Early Bird Registration (paid by 25 September 2020)* \$840 Standard Registration (paid by 11 November 2020)* \$940 Conference Dinner Ticket (optional) \$132

Non-Council Delegate

Early Bird Registration (paid by 25 September 2020) \$1680
Standard Registration (paid by 11 November 2020) \$1880
Conference Dinner Ticket \$220
Sponsor's Extra Staff Registration
(paid by 11 November 2020) \$550

Council partners and extra guests

President's Welcome Reception \$88

Conference Dinner Ticket \$132

Training Sessions \$44

ALGWA Breakfast \$55

* excludes dinner

Bus Transfer fee from other hotels to Crowne Plaza each day \$11



Confirmation, Cancellation Policy and Enquiries

Should you be unable to attend, once registered, a substitute delegate is welcome to attend in your place at no additional charge. All cancellations and amendments must be advised in writing to the Conference Secretariat, Bradley Hayden, at bradley@ccem.com.au. Cancellations made by 5pm on Wednesday 11 November 2020 will be eligible for a full refund less a \$220 administration fee per registration. Cancellations made after 5pm on this date are not refundable.

Special Requirements

If you have any special dietary requirements, access or impairment issues, please ensure you complete the appropriate section of the online registration form.

Privacy Statement

When you register for the conference, LGNSW collects personal information from you to process your registration.

If you do not provide or we cannot otherwise collect all the information we request or need, we may not be able to register you for the conference.

LGNSW may disclose your personal information to third party conference organisers and third-party service providers, who may be located overseas and may store your information overseas.

We may, with your consent where required, use your contact details to send you (by phone, post, email or SMS) marketing communications about our programs, products, services, promotions and events. You can opt out of marketing communications at any time, by particular means or at all, by following the unsubscribe function in the message we send, or by emailing or calling us.

Our privacy policy, which is available at <code>lgnsw.org.au/privacy</code> or by emailing or calling us on the details below, explains more about the types of personal information we usually collect and how we handle your personal information, as well as how you can request access to and correction of personal information we hold about you, how you can complain about our handling of your personal information and how we deal with complaints.

For privacy-related enquiries please contact us on 02 9242 4000, email lgnsw@lgnsw.org.au or post to GPO Box 7003, Sydney NSW 2001.



Voting on Conference Motions
Conference motions are your opportunity to advocate on issues important to your community at a state level. If you are a voting representative for your council, you MUST be in the main auditorium on Monday 23 November by 9.15am so a quorum can be achieved. Voting at the conference will be by electronic handsets and a delegate plastic voting card will be distributed at registration. The plastic voting card must be returned at the end of the voting day or a fee of \$100 per card will be invoiced. Electronic handsets will be distributed at accessible points to the main theatre auditorium. A demonstration of the cards and electronic handsets will be given before business motion voting. Lanyards will also identify those who are voting delegates.

Contact LGNSW regarding:

- > Voting delegate entitlements
- > The 2020 Annual Conference dates and deadlines

For information relating to voting entitlements, please contact Adam Dansie on 02 9242 4140. For details on how to change your voting delegate's name, please refer to the LGNSW website.

A reminder that registration as a voting delegate is a **separate process** to conference registration.

Business Papers

The business papers will be available two weeks before the conference as a digital document on LGNSW's website, which you may download to your device or print a hard copy at your discretion.

Motions Submission Guide

See our Motions Submission Guide on the Conference page of LGNSW's website, which includes information on how to write and submit a motion, how motions are dealt with at the conference, and what happens to them following the conference.

Members are encouraged to review the Record of Decisions from the previous year's conference to ensure newly proposed motions do not duplicate existing positions.

Policy Platform

LGNSW also recently published a Policy Platform to consolidate the numerous policies and positions of LGNSW – as determined by members – into a single document for ease of reference. The Policy Platform can be found on the LGNSW website.

Before voting on motions, the Policy Platform will be presented for members to endorse its Fundamental Principles.

Condition of Entry

It is a condition of entry that no delegate may disrupt the order of events or intent of the program. Anyone considered to be disturbing the program intent will be asked to leave. Only pamphlets and brochures approved by the event organisers may be distributed.

Delegate Contact Details

Please note that a name tag-scanning facility will be available on site for sponsors and exhibitors to scan delegates' nametags, with their agreement, resulting in delegate contact details going straight to the sponsor or exhibitor. By registering for the conference, you are deemed to have acknowledged and accepted this process.

Photography

There will be a photographer at the conference who will take pictures during the sessions and social functions. If you have your picture taken it is assumed you consent to LGNSW using images. Images may be used for print and electronic publications.

Liability for your Registration

In the event of unforeseen circumstances, LGNSW and the Conference Secretariat do not accept responsibility or liability for the loss of expenses incurred by delay, cancellation, or miscommunication. By completing and submitting the online registration form, you are deemed to have read and accepted the cancellation and privacy information.

Contact

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Social Program

President's Welcome ReceptionSponsored by Statewide Mutual Ltd

Sunday 22 November 5pm - 8pm

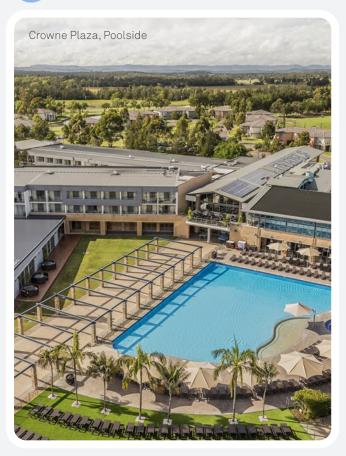
Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley 430 Wine Country Drive, Lovedale Dress: Smart casual for outdoor evening event by the pool

Join special guests, fellow councillors, the LGNSW Board, general managers, sponsors and speakers for an official welcome and an informal BBQ dinner that celebrates the great local produce of the Hunter Valley. Taste the local grapes with a selection of wines from McGuigan, Hope Estate and Jade Estate and enjoy Lovedale lager, which is brewed on the premises.

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Conference Gala Dinner Sponsored by StateCover

Monday 23 November, 7.30pm - 11pm. Hope Estate 2213 Broke Rd, Pokolbin Dress Code: Cocktail lounge suit Optional ticketed event

Allocated seating required; register as part of the conference registration process. If you require a dinner transfer from selected hotels, please book online during registration.

Pre-dinner drinks and chef's selection of canapés served cocktail-style on the outdoor main concert stage from 7.30pm (weather dependant). This dinner will be an experience to remember in The Wine Room of the award-winning Hope Estate where you will be seated in the middle of the production area – transformed just for you. A menu reflecting the harvest of local specialties and the enjoyment of current vintages will be served. You will be entertained by the beauty and power of Lisa Hunt and her Forever Soul band, a NSW local talent.

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Service Awards and the AR Bluett Awards

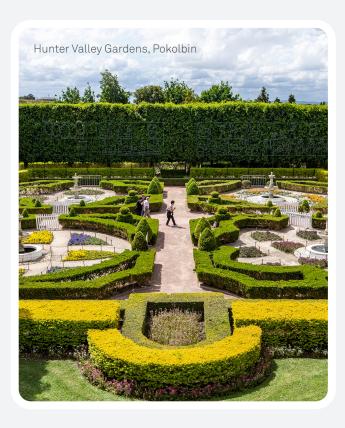


Outstanding Service and Emeritus Mayor Awards will be presented during the conference on Monday 23 November to those who have given outstanding service to local government. To enable the processing of awards, councils are asked to advise LGNSW whether nominees for the award will be attending the conference and if so will need to purchase a dinner ticket. The deadline for applications for awards to be presented at the conference is Friday 23 October 2020.

