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15 February 2023	MOTION 1 – Traffic Management Plan for Bondi Basin Bondi Precinct requests the action plan and overriding principles governing the development of the traffic management plan for the Bondi Basin. Bondi Precinct believes important traffic principles have been established by Waverley Council and should be included in the traffic management plan. These are: 1. No street closures as this just shifts traffic onto surrounding streets; 2. No street changes without majority residential support; 3. Residents first and residents to be protected in all traffic planning considerations.	CLC forwarded feedback to Service Manager, Traffic and Transport. Service Manager advised that Council has just completed a survey on "Have Your Say" of an area including part of the Bondi Precinct as part of the Bondi Local Traffic Study. The survey asked residents to identify their traffic concerns. The area covered was nominated by Councillors. It is shown in the map below. Council is in the process of getting a study developed by independent consultants using the feedback from the survey, traffic data, and other submissions that have been put to Council. The Precincts suggestions have been added to the feedback.	Assets and Operations	In progress
15 February 2023	MOTION 2 – Bondi Pavilion Management Bondi Precinct strongly objects to the front of the Pavilion being used as a branding	Meeting between the Director of Community, Culture and Customer Experience, and Bondi Precinct Members occurred on Wednesday 22 March where these matters were discussed.	Community, Culture and	Complete

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	<ul> <li>exercise for <i>Loubi's On the Beach</i>, a French company selling shoes. The Pavilion is a historic NSW landmark, restored at vast expense by the ratepayers of Waverley. The current commercial adornment cheapens the façade and obscures the magnificence of this building.</li> <li>Bondi Precinct requests that Waverley Council provides examples of contracts being offered to cafes, restaurants and other commercial leases at the Pavilion.</li> <li>Bondi Precinct also requests that Waverley Council release the governance guidelines, Plan of Management for the Pavilion, including who oversees managing the building maintenance, leasing and space and how the community is involved and represented in this process.</li> <li>Please provide by the end of March</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The following resources were shared with the Precinct following the meeting:</li> <li><u>Community Strategic Plan</u></li> <li><u>Operational Plan 2023 (Please note, a new Operations Plan will be released shortly)</u></li> <li><u>Bondi Park, Beach and Pavilion Plan of Management</u></li> <li><u>Advisory Committees Webpage</u></li> <li><u>Events Policy</u></li> <li><u>What's on at Bondi Pavilion</u></li> <li><u>Subscribe to our eNews</u></li> <li><u>Bondi Pavilion Instagram Page</u></li> <li>The Director of Community, Culture and Customer Experience is happy to keep the communication going between the Precinct and hear feedback on what Council can do better.</li> <li>Please note, the requested Contracts are confidential and cannot be shared.</li> </ul>	Customer Experience		
15 February 2023	MOTION 3 - DA 271/2022: Bondi Precinct objects to DA 271/2022 on the grounds it is a gross overdevelopment of the site, exceeds height limits and overall bulk, does not comply with the Waverley DCP 2012 and LEP, provides insufficient setbacks, loss of residents' amenity, and is commercial creep into residential areas.	Feedback was submitted to Council's DA team and will be treated as a submission to the DA.	Planning, Sustainability and Compliance	Complete	

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15 February 2023	MOTION 4 - Zoning Changes Bondi Precinct requests a briefing from appropriate council directors on zoning changes and the current status of the Our Liveable Centres Strategy, its impact, and how it informs the LEP, the WDCP and any developments in Bondi.	This meeting was held on Monday 6 March at Waverley Council Chambers. The following were in attendance - Director of Planning Sustainability and Compliance, Manager of Executive Services and Manager of Strategic Planning and Principal Strategic Planner along with members of Bondi Precinct. Ward Councillors were also invited but were unable to attend.	Planning, Sustainability and Compliance	Complete
15 February 2023	<ul> <li>MOTION 5 - Request pamphlet regarding</li> <li>CDC process and Community Planning</li> <li>Advocate</li> <li>Bondi Precinct requests that Waverley</li> <li>Council produce a pamphlet as soon as</li> <li>possible outlining the process of CDC's,</li> <li>including: <ol> <li>The council officer and go-to point for residents with concerns,</li> <li>The role and obligations of council</li> <li>The rights of residents and how they can protect themselves</li> <li>Clear lines of escalation for CDC concerns and enquiries</li> <li>Plan for internal training for council staff on CDC's</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Council's Planning and Compliance team will be conducting a review of Council's website in the coming weeks. Council feels that an online source of information is more accessible to a wider audience.</li> <li>Please note, once the Community Planning Advocate position is filled, helping the community and Precincts understand Planning, including DAs and CDC's, will be a core element of the position.</li> <li>As part of this, several communications will be developed.</li> <li>This includes: <ul> <li>Updating Waverley Council's Website with clear detail on the issues raised by the Precinct, FAQs, advice on how to write a submission etc</li> <li>Online webinars</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Planning, Sustainability and Compliance + General Manager's Unit	In progress
15 February 2023	MOTION 6 - Rubbish dumping issue Bondi Precinct calls on Waverley Council to develop a plan and enforcement strategy to address the dumping of rubbish on our beaches, roads and pathways.	Reducing illegal dumping is a priority theme in the Waverley Council Community Strategic Plan (CSP), which includes a target of 25% reduction in incidents from 2017/18. Waverley Council current employs a range of strategies to prevent and respond to incidents of illegal dumping in the council area.	Assets and Operations, and Planning, Sustainability and Compliance	Complete

