Attachment C

Engagement Feedback Table

Improving Cardigan Street Reserve, Glebe - Engagement Summary

From 17 May to 14 June 2019 we asked the community for feedback on a concept design for a plan to improve playground in Cardigan Street Reserve, Glebe. We received a total of 10 submissions during the public exhibition period. A summary of the feedback received is provided below.

Subjects raised in submissions

Category	Subjects raised	Total	City of Sydney response
Planting	Planting beds along streetscape verge impact rubbish bin location, access to and privacy of private property.	3	The extent and locations of planting beds will be considered during design development phase. Bins are to be stored on private property between collections, not on the footpath or street. Bins left out can create safety hazards and cause littering problems if they get knocked over. They are also more likely to be damaged, stolen or lost. To report bins being left out on the street, complete the online form.
	Tree removal (gum species) and possum habitat.	2	All trees for removal as part of this upgrade have been identified on the plan – none are gum trees or supporting possum boxes. The trees to be removed have been assessed by an arborist and have been marked for removal based on specific issues-health, form, defects or/and are considered weeds.
	Remove non native plants from the garden and replace with natives	1	Additional native and habitat planting is proposed.
	Consider the two new tree plantings on north side of the park so they don't effect security of neighbouring properties	1	No new trees are proposed for the north side of the park.
	Support for tree removal to increase surveillance into the park.	1	Safety and surveillance will be considered during the design development phase.
	Support for supplementary habitat planting. Similar to Blackwattle Bay.	1	Additional native and habitat planting is proposed. This will be considered during design development phase.
	Additional street trees	1	Additional street trees are not a part of this project scope. All feedback received outside of this project scope has been passed to the relevant teams for consideration.

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	Street tree location and existing service alignment (overhead powerlines)	1	This will be considered during design development phase.
Materials/ structures	Don't enclose the park with a tall fence	2	No fence is proposed.
	Protect and feature the original cobblestones	1	The design retains the existing cobblestones. Investigations into the extent of cobblestones along Cardigan Street roadway is underway.
	Seating location may cause noise impacts on neighbouring properties	1	This will be considered during design development phase.
	Retain the bitumen and bollard to ensure access for emergency services	1	This will be considered during design development phase.
	Integrate lighting into furniture to enhance safety and reduce light pollution	1	A lighting audit has been undertaken. Where lighting levels are non-compliant, fixtures or fittings owned by the City will be upgraded. Where the asset is not owned by the City, we will notify the asset owner and recommend for upgrade/improvement.
Other	Opposition to expanding the park area by including adjacent streetscape.	3	This will be considered during design development phase.
	Install a bin	2	Noted.This will be included during design development phase.
	The park needs better ongoing maintenance		We have forwarded your feedback to our Park's Maintenance Team.
			To report future park maintenance issues, don't hesitate to contact our Customer Service desk on 02 9265 9333 or council@cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au
	Changes to street may change street parking	1	The park upgrade will not change existing parking conditions.
	Install a dog waste bag dispenser	1	Noted. This will be included during design development phase.
	Anti-social behaviour	1	This will be considered during design development phase.

Online feedback form – rating elements of the proposed upgrade

Respondents who completed the online feedback form were asked to rate how important elements of the proposed upgrade were to them. The results are below.

	NOT IMPORTANT	IMPORTANT	VERY IMPORTANT	TOTAL RESPONDENTS	
New handrail and balustrade to heritage stairs	0.00%	57.14% 4	42.86% 3		7
New lookout and informal seating area to Darling Street	28.57% 2	42.86% 3	28.57% 2		7
New access paths	14.29% 1	71.43% 5	14.29% 1		7
New habitat planting	0.00% 0	14.29% 1	85.71% 6		7
New landscaping and pathway to Darghan Lane	42.86% 3	14.29% 1	42.86% 3		7
New informal plaza space with seating	14.29% 1	42.86% 3	57.14% 4		7
New turf area	42.86% 3	42.86% 3	14.29% 1		7
New entry area to Darghan Street	42.86% 3	28.57% 2	28.57% 2		7
New bubbler	57.14% 4	28.57% 2	14.29% 1		7

