

LAWSON WARD
BRONTE BEACH PRECINCT

Waverley Council Response Report to requests from the August 2023 Bronte Beach Precinct meeting

Meeting Date	Motion	Council Officer Response	Directorate	Status
23 August 2023	<p>Collection of Pill Packets for recycling</p> <p>Background: The War on Waste recently raised the issue of the collection of the foil which encapsulates the medication pill capsules as the metals can be recovered and reused and there are so many of them generated.</p> <p><i>The BB Precinct requests that Waverley Council move to include a collection of pill capsules at their site in Bondi Junction's Service Centre at Spring Street and advertises this collection site to residents accordingly.</i></p>	<p>Council's Sustainable Waste team have advised the following:</p> <p>Thank you for feedback related to the blister packs. Council is always looking at opportunities to divert waste from landfill and will consider this for inclusion in our problem waste services.</p> <p>Pharmacycle is an organisation that works with Terracycle to collect and recycle blister packets. There is a station available for community use at Blooms Chemist in Eastgate, Bondi Junction. This is listed on Council's A to Z Recycling Directory and we have plans to promote this to the community.</p>	Planning, Sustainability and Compliance.	Complete
Next meeting: 18 October 2023				