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ACTIONS							
29 November	High Street Flooding Waiting for new Pits due in this financial year. Nick Zervos is aware of the project. The Mayor PM will find out where Council is at with this project	Designs are in procurement phase for that work. Works to be undertaken over the next 2 – 3 months.	Assets + Operations	In progress			
	Bondi Pavilion BC talked about Yoga Class in High Tide Room Mayor PM said that there is a high demand for space in the Pavilion and it is difficult to assign priority to the various groups. She will talk to the Manager and Council Officers to discuss how the space can be assigned fairly	Venue hire EOI is undertaken mid-year for regular hirers. Pavilion hosts an average of 36 regular hire sessions each week (Seagull/High Tide/Ocean Rooms) Mix of fitness, wellness, dance, support & community group sessions: 31 x sessions run by small businesses 2 x sessions organised by Council 2 x support groups 1 x community dance group	Community, Culture + Customer Service	Complete			
	E Bikes on Footpaths Electric Bikes are being left on footpaths leaning on buildings and doors and in the way of pedestrians Mayor PM to follow up. Mayor PM has asked Council Officers to look at legislation as to whether they can confiscate bikes as litter There are 3 E-Bike Operators now. Originally there were five.	 2,200+ regular/casual bookings this calendar year (so far). Council is actively working with Share Bike operators, neighbouring Councils and TfNSW on this matter. Council has previously installed and worked with bike share providers with the principle of fixed "hub" style areas. Unfortunately, this has not worked. Bike users did not follow the requirement of placing their bikes within the designated zones. Council is in ongoing discussions with bike share operators on how to improve the placement of bikes. Similarly, enforcement and impounding is continually being discussed with the providers. We have found that under the legislation it is difficult 	Planning, Sustainability + Compliance	In progress			

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		to impound bikes because we need to substantiate that they have been abandoned for 7 days or more. This is still an option that we are investigating.				
		Council is working to find solutions to these matters and will investigate the suggestion the Precinct has made. Council will provide an update as soon as possible.				