A letter confirming the presentation will be sent to your general manager. If you do not receive confirmation by Friday 6 November, please contact Karen Rolls at LGNSW on 02 9242 4050.

The online nomination form can be found on LGNSW's website.

The AR Bluett Memorial Trustees will also present the prestigious AR Bluett Awards during the business program to councils that have been recognised as the most progressive in NSW in 2019/20. Widely acknowledged as the greatest accolade a council can achieve, this will be the 76th year for which the awards have been presented. Award recipients will need to register for the Ministers Forum and Welcome Reception and purchase a ticket.



Optional ticketed events

Meet the Politicians Forum

Sunday, 22 November, 3pm - 5pm

Conference and Events Centre, Crowne Plaza Hotel

Cost: Free

This optional event is part of the annual conference program and attendance is free to all members registered to attend the conference – simply RSVP for this session as part of your registration.

Speakers include Local Government Minister Shelley Hancock MP and other key politicians representing portfolios important to local government.

Councillor Training Workshops

Sunday, 22 November 1.30pm - 3.00pm

Cost: \$44 per workshop

Access to training workshops will be for ticket holders only. Tickets can be purchased in advance when registering for the conference and include afternoon tea.

Australian Local Government Women's Association (ALGWA NSW) Breakfast

Sponsored by Multicultural NSW

Tuesday, 24 November, 7.15am for 7.30am start. Concludes at 8.45am

Semillon Ballroom 1 & 2

Cost \$55. Access to the breakfast is for ticket holders only. Tickets can be purchased in advance when registering for the

"Big Expectations – How to make a difference and why community is important"

Meet Fairfield's Halla, Houda, Rouba and Leeann Shahrouk who are four Australian-born Muslim women from a Lebanese background and a family of 13 comprising 10 girls and one boy! They came to national prominence in 2017 when they won the title for Australia's favourite food family on Chanel Nine's reality show Family Food Fight. They did so by daring to dream, stepping outside their family kitchens and into households across Australia. Along the way they broke down barriers and created lasting bonds. They challenged the stereotype and crushed it.

While sampling one of their recipes, Ellen Fanning will facilitate an interactive discussion.

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Accommodation

We encourage attendees to book accommodation as early as possible. Information on travel and accommodation is available on the LGNSW website.

Coach Transfers

Coach transfers will be offered between the conference venue and social functions from the hotels listed below, courtesy of Cessnock City Council. Should you require a transfer it must be booked as part of your registration. The charge is \$11 per person each day and these must be booked as part of the registration process.

Transfer hotels include:

- > Wine Country Motor Inn
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- > H Boutique
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- > Leisure Inn Pokolbin Hill
- > Spicers Guesthouse
- > Oaks Cypress Lakes Resort

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Item 4.2

Rescinding of the Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007

File No: S111435

Memorandum by the Chief Executive Officer

To Council:

After considerable research and consultation with mobile food providers and users of their services, followed by a 28-day public exhibition period, Council endorsed the Mobile Voluntary Services Policy and Guidelines at the Council Meeting of 29 June 2020.

Due to an administrative oversight the pre-existing Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007 (Attachment A) was not rescinded at the 29 June 2020 Council Meeting.

This memorandum requests that Council rescind the Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007. The Mobile Voluntary Services Policy endorsed on 29 June 2020 will then take the place of the 2007 Policy.

Recommendation

It is resolved that Council:

- (A) note that the Mobile Voluntary Services Policy and Guidelines were endorsed at the 29 June 2020 Council Meeting;
- (B) rescind the Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007 as shown at Attachment A to the subject memorandum; and
- (C) note that the Mobile Voluntary Services Policy endorsed on 29 June 2020 will take the place of the Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007.

MONICA BARONE

Chief Executive Officer

Attachments

Attachment A. Mobile Free Food Service Policy 2007

Attachment A

Mobile Free Food Services Policy 2007

Mobile Free Food Services Policy

Resolution of Council: 29 October 2007

SYDNEY (***)

Responsibility: Community Living

city of villages

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP: MOBILE FREE FOOD SERVICES & THE CITY OF SYDNEY

CITY OF SYDNEY & MOBILE FREE FOOD SERVICES POLICY

1. BACKGROUND

The City of Sydney has a commitment to addressing the needs of people who experience homelessness within the Local Government Area. To that end the City adopted the Homelessness Strategy 2007 – 2012 in August 2007.

The City's 5 year Homelessness Strategy identified four key priorities and four key actions. These are:

Key Priorities

- Vulnerable and complex chronically homeless rough sleepers.
- Compassionate and balanced public space management.
- Supporting innovative, evidence based new models of service provision.
- Establishing target results and measuring outcomes.

Key Actions

- Homelessness Services
- Project and Policy Development
- Homelessness Sector Development and Co-ordination
- Research, Advocacy, Evaluation and Accountability

The development of a Mobile Free Food Services Policy is specifically identified within the key action Homelessness Sector Development and Co-ordination.

This action is described within the Homelessness Strategy 2007 – 2012 in the following way:

"The aim is to improve the co-ordination between mobile food services and improve service users' access to long term exits from homelessness. It is also intended to foster collaboration and a strategic approach that also considers factors such as managing issues around amenity and relationships with the local community."

The intended outcome of this action is:

"To increase co-ordination amongst volunteer based food services; improve relationships between the City's services and food vans to improve responses to homeless people as well as improved public space management."

1. 1 Definition of Mobile Free Food Service

The definition of mobile free food services, used in the context of this policy and the City's Homelessness Strategy is those services, usually provided by volunteers, which provide meals, snacks and/or other refreshments to homeless and disadvantaged people free of charge.

Mobile food services refers to the fact that these services are not provided from a building or other fixed place but are provided from vans or similar types of vehicles. By definition, these free mobile services can be provided within any public space or road where it may be permitted to park such vehicles for short periods.

1.2 Mobile Food Services Group

Food services are an essential element within the spectrum of services provided to people who are homeless and other disadvantaged groups within the City of Sydney. The mobile food services, in particular, provide services at a time when many other services are unavailable, i.e. after hours and on weekends; they offer social contact, access to spiritual support and represent a unique opportunity to engage with disadvantaged people and to assist them to link up with appropriate supports for meeting their needs.

There are approximately nine different organisations providing mobile food services within the City of Sydney LGA. Historically, these services have tended to operate in isolation and also tend to be concentrated within a relatively small geographic area of the LGA.

Staff in the City of Sydney's Homelessness Unit have convened a mobile free food services working group meeting since late 2005. Through initial phone contact, information about this planned meeting was provided to all known free mobile food services which then operated in the City of Sydney. Not all mobile food services may have been identified and not all services chose to seek further information or participate in these meetings.

Representatives from Mobile Free Food Services who have participated in meetings since 2005 include the following:

- Jesus Cares
- Presbyterian Women's Association
- Coptic Orthodox Community Outreach Service (COCOS)
- St Vincent De Paul Night Service
- Care for Street Kids Australia
- St Paul's Mission
- Youth Off the Streets

This group has continued to meet on a bi-monthly basis for almost 2 years. The group shares information and details about service provision and discusses goals and the ways

in which they might collectively reach those goals. Another important aspect has been to try to articulate the ways in which the City of Sydney might play a more active role in assisting these groups to achieve their goals and to improve assistance to disadvantaged and homeless people within the inner city.