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		Waverley Council is:			
		A member of Sydney RID Squad			
		- Since 2017, Council has been a member council in the Sydney RID			
		Squad, a regional team of highly experienced investigators who			
		follow up on reports of illegal dumping to identify, and if			
		appropriate, prosecute those responsible, while also educating			
		our community about how to dispose of their unwanted items			
		legally and sustainably. The Squad is authorised to investigate			
		illegal dumping in the region under the Protection of the			
		Environment Operations (POEO) Act 1997 and Regulations.			
		<ul> <li>During 2021 the Sydney RID Squad recorded an 1085% increase</li> </ul>			
		in offenders taking responsibility for clean-up of their waste.			
		Operating surveillance campaigns			
		- Council enforcement officers and the Sydney RID Squad routinely			
		undertake surveillance campaigns at hotspot locations around			
		the LGA to deter dumping, obtain evidence and hold offenders			
		responsible.			
		- Council increased the number of surveillance cameras available			
		for use to deter illegal dumping in 2021.			
		Developing Council's internal capacity to prevent and respond to illegal			
		dumping			
		<ul> <li>Council employs a Waste Enforcement Officer who regularly</li> </ul>			
		patrols the local area, investigating illegally dumped material and			
		issuing Clean-up Notices and/or fines to illegal dumpers.			
		- A Waste Compliance and Contamination officer position was			
		created in Nov 2021 to work with residents and building			

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		managers to address waste presentation issues e.g. Overflowing		
		bins, excess waste, over loaded bins, excess clean up material.		
		- A Waste in Public Places Policy was developed to assist council to		
		communicate correct waste presentation.		
		<ul> <li>Waverley council applies for NSW EPA grant funding when</li> </ul>		
		available and has received grants in 2019 and 2021 to fund		
		initiatives to reduce illegal dumping. The 2019 grant project		
		resulted in an average 48% decrease in dumping incidents along		
		five streets in Waverley Council and the 2021 grant project		
		achieved a reduction of 21% on average at 7 of the 11 hotspot		
		streets. In 2021, grant funding enabled Council to provide		
		advanced investigative (Certificate IV in Government		
		Investigations) training for ten enforcement staff.		
		- Council has applied for a grant in 2023 under the NSW EPA Illegal		
		Dumping Prevention Program.		
		Providing and promoting alternatives to illegal dumping		
		<ul> <li>Council provides households with up to three free bulky goods</li> </ul>		
		clean-ups per year, including one scheduled and two 'your call'		
		clean-up collections. The service is provided to help residents		
		responsibly dispose of unusable or unrepairable bulky items.		
		'Your call' collection availability is subject to demand, however		
		residents can most often arrange a collection for their next bin		
		day. Between 2020 and 2022, with funding from the NSW/EDA's illegal		
		<ul> <li>Between 2020 and 2022, with funding from the NSW EPA's illegal Dumping Clean up and Prevention Program, council undertook a</li> </ul>		
		number of communications campaigns for alternative disposal		
		and recycling options for problem and bulky waste, including		
		quarterly problem waste drop off events, Garage Sale Trail and		
		the Bower's Collection Service. Campaigns have made use of		

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		truck banner art, high circulation print media, social media, council owned communications channels and events.		
		Empowering residents and building managers to prevent and respond to illegal dumping		
		<ul> <li>Since 2019, Waverley Council has been actively engaging with building stakeholders, such as managers, strata committees and</li> </ul>		
		concerned residents to optimise bin room areas, disseminate signage and educational materials and offer tools to encourage responsible waste presentation and deter dumping. Illegal		
		dumping education materials have been incorporated into Waverley's Recycling Improvement Program, which has reached more than 130 buildings.		
		<ul> <li>Waverley Council has prepared two Waste and Recycling by-law templates that are available at no cost to strata communities located in Waverley Council as a tool to reduce dumping on</li> </ul>		
		common property. The resources Waste Disposal By-Law and the Move In / Move Out By law and a Guide to Strata By-Laws for Waste Management were supported by seminars and webinars		
		<ul> <li>with strata lawyer Amanda Farmer, who developed the by-laws.</li> <li>Residents can report illegal dumping easily and anonymously using ridonline.epa.nsw.gov.au (RID Online), Snap Send Solve or by calling our Customer Service Centre on 9083 8000. Reporting the incident can help us find the offender and hold them accountable.</li> </ul>		
15 February 2023	MOTION 7 – Community Planning Advocate Position Bondi Precinct expresses its disappointment at the lack of progress on the appointment	The Community Planning Advocate Position was advertised in mid-March 2023. The recruitment process is currently underway.	General Manager's Unit	Complete

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	of a Community Planning Advocacy Co- ordinator to assist residents navigate the planning process.	Whilst this position is being filled, please contact the Community Liaison Coordinator who can work with the Planning team to assist you.		
15 February 2023	MOTION 8 – Drain at south end of Bondi beach Bondi Precinct calls on Waverley Council to consider alternatives for better managing the drain at the south end of the national heritage listed Bondi Beach.	The shower drain cannot easily be rediverted into a stormwater line or sewer system. In order to achieve this, a large length of the promenade would have to be trenched to install new pipes at an exorbitant cost. The small volume of water that reaches the sand is generally quickly absorbed. Council Officers are currently investigating suitable options to redivert the water discharge, this is understood to require a complex solution that would need to be delivered as part of a larger promenade renewal. The promenade renewal is listed in Councils 10 year Long Term Financial Plan.	Assets & Operations	In progress