## **Attachment A**

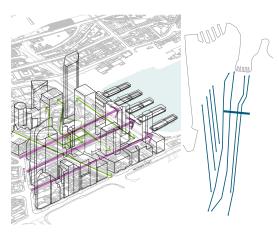
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The following five directions have emerged from preliminary consultation, site analysis and existing strategies, and are based on the existing unique and positive characteristics of City North.

## Guiding Directions



Strengthen north-south streets and encourage eastwest pedestrian permeability



Creating clear, legible and clutter-free routes along the City's north-south streets will contribute to the walkability of the city, and allow improved access to public spaces and transport interchange. Enhancing the strong north-south corridors with finer-grain, meandering east-west streets and lanes creates a connected and permeable network.



Reinforce a connected public space at Circular Quay and create a unified square from the building edge to the water



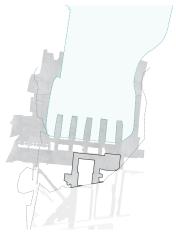
Reinforce Martin Place as the City's premier civic and public space



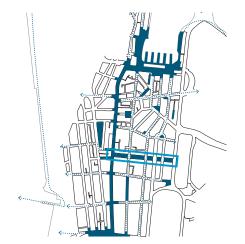
Create a linked series of park and garden spaces and upgrade existing open spaces



Support and encourage active building edges and high quality activation in the public domain that also reflects the important heritage of this precinct, in particular Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander heritage



One of the key aims of Sydney 2030-2050 Continuning the Vision is to establish Circular Quay as one of the City's premier public spaces, linking the city to the water. The long term vision of a unified Circular Quay underpins this plan.



Martin Place is home to some of the Sydney's finest architecture and most significant civic monuments. It is one of the few 'planned' public spaces within Central Sydney. A strategy to better connect the blocks of Martin Place, and increase the useability of the space, will help reinforce Martin Place as a destination rather than a thoroughfare.



Preserving and upgrading our existing parks will help them cater to the increased useage that will come with the growing city population. City North has the opportunity to link existing pockets of green space with avenues of street tree planting, in accordance with the City's Street tree Masterplan, creating a high quality green network.



Active building uses that spill out into the public domain can help activate currently underused areas, and can provide places for people to stop and enjoy the city. Rebalance the representation of history and heritage in places of significance. These uses are important to increase amenity in open spaces, near parks and to provide services near transport hubs. High quality active edges are important to Inclusive and vibrant public life will define the character of significant places such as Circular Quay and Martin Place.