In addition, group participants have been involved in several other homelessness initiatives, such as participation in piloting the draft Volunteer On-line Homelessness Information Kit being developed by the City of Sydney; the identification and mapping of free mobile food services provided in the inner city and the initial drafting of a Mobile Food Services Accord.

Most importantly, this group has formed the core consultative component of the development of a draft Mobile Food Services Policy.

It is intended that this group will continue to meet four times a year to ensure good communication between food services and other services for people who are homeless, as well as other services and facilities provided by the City of Sydney.

2. MOBILE FREE FOOD SERVICES POLICY

2.1 Principles

- The City recognises the significant commitment and contribution to addressing homelessness and social disadvantage made by mobile free food services within the inner city.
- The City recognises that services for the homeless and socially disadvantaged are best provided and strengthened when services work together in partnership, using a comprehensive and collaborative strategy.
- The City commits to working in partnership and collaboration with volunteer based free mobile food services.
- Working in partnership can increase the capacity for organisations to collectively advocate on behalf of the homeless and socially disadvantaged.

2.2 Objectives

- To support the work of mobile free food services with homeless and disadvantaged people within the inner city.
- To improve referrals and access to information and services for people experiencing homelessness in inner Sydney.
- To develop and implement sustainable exits for people who are homeless and thereby reduce the number of people experiencing homelessness in inner Sydney.
- To promote equitable access to services for people who are homeless and disadvantaged throughout the City of Sydney LGA.

• To improve operational and safety issues identified by the mobile food services and the City of Sydney.

2.3 Key Actions

- Identify all mobile free food services operating in the City of Sydney LGA and keep an up-to-date resource list of locations, operating hours and key contacts for those services. This is intended to foster improved and ongoing communication with relevant City of Sydney staff and other organisations that assist people who are homeless in the inner city.
- Ensure that the mobile free food services resource list is widely disseminated and available through relevant services and information centres.
- Ensure all mobile free food services operating in the City of Sydney LGA are invited to participate in the Mobile Free Food Services Partnership Group (previously known as the Mobile free Food Services Working Group), currently convened four times a year by the Homelessness Unit of the City of Sydney.
- In collaboration with the Mobile Food Services Partnership Group, review the
 locations and operating times of all mobile free food services operating in the City
 of Sydney LGA to ensure equitable access to these services across the LGA. As a
 result of this review process, negotiate with identified mobile free food services
 about local amenity issues and where appropriate, assist those services to identify
 and re-locate to more suitable and accessible locations.
- In collaboration with the Mobile Food Services Partnership Group, develop a
 Mobile Free Food Services Accord between the City of Sydney and mobile free
 food services. The purpose of this Accord is to clarify roles and responsibilities of
 relevant Units of the City of Sydney as well as agreed on standards, roles and
 responsibilities expected of mobile free food services.
- Through quarterly meetings and ongoing phone and email contact, continue to identify issues of mutual concern to mobile free food services, people who are homeless, other members of the community and staff of the City of Sydney. The intent of this communication is to improve services and address problems in a timely manner.

2.4 Mobile Free Food Services Accord

The Accord will include the following elements:

- Background Principles and Objectives.
- Roles and responsibilities of Council Units (eg. Cleansing, Traffic management, Homelessness unit).
- Roles and responsibilities of mobile free food services.

- Guidelines and standards for service provision.
- Use of public space and liaison with the City of Sydney.
- Up-skilling volunteers on key issues (eg. Safe food handling; volunteer's code of conduct; information about other homelessness, health and community services).
- Terms of reference for Mobile Free Food Services Partnership Group.
- Accord Review Process.

The Accord is voluntary and will be reviewed annually. All organisations who want to assist homeless or socially disadvantaged people cannot and will not be prevented from doing so if they choose not to participate in the partnership agreement. The Accord is intended to formalise existing good relations between services and enhance collaborative work with the City of Sydney.



ACCORD BETWEEN THE CITY OF SYDNEY AND MOBILE FREE FOOD SERVICES

PRINCIPLES

- The City recognises the significant commitment and contribution to addressing homelessness and social disadvantage made by mobile free food services within the inner city.
- ii. The City recognises that services for the homeless and socially disadvantaged are best provided and strengthened when services work together in partnership, using a comprehensive and collaborative strategy.
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- iv. Working in partnership can increase the capacity for organisations to collectively advocate on behalf of the homeless and socially disadvantaged.

2 OBJECTIVES

- i. To support the work of mobile free food services with homeless and disadvantaged people within the inner city.
- ii. To improve referrals and access to information and services for people experiencing homelessness in inner Sydney.
- iii. To develop and implement sustainable exits for people who are homeless and thereby reduce the number of people experiencing homelessness in inner Sydney.
- iv. To promote equitable access to services for people who are homeless and disadvantaged throughout the City of Sydney LGA.
- v. To improve operational and safety issues identified by the mobile food services and the City of Sydney.

3. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CITY OF SYDNEY

The City's roles and responsibilities are:

- i. Cleansing Services within the public domain.
- ii. Encouraging the Inner City Homelessness Outreach Service (ICHOSS) to engage with users of the mobile food vans services.
- iii. Parking permits, access and identification for vehicles.
- iv. Administration and facilitation of bi-monthly meetings.
- v. Development of the Accord and consultation.
- vi. Clear communication to members of the working group outside of meetings.
- vii. Responding to identified needs for information on issues that face volunteers in their work. This is to be addressed through the organisation of speakers with expertise in the relevant field, eg. Mental Health Workers to provide information on understanding people living with a mental illness.
- viii. Identification of appropriate locations for food services.
- ix. Maintaining an up-to-date contact list of mobile food service providers and register of signatories to the Accord.
- x. Informing new mobile free food services that they can participate in this register and be linked in with the food van network.
- xi. Responding to complaints from residents and business regarding mobile free food service's operations and address these complaints through the Accord.
- xii. Establishing an accessible liaison staff member within the City for free food services to raise and resolve issues as soon as they are identified. This contact will respond and aim to resolve issues to do with safety, road rules, cleansing and developing links for

referral to the Inner City Homelessness Street Outreach and Support Service (ICHOSS).

4. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF MOBILE FREE FOOD SERVICES

All service providers who become members of the Accord must fulfil a number of responsibilities in their role as volunteers. Service Providers will, by agreeing to these responsibilities, maintain the respect and dignity of our client group; as well as respecting the urban environment in which we operate.

These roles and responsibilities are:

- i Maintaining consistent communication between volunteers and their organisation/s; as well as communication between free food service providers.
- ii Regularly addressing amenity issues, provide waste management facilities to users of the service/s and in doing so, take responsibility for the waste generated by their service provision.
- iii Co-operating with City cleansing services by negotiating an appropriate waste collection agreement.
- iv Providing consistent representation at Accord meetings. Proxy representatives will be sufficiently briefed prior to their attendance, ensuring an active participatory role.

5. GUIDELINES AND STANDARDS FOR SERVICE PROVISION

Signatories to the Accord will:

- i Maintain a duty of care to volunteers and to service clients.
- ii Comply with Occupational Health and Safety Legislation
- iii Comply with relevant food standards and safety legislation.

