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Parramatta Road Corridor Stage 1 Implementation – Leichhardt, Taverners Hill and Kings Bay Precincts





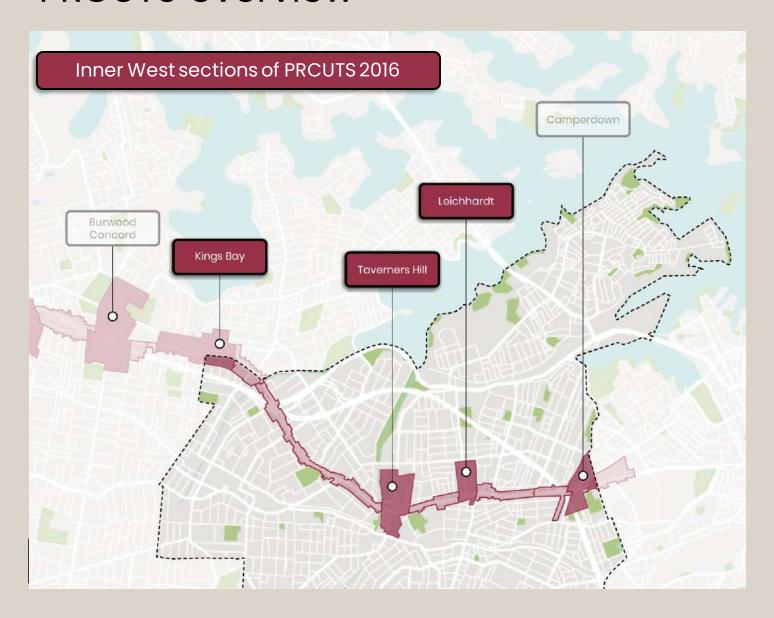


## Planning Proposal background

**PRCUTS** endorsed Council adopts Council supports Council resolves Gateway the Planning by NSW LSPS and Local Determination to prepare an LEP to meet 6-10 year Proposal for issued by DPE Government **Housing Strategy** Parramatta Road housing target Corridor March 2020 Sep 2020 May 2022 Nov 2016 Oct 2022



#### **PRCUTS** overview



- PRCUTS Ministerial Direction 2016
- Implementation Toolkit incl. Planning and Design Guidelines
- NSW Public Spaces Legacy Program (PSLP) Grant funding \$4.75m - May 2022

Inner West precincts:

- Kings Bay
- Taverners Hill
- Leichhardt
- Camperdown

Council's Planning Proposal Stage 1

## Background – how have we got here?

NSW Government Plans

Inner West plans and strategies

Planning Proposal Studies

Greater Cities Commision Parramatta Road Corridor urban Transformation Strategy (PRCUTS)

**PRCUTS** 

A Metropolis of Three Cities

Implementation Plan 2016-2023

Eastern City District Plan PRCUTS:
Planning and
Design Guidelines

Our Place Inner West: Local Strategic Planning Statement

Going Places: An Integrated Transport Strategy

Pathway to Zero Emissions

Local Housing Strategy

Parramatta Road Urban Amenity Improvement Program Masterplan Planning Proposal Strategic Merit Justification

Flooding

Aircraft noise

Traffic
Transport study

Urban Design and Heritage

Contamination

Affordable Housing

Economic Assessment

Sustainability





## Stage 1 implementation area

applies to parts of the Leichhardt, Taverners Hill and Kings Bay Precincts

address DPF short-med term shortfall of up to 1600 dwellings

ensure development occurs in line with timely delivery of infrastructure

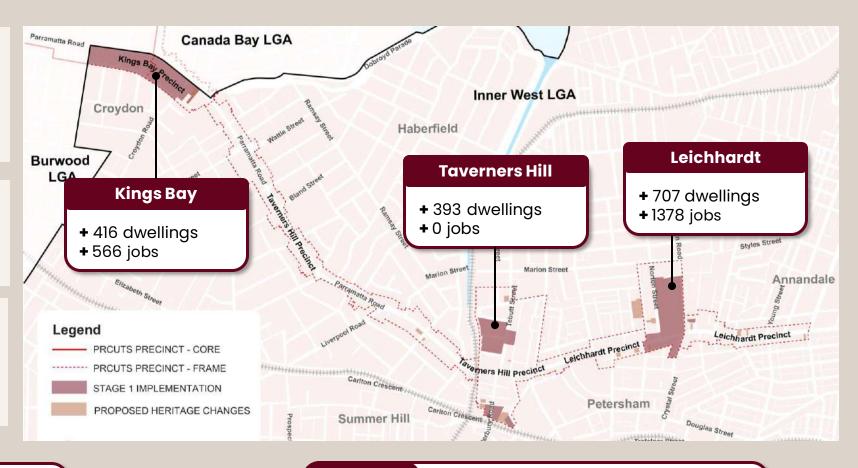
focus growth in key local economic centres and locations where there is existing and committed transport infrastructure

