

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 will be tabled.

Recommendation

It is resolved that the Disclosures of Interest returns be received and noted.

5.2 Petitions

(a) Fences at Sweetacres Park in Rosebery

Councillor Scott gives notice that, at the meeting of Council on Monday, 21 February 2022, she will table and speak to a petition (with 262 signatures) with the following terms:

The below signed call upon the City of Sydney to put fences up at Sweetacres Park in Rosebery.

(b) Keep Fitness Passport Access to City of Sydney Pools

Councillor Scott gives notice that, at the meeting of Council on Monday, 21 February 2022, she will table and speak to a petition (62 signatures as at 15 February 2022) with the following terms:

On 3 December, the City of Sydney announced they would be phasing out involvement with the Fitness Passport program in favour of their own membership program. The Fitness Passport is heavily used by healthcare providers throughout NSW Health as a way to access many fitness facilities across the state with one simple membership.

The City of Sydney pools have, until now, been a part of the Fitness Passport program. This enables healthcare providers subscribed to the program access to all of the city's fitness facilities. The city pools are a huge asset in managing the health, including the mental health, of healthcare providers across the city. With the recent burdens the pandemic has placed on healthcare providers, taking away this healthy outlet in order to sell their own memberships is cruel. Help me to maintain access to City of Sydney Pools for Fitness Passport users, in particular the healthcare providers who desperately need a healthy outlet for the stresses endured working through the COVID-19 pandemic.

Sign this petition and join me in demanding the City of Sydney continue to allow holders of the Fitness Passport to access their facilities and help ensure local healthcare providers continue to have access to this valuable resource without having to pay for additional expensive memberships!

(c) Redfern Park Toilets

Councillor Scott gives notice that, at the meeting of Council on Monday, 21 February 2022, she will table and speak to a petition (with 9 signatures) with the following terms:

This petition is to send to the City of Sydney Council (Ms Clover Moore). The Redfern Park Community has had enough of only one toilet being available to people who frequent this very large park. The toilet is either closed majority of the time, broken, or vandalised, or just not cleaned. We are requesting Ms Moore to open the bank of toilets under the grandstand and close this toilet once and for all!

The community deserves better!

Recommendation

It is resolved that the Petitions be received and noted.

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