6. USE OF PUBLIC SPACE AND LIAISON WITH THE CITY OF SYDNEY

Signatories to the Accord will:

- i Seek permission from the City for use of public space through the venue management booking process.
- ii Provide services at the times and in the locations specified in a consistent manner. Any change to operations require notification in advance to clients and the City.
- iii Notify the City of any incidents regarding antisocial behaviour.
- iv Contact the City to resolve cleansing and other issues as they arise.

7. UP-SKILLING VOLUNTEERS ON KEY ISSUES

- i The City will establish an online orientation program about homelessness, health and welfare services in the city LGA to improve information about and referral to appropriate services.
- ii Food services will ensure access to the internet for volunteers to access this online program.
- iii Food services will provide other relevant training to volunteers as appropriate (eg. safe food handling, manual handling, first aid).

8. TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR MOBILE FREE FOOD SERVICES PARTNERSHIP GROUP

- i The group will meet four times a year to discuss homelessness trends and responses related to the provision of services to food van clients and operational issues arising from those services.
- ii The group will keep in regular contact throughout the year by email to help resolve issues as they arise.

9. ACCORD REVIEW PROCESS

The Accord will be in reviewed every six months. Amendments to the Accord will occur annually.

10. KEY CITY OF SYDNEY CONTACTS

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MEMBERSHIP TO THE ACCORD

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Item 5

Matters for Tabling

5.1 Disclosures of Interest

Disclosure of Interest returns that have been lodged in accordance with the City of Sydney Code of Conduct are being received and collated by staff.

Recommendation

It is resolved that Council note that Disclosures of Interest returns will be received and noted following the resumption of in-person meetings.

Item 6

Report of the Corporate, Finance, Properties and Tenders Committee - 20 July 2020

Item 6.1

Disclosures of Interest

No Councillors disclosed any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in any matters on the agenda for this meeting of the Corporate, Finance, Properties and Tenders Committee.

The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 6.2

Investments Held as at 30 June 2020

It is resolved that the Investment Report as at 30 June 2020 be received and noted.

(At the meeting of the Corporate, Finance, Properties and Tenders Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Scully, seconded by Councillor Kok, and carried unanimously.)

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Item 7

Report of the Cultural and Community Committee - 20 July 2020

Item 7.1

Disclosures of Interest

No Councillors disclosed any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in any matter on the agenda for this meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee.

The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 7.2

Post Exhibition - Archives Collection Management Policy

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council note the submissions and feedback received through the public exhibition process as shown at Attachment B to the subject report;
- (B) Council adopt the Archives Collection Management Policy, as amended, as shown at Attachment A to the subject report;
- (C) Council note that people and organisations who made submissions will be notified of the adoption of the Archives Collection Management Policy; and
- (D) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to make and approve minor housekeeping changes and editorial amendments to the adopted Archives Collection Management Policy, as may be required from time to time.

(Note – at the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Kok, seconded by Councillor Scully, and carried unanimously.)

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The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 7.3

Accommodation Grant Program – Annual Performance Review and Lease Renewals 2020

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council note the continuation of the current Accommodation Grant leases and licences for the 76 tenants that have met the performance criteria of their Accommodation Grants and are continuing in the Program;
- (B) Council approve an Accommodation Grant for Sydney School of Arts and Humanities Pty Ltd for Abraham Mott Activity Centre, Space 1 and 2, 15a Argyle Street, Millers Point, for a period of 1 year from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021 as outlined below, noting that all amounts are per annum:

	Market Rental Value	Grant Subsidy	Grant Amount	Rent to be paid
Year 1	\$12,566	55%	\$6,911.30	\$5,654.70

and

(C) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to negotiate, execute and administer agreements with any organisation approved for an Accommodation Grant on terms consistent with this resolution and in accordance with the Grants and Sponsorship Policy.

(Note – at the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Scott, seconded by the Chair (the Lord Mayor), and carried unanimously.)

The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 7.4

Community Services Grant - Glebe Youth Services 2021

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council approve a grant of \$245,000 cash (excluding GST) and venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$1,728 (excluding GST) to Glebe Youth Service Incorporated for the 2021 After Dark Program; and
- (B) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to negotiate, execute and administer an agreement with Glebe Youth Service Incorporated.

(Note – at the meeting of the Cultural and Community Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Scott, seconded by the Chair (the Lord Mayor), and carried unanimously.)

Item 8

Report of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee - 20 July 2020

Item 8.1

Disclosures of Interest

No Councillors disclosed any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interests in any matter on the agenda for this meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee.

Local Government and Planning Legislation Amendment (Political Donations) Act 2008

No disclosures were made by any members of the public at this meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee.

Item 8.2

Low Rise Housing Diversity Code - Consultation Outcomes

The Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee decided that consideration of this matter shall be deferred to the meeting of Council on 27 July 2020.

Officer's Recommendation

The officer's recommendation to the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee was as follows -

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council note the Low Rise Housing Diversity Code came into effect on 1 July 2020;
- (B) Council receive and note the subject report; and
- (C) the Lord Mayor be requested to write to the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces, asking the outcomes of the consultation be noted and again requesting the Rosebery special character area identified in *Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012* be exempted from the Low Rise Housing Diversity Code.

Officer's Report

The officer's report on this matter can be found at Item 2 on the agenda of the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee on 20 July 2020.

Speakers

Mr Wayne Moody, Mr James Lidis and Mr John Sciberras addressed the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee on Item 8.2.

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The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 8.3

Post Exhibition - Planning Proposal and Local Approvals Policy - Display of Goods on the Footway

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council considers the post exhibition amendments made to the Local Approvals Policy:
 Display of Goods on the Footway to not be substantial and that further public exhibition is not required;
- (B) Council adopt the Local Approvals Policy: Display of Goods on the Footway, shown at Attachment A to the subject report;
- (C) Council approve the Planning Proposal: Display of Goods on the Footway, shown at Attachment B to the subject report, to be made as a local environmental plan under S3.36 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979;
- (D) Council approve the General Consent under S138 of the Roads Act 1993, shown at Attachment C to the subject report;
- (E) Council note the concurrent approval of the Local Approvals Policy issued by the Office of Local Government under S162 of the Local Government Act 1993, shown at Attachment D to the subject report;
- (F) Council note the approval and the general terms of concurrence of the General Consent under S138 of the Roads Act 1993 issued by Transport for NSW, shown at Attachment E to the subject report; and
- (G) Authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to make minor amendments to the Planning Proposal: Display of Goods on the Footway and Local Approvals Policy to correct any minor errors or omissions prior to finalisation.

(Note – At the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Thalis, seconded by Councillor Scully, and carried unanimously.)

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The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 8.4

Public Exhibition - Planning Proposal - 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters - Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 Amendment and Draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council approve Planning Proposal 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters, shown at Attachment A to the subject report, to be submitted to the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces with a request for Gateway Determination;
- (B) Council approve Planning Proposal 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters, shown at Attachment A to the subject report for public authority consultation and public exhibition in accordance with any conditions imposed under the Gateway Determination;
- (C) Council seek authority from the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces to exercise the delegation of the functions under section 3.36 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to make the local environmental plan and to put into effect Planning Proposal 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters;
- (D) Council approve the draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012 1-3 Burrows Road, shown at Attachment B to the subject report for public authority consultation and public exhibition concurrent with the Planning Proposal;
- (E) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to make any minor variations to Planning Proposal 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters, following receipt of the Gateway Determination, and:
- (F) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to make any minor variations to Draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012 1-3 Burrows Road, St Peters to correct any drafting errors or ensure it is consistent with the Planning Proposal following the Gateway Determination.

(Note – At the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Thalis, seconded by Councillor Scully, and carried unanimously.)

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The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 8.5

Public Exhibition - Planning Proposal - 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe - Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 Amendment and Draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council approve the Planning Proposal 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe, shown at Attachment A to the subject report, for submission to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment with a request for a Gateway Determination;
- (B) Council approve the Planning Proposal 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe, shown at Attachment A to the subject report for public authority consultation and public exhibition in accordance with any conditions imposed under the Gateway Determination;
- (C) Council seek authority from the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment to exercise the delegation of all functions of the relevant local plan making authority under Section 3.36 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to make the local environmental plan to put into effect the Planning Proposal 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe;
- (D) Council approve the draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe shown at Attachment B to the subject report for public authority consultation and public exhibition together with the Planning Proposal;
- (E) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to make any minor variations to Planning Proposal 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe, following receipt of the Gateway Determination; and
- (F) authority be delegated to the Chief Executive Officer to make any minor variations to Draft Sydney Development Control Plan 2012 17-31 Cowper Street and 2A-2D Wentworth Park Road, Glebe to correct any drafting errors or ensure it is consistent with the Planning Proposal following the Gateway Determination.

(Note – At the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Thalis, seconded by the Chair (the Lord Mayor), and carried unanimously.)

Speakers

Mr Denis Doherty addressed the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee on Item 8.5.

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The Committee recommends the following:-

Item 8.6

Fire Safety Reports

It is resolved that Council:

(A) note the contents of the Fire Safety Report Summary Sheet, as shown at Attachment A to the subject report;

- (B) note the inspection reports by Fire and Rescue NSW, as shown at Attachments B to K of the subject report;
- (C) exercise its power under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to issue a Fire Safety Order as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer to address the identified fire safety deficiencies in 197-199 Castlereagh Street, Sydney as detailed in Attachment B;
- (D) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action taken as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer at 5 Defries Avenue and 5 Hutchinson Walk, Zetland as detailed in Attachment C;
- (E) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 715-723 George Street, Haymarket as detailed in Attachment D;
- (F) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action taken as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 169-179 Thomas Street, Haymarket as detailed in Attachment E;
- (G) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 161 Sussex Street, Sydney as detailed in Attachment F;
- (H) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 100 Murray Street, Sydney as detailed in Attachment G;
- (I) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 488 George Street, Sydney as detailed in Attachment H;
- (J) exercise its power under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to issue a Fire Safety Order as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 803-813 George Street, Haymarket as detailed in Attachment I;
- (K) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 93-105 Quay Street, Haymarket as detailed in Attachment J;

(L) not exercise its power to issue a Fire Safety Order under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 at this time but note the compliance action as recommended by the City's Investigation Officer in 49-51 Market Street, Sydney as detailed in Attachment K.

(Note – At the meeting of the Transport, Heritage and Planning Committee, this recommendation was moved by Councillor Thalis, seconded by the Chair (the Lord Mayor), and carried unanimously.)

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Item 9

Questions on Notice

Construction Timeline for Multi-Purpose Synthetic Field at Crescent Park, Annandale

1. By Councillor Phelps

Question

At the 28 October 2019 Council meeting, Council approved the commencement of concept designs for a multi-purpose synthetic field at Crescent Park, Annandale, and to investigate the feasibility of modifying the proposed pitch to meet the International Hockey Federation's (FIH) requirements of a Hockey5s pitch in consultation with Glebe Hockey Club.

On 18 November 2019, Council was provided with a draft timeline for delivery of this field.

Council was recently notified that the City has recently applied for the Federal Government stimulus funding for this project, should this be successful a revised program will be developed for this project with a view to complete it sooner than that proposed in the above Council reports.

Can the Chief Executive Officer advise on:

- 1. When is the stimulus funding expected to be decided on by the Federal Government?
- 2. If the federal funding is approved, when is the Crescent Park synthetic turf project likely to go ahead?
- 3. Given the Council is bringing forward \$23 million in capital works, will the Crescent Park synthetic turf project be one of the projects that will be fast tracked?

S129272

Central Sydney Planning Framework – Heritage Floor Space

2. By Councillor Phelps

Question

On Monday 9 December 2019, a Lord Mayoral Minute was endorsed by Council, which outlined a way forward between Lord Mayor Clover Moore and the NSW Minister for Planning and Public Spaces to ensure future growth occurs where it respects special places, spaces and parkland, and is highly sustainable, resilient and responsive to climate change. With the significant investment in transport infrastructure, Central Sydney must support more jobs, while maintaining quality of life.

On 17 February 2020, Council endorsed a draft Central Sydney Planning Framework of documents.

Further changes were made to the draft Central Sydney Development Contributions Plan 2020 on 30 March 2020. The new Central Sydney planning documents were put on exhibition from 1 May to 10 July 2020.

Could the Chief Executive Officer please advise:

- 1. If the Heritage Floor Space Scheme is being abandoned in the proposed changes to Central Sydney Planning Controls?
- 2. If there can be an extension to the deadline for feedback from the community about the changes to the Central Sydney Planning Controls?

S129272

Moore Park Road Cycleway

3. By Councillor Phelps

Question

Following a Lord Mayoral Minute of 15 May 2020, pop-up cycleways were identified by Transport for NSW (TfNSW) and the City as part of a solution to ease demand for public transport as the NSW Government eases restrictions on business activity following the Covid-19 lockdown.

There has been significant community opposition to the City of Sydney and Transport for NSW proposal for a temporary cycleway along Moore Park Road and Fitzroy Street between Lang Road, Paddington and Bourke Street, Surry Hills, due to the adverse impact the popup cycleway will have on the local community, including a mass loss of parking spaces and a lack of consultation before construction began on the temporary cycleway.

In June 2017, Council unanimously resolved to endorse the concept design and scope of works for the Bondi Junction to City Walking and Cycling Improvements project that included a separated cycleway along Moore Park Road. This proposal, which involved no loss of parking, was widely supported by local residents. The final design for this proposal is still in development and its construction is dependent on funding by the NSW Government.

In the 17 July 2020 CEO Update, Councillors were informed that, while no decision has been made on this scheme, Transport for NSW are reviewing the viability of the 2017 cycleway proposal. This is due to the consulted version of the cycleway carrying a high level of risk as it will require deep excavation near critical Sydney water and power services and would require several years of nightworks. This means the cost estimates significantly exceed the upper limit of the Transport for NSW funding business case.

There is currently an open consultation on the Council website on the pop-up cycleways which closes at 5pm on Monday 31 August 2020.

Could the Chief Executive Officer please advise:

- 1. When did the City become aware that the NSW Government had no intention with proceeding with the consulted design for a permanent cycleway on Moore Park Road?
- 2. What briefings have been provided to Council on the technical feasibility of the consulted cycleway?

3. What plans will be made public on the technical feasibility of the consulted cycleway?

- 4. How is the City planning to provide notice for a consultation on making the temporary pop-up cycleways permanent?
- 5. Will the City be conducting an addressed mail out to residents and ratepayers in the areas impacted by the temporary pop-up cycleways, notifying them of the public exhibition and consultation in relation to any proposal to make the temporary pop-up cycleway permanent?
- 6. Given that the Moore Park Road temporary pop-up cycleway has been implemented within the Furber Road Conservation Area and the Paddington South Heritage Conservation Area, will the City be conducting a heritage impact study and provide a Statement of Heritage Impact in relation to any proposal to make the temporary pop-up cycleway permanent?
- 7. Will previously provided feedback on the pop-up cycleway be considered?

S129272

City Apprentices Employment

4. By Councillor Scott

Question

The City is an incredibly large employer; how many apprentices or trainees does the City currently employ broken down by:

- 1. How many apprentices or trainees does the City currently employ overall?
- 2. How many are in their 1st year, 2nd year, 3rd year, etc.?
- 3. How many people have completed their vocational trade studies with the City?
- 4. How many apprentices are employed in which trade sectors?
- 5. What percentage of the above-mentioned cohorts are female?

Affordable Housing Supporting by City Funding

5. By Councillor Scott

Question

Please update the Council on the number of affordable housing dwellings supported by City funding, broken down by:

- 1. Suburb.
- 2. Which dwellings are completed and currently inhabited?
- 3. Which dwellings are completed and empty?
- 4. Provide an update on the City's plan to house people in these empty dwellings.
- 5. Which dwellings are in development?
- 6. Please provide a timeline for when the dwellings in development will be completed.

S129275

Budget for Climate Change

6. By Councillor Scott

Question

Please update the Council on the 2020/21 budget allocations for action on dangerous climate change.

- 1. What plans are currently in action?
- 2. What plans haven't started yet?
- 3. What is the timeline for these plans, started or not, to be completed?

Local Procurement

7. By Councillor Scott

Question

Please update the Council on the City's procurement spending broken down by:

- 1. City of Sydney.
- 2. States.
- 3. Australian.
- 4. International.
- 5. Financial year: 2018, 2019, 2020.

S129275

Public Access to City Facilities

8. By Councillor Scott

Question

Please update the Council on how many days each City facility is open to the public broken down by:

- 1. Those with a City community grant. Please advise how much the City has granted them.
- 2. Financial year: 2018/19 and 2019/20.
- 3. Suburb.

Item 10

Supplementary Answers to Previous Questions

There are no Supplementary Answers to Previous Questions on Notice for this meeting of Council.

Item 11.1

Notices of Motion

Purchase of The Metro Kings Cross

By Councillor Forster

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) there has been longstanding community support for the iconic Metro Theatre -Kings Cross at 28-30 Orwell Street, Potts Point, to be acquired by City of Sydney Council for use as a community cultural facility;
- (ii) the luxurious Art Deco style theatre and offices were originally built in 1939 as a live entertainment complex called the Minerva;
- (iii) the building was bought and renamed The Metro Kings Cross in 1948 by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer (MGM) and converted into a cinema in 1952;
- (iv) after MGM was bought out by Greater Union Organisation in 1969, Harry M.
 Miller staged the musical Hair at the theatre and it returned to live theatre use until 1976;
- (v) it was converted into a short-lived shopping centre in 1981 before being acquired in 1982 for use as a film studio by Kennedy Miller Mitchell;
- (vi) The Metro is a building with unique architectural heritage, cultural and historic significance to both the local community and Sydney as a whole; and
- (vii) in March 2019 Abacus Property Group purchased the building for \$19.8 million, but may now be seeking to sell it; and
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to:
 - (i) investigate whether The Metro Theatre Kings Cross is available for sale, begin negotiations with the vendors and/or their agents over the possible acquisition by Council of the site for adaptive re-use as a theatre, film or cultural facility; and
 - (ii) report back to Council as soon as practicable on the results of these negotiations.

Item 11.2

Notices of Motion

Community Wealth Building

By Councillor Scully

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) the importance of ensuring Council makes every effort to support local businesses in a time of recession and economic lockdown;
- (ii) one of the goals identified in the City's Covid-19 Recovery Plan is to "support a resilient economy and community wealth building ... by encouraging recovery actions to be developed in partnership between government, business and communities ... supporting local procurement, promoting local businesses and working together with our communities to catalyse the changes needed to build a stronger future";
- (iii) at the Council meeting of 8 April 2019, Council endorsed a motion requesting the Chief Executive Officer "to investigate the possibility of developing a local preference policy for the City of Sydney";
- (iv) only 12 per cent of small-to-medium enterprises in the City are registered on Tenderlink, the online tender advertising platform used by the City, and that increasing this figure would help the City source more of its requirements from local businesses:
- (v) fifty-five to 65 per cent of the City's procurement already runs through businesses registered in the City of Sydney Local Government Area, and staff are actively considering actions we can implement to increase this;
- (vi) the rapid growth of the Community Wealth Building (CWB) movement in North America, the United Kingdom and Europe, which aims to establish fairer, more inclusive economic principles using the strengths and skills of local government as 'anchor institutions' using their resources, spend and influence to create a fairer society, serve as employment multipliers, and build more self-sufficient and thriving local communities;
- (vii) the success of Community Wealth Building initiatives around the world including the Preston Model, Spain's Mondragon Corporation, and the work of the Democracy Collaborative in Cleveland, Ohio in supporting local economies to be more resilient in the face of crises, nurturing diverse models of enterprises which deliver secure and fair conditions for workers and partners, and enabling socially, financially and environmentally sustainable outcomes;

(viii) the increasing uptake of Community Wealth Building-related programs across Australia, from earlier projects such as Renew Newcastle, to the City of Gold Coast's 'buy local' procurement policy and the GROW program in regional Victoria:

- (ix) the challenges experienced by community and creative organisations in particular in retaining secure and affordable space, exacerbated by the impacts of the pandemic and lockdown;
- (x) in 2018, the Mayor of London established the Creative Land Trust, which supports the community and industry in the acquisition or long term lease of creative workspace in order to provide a network of sustainable, permanent spaces that will remain affordable for artists and creative producers in perpetuity. The success of international programs like London's Creative Land Trust could serve as a model for ensuring greater resilience for important social and cultural infrastructure in our City;
- (xi) the first principle proposed by the City's Citizens' Jury in its Sydney 2050 concepts report was that of participatory governance, consistent with the principles of Community Wealth Building; and
- (xii) the Community Recovery Plan endorsed by Council on 29 June 2020 sets out four Recovery Goals, including support for a "resilient economy and community wealth building". The Plan states that "as part of our work to build capacity in groups and organisations, we will support local procurement, promote local businesses and work together with our communities to catalyse the changes needed to build a stronger future"; and
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to:
 - (i) investigate developing a City policy integrating the principles of Community Wealth Building into City operations to make the City of Sydney an 'anchor institution' for building and retaining wealth in our area, including through procurement, the use of City land and assets, and increased support for diverse models of ownership and operation that empower communities and share economic benefit more broadly;
 - (ii) investigate how the City might develop and enter into Memorandum of Understanding with major partner organisations – such as universities, hospitals, airports, and the members of the Camperdown Ultimo Innovation Precinct, and to raise it with some of our important networks such as the Better Building Partnership and Sustainable Destination Partnership – to build a network of anchor institutions which increase local and socially responsible procurement across the City;
 - (iii) investigate creative land trust models and how they might be applied in our local context; and
 - (iv) embed the principles of Community Wealth Building into the City's Sustainable Sydney 2050 plan, in line with the goals of the City's Covid-19 Recovery Plan and the recommendations of the Citizens' Jury.

Item 11.3

Notices of Motion

Temporary Cycleway Clearway Restrictions

By Councillor Phelps

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) following a Lord Mayoral Minute of 15 May 2020, pop-up cycleways were identified by Transport for NSW (TfNSW) and the City as part of a solution to ease demand for public transport as the NSW Government eases restrictions on business activity following the Covid-19 lockdown;
- (ii) there has been significant community opposition to the City of Sydney and Transport for NSW proposal for a temporary cycleway along Moore Park Road and Fitzroy Street between Lang Road, Paddington and Bourke Street, Surry Hills due to the adverse impact the pop-up cycleway will have on the local community, including:
 - (a) the imposition of a 24/7 clearway outside of residences on the South side of Moore Park Road, where houses already have no stopping along the laneway to the rear;
 - (b) the associated loss of 118 on street parking spaces in a community which already has limited on street parking; and
 - (c) a complete lack of community consultation about the temporary cycleway;
- (iii) on 2 July 2020, Council endorsed keeping clearway hours on neighbouring Fitzroy Street, Surry Hills to accommodate both the pop-up cycleway and the needs of residents and businesses on Fitzroy Street;
- (iv) residents on the South side of Moore Park Road are already experiencing the adverse effects of having no vehicle access to their properties from Moore Park Road. This has included:
 - elderly residents, at least three of whom rely on mobility aids, being required to navigate across Moore Park Road to gain level access to vehicles;

- (b) deliveries:
 - from supermarkets being refused or limited to drop off on the North side of Moore Park Road at which point they need to be carried across the road to residences (assuming that the resident is physically capable of doing so); and
 - being returned to the depot for collection when general delivery vehicles have been unable to stop or park on Moore Park Road;
- (c) this will have particular impacts during any heightened Covid-19 restrictions where contactless delivery options will be necessary for food as well as medications and other essentials for elderly and vulnerable residents; and
- (d) the new 15 minute parking on Cook Road, which has been implemented to provide access for Gumnut Gardens Childcare service, being occupied for long periods making them unavailable for Gumnut Gardens or delivery drivers; and
- (v) residents on Bridge Road, Forest Lodge are reporting similar concerns and issues with their current clearway to be removed completely to make way for the pop-up cycleway on both sides of the street; and
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to:
 - (i) liaise with Transport for NSW to strongly advocate:
 - (a) that the pop-up cycleway on Moore Park Road be changed to be only during peak hour times, so that parking for residents, tradies, visitors and deliveries can continue outside of 6am-10am and 3pm-7pm Mondays to Fridays for the duration of the pop-up cycleway; and
 - (b) to amend the 15 minute parking on Cook Road to make it 15 minute parking at all times;
 - (ii) liaise with Transport for NSW to strongly advocate for keeping existing clearway hours along Bridge Road, Forest Lodge, so that parking be allowed to continue outside of 6am-10am and 3pm-7pm Mondays to Fridays; and
 - (iii) report back to Council via the CEO Update.

Item 11.4

Notices of Motion

Metro Theatre Kings Cross

By Councillor Phelps

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) the Metro Theatre (formerly the Minerva Theatre) remains an architectural and cultural icon of the Sydney Local Government Area and has been afforded heritage protection under Clause 5.10 (Heritage conservation) of the Sydney Local Environment Plan 2012. Its listing notes its social, historical and aesthetic significance and rarity values. Its interiors and design have high levels of intactness:
- (ii) the theatre is currently not for sale, following its purchase by the Abacus Property Group for \$19.8 million in March 2019;
- (iii) despite this purchase taking the theatre off the market, the local residential and cultural communities continue to advocate for the building being restored as a live theatre, community arts centre or community cultural facility due to:
 - (a) the shortage of theatres and other cultural facilities which meet the needs of independent, professional non-profit and commercial theatre producers;
 - (b) the organic growth of the eastern edge of the city as a theatre precinct comprising several small performance spaces; and
 - (c) its potential to drive economic growth and bring investment into the Kings Cross / Potts Point areas and help undo some of the economic damage done by the Lockout Laws and Covid-19;
- (iv) the City of Sydney has long played a major role in providing and increasing performance spaces and live theatre through:
 - (a) the restoration of the Capitol Theatre in the early 1990s;
 - (b) provision and ongoing support of the City Recital Hall in Angel Place;
 - (c) transformation of the former Baptist Tabernacle in Darlinghurst into the Eternity Playhouse, a 200-seat state of the art theatre;
 - (d) retention of the Reg Murphy Hall as the Hayes Theatre, now Australia's leading home of independent music theatre and cabaret;
 - (e) provision of the PACT Theatre for Emerging Artists in Erskineville; and

- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to:
 - (i) thoroughly investigate the business case for future use of the Metro Theatre as an entertainment and/or cultural facility;
 - (ii) begin discussions with the NSW Government and relevant private interests regarding the purchase of the Metro Theatre by the NSW Government and/or City of Sydney and the option of a public private partnership; and
 - (iii) report findings back to Council.

Item 11.5

Notices of Motion

No Greyhound Racing at Wentworth Park

By Councillor Thalis

It is resolved that:

- (A) Council note the rich history of Wentworth Park:
 - (i) by 1885, the Colonial Government proclaimed Wentworth Park as an area for recreation;
 - (ii) in the early 1900s, Wentworth Park was used for Rugby Union, Cricket, Rugby League, movie screenings, local brass bands would play in the rotunda and a kindergarten was established;
 - (iii) Trustees leased Wentworth Park after the war to raise revenue and it became home to a speedway track between 1928 and 1936. The speedway was closed due to track damage and noise complaints; and
 - (iv) greyhound racing in Harold Park was extended to Wentworth Park when the government issued a second greyhound racing licence in 1939;
- (B) Council note the animal cruelty associated with greyhound racing:
 - (i) around 10,000 greyhound puppies are bred each year for racing;
 - (ii) the industry has admitted to killing up to 17,000 healthy greyhound dogs each year. Some are never deemed fast enough for the track, some sustain injuries on the track and some retire;
 - (iii) greyhounds who do make the race track are put at significant risk of injury and death. Up to 200 greyhounds are injured during races each week and around five greyhounds are killed as a result of racing;
 - (iv) animal cruelty extends to live baiting practices involving the use of live kittens, rabbits, piglets and possums during training; and
 - (v) some trainers have been found to dope dogs with cocaine, caffeine and anabolic steroids to enhance their performance;
- (C) Council note the impacts of the greyhound racing gambling industry:
 - (i) Australians gamble around \$4 billion each year on greyhound racing alone;
 - (ii) the greyhound racing industry is estimated to be worth around \$55 million in revenue to the NSW Government; and

(iii) the NSW Government provides millions of dollars to the greyhound racing industry in tax breaks and track upgrades;

- (D) Council note the work of the NSW Government:
 - (i) in 2016, the then NSW Premier banned greyhound racing from July 2017, however following media, public, industry and internal pressure, the Premier reversed this ban before it came into effect;
 - (ii) in May 2020, the NSW Government released its Greyhound Welfare Code of Practice which will come into effect on 1 January 2021;
 - (iii) in June 2020, the NSW Legislative Council Select Committee on Animal Cruelty Laws in NSW released its report; and
 - (iv) the NSW Government is reviewing the Greyhound Racing Act 2017 and it is on public exhibition until 26 August 2020;

(E) Council note:

- (i) in 2015, the Lord Mayor made a submission to the Special Commission of Inquiry into the Greyhound Racing Industry in NSW condemning surplus breeding and failure to comply with legal and community standards of animal welfare:
- iii) in 2018, the Lord Mayor wrote to the then Minister for Racing condemning the Million Dollar Chase at Wentworth Park and Goulburn greyhound racing club upgrade and opposing greyhound racing; and
- (iii) the City of Sydney's Community Recovery Plan highlights the need for more open space for general wellbeing and to enable physical distancing;
- (F) this Council supports The Coalition for the Protection of Greyhounds' No Dog Racing at Wentworth Park campaign;
- (G) this Council remains opposed to Greyhound Racing in NSW;
- (H) the Lord Mayor be requested to write to the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation informing him of this resolution; and
- (I) the Lord Mayor be requested to write to the Minister for Water, Property and Housing and the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces requesting the removal of greyhound racing from Wentworth Park and reinstatement of the land as crown reserve for public recreation uses.

Item 11.6

Notices of Motion

Pop-Up Cycleways Consultation

By Councillor Chung

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- the City of Sydney and Transport for NSW have jointly established pop-up cycleways in Sydney under the COVID-19 Legislation Amendment (Emergency Measures) Bill 2020;
- (ii) Transport for NSW has established a hotline and email to receive feedback on the pop-up cycleways;
- (iii) the City of Sydney has created a survey monkey form for people to register to participate in the ongoing consultation around the pop-up cycleways;
- (iv) on 15 July 2020, the Senior Community Engagement Coordinator held a cycleway information session at Erskineville Station and the residents were not informed of this; and
- (v) a comprehensive consultation plan has not been implemented to ensure that all stakeholders are able to give feedback on the pop-up cycleways; and
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to:
 - (i) develop a comprehensive consultation plan, which includes all stakeholders, to understand the impact of the pop-up cycleways on the community;
 - (ii) implement the consultation plan within four weeks; and
 - (iii) report to Councillors via the CEO Update on the consultation plan and its outcomes.

Item 11.7

Notices of Motion

Enabling More Bicycle Parking in Existing Residential Developments

By Councillor Miller

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) enabling more active transport is a key strategic priority for the City of Sydney under Sustainable Sydney 2030;
- (ii) cycling is a crucial part of protecting our residents, workers and visitors during the Covid-19 pandemic because it is a safe, physically-distant and environmentally friendly form of transport that reduces road congestion and reduces passenger loads on public transport;
- (iii) the City has worked with the NSW Government to implement six new pop-up cycleways to encourage more cycling across the Local Government Area;
- (iv) the Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2012 and Sydney Development Control Plan 2012 contain provisions for managing the transport and parking needs of the city to limit the environmental and economic impacts of private car use. The provisions also encourage walking, cycling, public transport and car sharing;
- (v) recent reports indicate that that there has been a surge in bicycle sales and leases in Sydney since March 2020. While measures are being taken to accommodate more cyclists safely on the roads, there is often limited secure bicycle parking and storage spaces in some older residential buildings that were approved and constructed under previous planning controls when private vehicle use was prioritised over more sustainable transport modes;
- (vi) when vehicle parking spaces are approved as part of a development consent, the size, number and location of those spaces are set out under the approved plans. Conditions of consent are usually imposed that ensure parking spaces in a development are retained for their intended uses and not used for general storage, waste and the like; and
- (vii) if a resident wanted to convert their private parking space to a bike parking space, a modification consent would be required to amend the approved plans and/or condition of consent that relates to the space, which would be a time consuming and costly process for people who want to do the right thing and formalise the arrangement; and

(B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to investigate ways that the City can make it easier for owners of private residential parking spaces in existing developments to convert them to safe and secure bicycle parking spaces with consideration given to:

- (i) prioritising developments in areas that are well located in terms of proximity to public transport and cycling infrastructure;
- (ii) retention of all non-private parking spaces associated with the development such as for service vehicles, car share, and visitor (and disabled visitor) spaces;
- (iii) likely impacts on nearby on-street parking demand;
- (iv) links to the City's broader environmental outcomes as part of the Smart Green Apartments program, promotion of NABERS for residential apartment buildings and available grants for energy and water assessments; and
- (v) demonstrated engagement with/support from other local stakeholders.

Item 11.8

Notices of Motion

Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust

By Councillor Scott

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- the Berejiklian Government has created a super oversight agency to manage and potentially remove the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust, and other trusts of famous Sydney parklands;
- (ii) this new government managed agency risks not providing the same protections that a public Trust does and will threaten the independence that local Trusts maintain by challenging government attempts to commercialise and develop these public spaces;
- (iii) the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust which been active since 1983, is a powerful, local group committed to ensuring the parklands remain public, green spaces. In 2016, the Trust successfully stopped the Sydney Cricket and Sports Grounds Trust from building another stadium on its land;
- (iv) the Trust has been at the forefront of local initiatives. In 2016, they established the Cyclist Liaison Committee to provide a formal framework to consultation between the cycling community and the Trust to ensure that people were safe and satisfied. This was a thoughtful step towards making Sydney are more environmentally sustainable and safe city just as cycling was becoming more popular; and
- (v) the City has valued the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust's consultation and advice over the decades regarding development proposals, environmental policies and local initiatives, and commend the Trust for their ongoing commitment to protecting the parklands so diligently; and
- (B) the Lord Mayor be requested to write to the NSW Government Planning and Public Spaces Minister Rob Stokes urging him to:
 - ensure the independence of the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust, and other local parklands Trusts, to preserve and protect the independent local governing authorities of the public parklands in NSW; and
 - (ii) provide recurrent State funding for the parklands, to ensure they do not need to rely on commercialisation of the public parklands.

Item 11.9

Notices of Motion

Supporting Youth Employment

By Councillor Scott

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) prior to the Covid-19 pandemic, youth unemployment was double the national unemployment average;
- (ii) in recent weeks, youth unemployment has risen to 16.4 per cent, the highest rate in 23 years;
- (iii) the youth unemployment crisis is compounded by a shortfall in training and education opportunities;
- (iv) businesses forced to shut down disproportionately affected young people who rely on the casual employment system in sectors like hospitality and retail;
- (v) the City currently employs 30 young people through our development programs, paid internships, apprenticeships, cadetships and graduates;
- (vi) the City also provides traineeships through external trainee suppliers, a partnership with AFL SportsReady since 2013, and the ArtsReady program;
- (vii) the City has consistently supported young workers, however, the consequences of the pandemic require all avenues of employment to be investigated; and
- (viii) the Federal Government's recently announced \$2 billion JobTrainer package, \$1.5 billion of which is targeted towards keeping those already employed in apprenticeships and traineeships and the additional final \$500 million, which must be matched by the states and territories, aimed at school leavers and those currently looking for employment;
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to investigate opportunities for the City to employ additional numbers of school leavers and unemployed young Australians in apprenticeships and traineeships; and
- (C) the Lord Mayor be requested to write to NSW Premier, Gladys Berejiklian urging her to match the Federal governments funding to support young people and their employment.

Item 11.10

Notices of Motion

Forest Lodge Creek Mural

By Councillor Scott

It is resolved that:

(A) Council note:

- (i) leading up to Science Week, the Forest Lodge Public School have collaborated with artist and academic, Dr Leo Robba to propose a Painted River Project to understand how the urban environment interacts with the natural world; and
- (ii) the project is intended to contribute to a wall mural designed for a public space to recognise the importance of Johnston Creek in the neighbourhood and the community's interaction with it. The legacy of a public mural would represent the connection between the school community, and local community and environment; and
- (B) the Chief Executive Officer be requested to explore the ability to incorporate the children's art into a public art installation in Glebe, and the City's ability to support the mural's launch through permitting park events and in-kind support.