exclude industrial zoned sites (Employment

new heritage items and

Zones Review)

heritage conservation areas



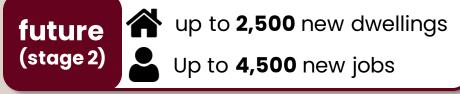




1,516 new dwellings



**1,944** new jobs



## objectives: building for a better future

- support a high quality of life; embrace diversity and adapt to the population needs of the future.
- connected communities through space, social engagement, and transport.
- protect, enhance and expand Inner West's heritage.
- meet NSW Government's dwelling and employment targets.
- increase affordable housing
- new benchmark for ecologically sustainable development











## Precinct-wide controls: FSR/ height incentives mechanism

- changes to land use zoning
- proposed new heritage items/HCAs
- new FSR/ height bonuses if below provisions are satisfied:
  - appropriate high-quality built form, development pattern
  - active street frontages in town centres
  - higher than standard energy and water requirements – low carbon precincts
  - tree canopy cover targets and urban heat mitigation measures
  - maximum car parking rates as set by PRCUTS (no minimums), minimise traffic congestion
  - bicycle parking and facilities for key workers
  - state infrastructure contributions







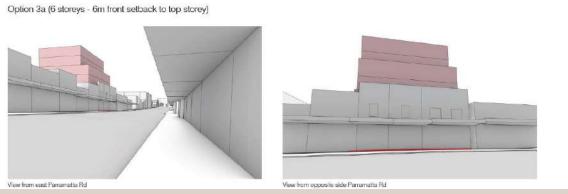


## Gateway Determination October 2022

- remove local provisions relating to:
  - commitment from NSW Government to introduce an on-street rapid transit system along Parramatta Road
  - tree canopy targets in the public domain
  - additional **heritage local provision**
  - community infrastructure contributions
- address urban design matters in Leichhardt and Taverners Hill Precincts
- address Local Planning Direction 4.1 Flooding requiring additional flood impact analysis
- **sustainability targets** in line or above the Sustainable Buildings SEPP 2022
- · 28 day exhibition period







## proposed sustainability provisions (LEP/DCP)

- exceed minimum energy and water targets (increase over the Sustainable Buildings SEPP)
- mitigate urban heat island effect
- deep soil and tree canopy cover targets
- on-site worker facilities
- integrate green walls and roofs
- full electrification of utilities including cooking, heating and hot water (heat pumps)
- rooftop solar photovoltaic systems
- EV charging facilities





## proposed affordable housing provisions (LEP/DCP)

- require contributions for affordable housing to be made in accordance with an Affordable Housing Contributions Scheme (AHCS) for new developments in Leichhardt precinct
- 2% of the Residential Strata Area, on-site affordable housing units or equivalent monetary contributions or combination of both
- DPE Viability tool indicates AHCS not viable for not viable for Taverners Hill and Kings Bay/ Croydon precincts
- range of sizes, distributes throughout the development with Council-determined unit mix
- managed as per Council's AHCS and AHP





## proposed parking provisions

- minimise traffic generation
- support sustainable transport (public transport and active transport)
- reduce private car dependency
- 10-30% mode share target
- maximum LEP car parking rates (no minimums)
- encourage unbundled car parking, car share schemes and decoupled parking
- parking listed on a separate title (unbundled) from the development
- supports affordability objectives
- new resident parking schemes (no impacts to existing permits)





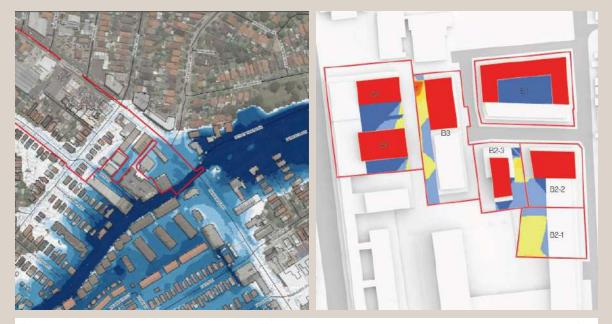




## Post – Gateway changes – Revised Planning Proposal/ DCPs

- Flood assessment removal of sites in Kings Bay precinct and additional setbacks for Tayerners Hill south
- Urban design revised Incentive Floor Space Ratios (FSRs), Incentive Height of Building (HOBs) and floor to floor heights
- Sustainability targets and bicycle parking
- Proposed DCP changes relating to sustainable transport and unbundled parking
- AEDRP feedback DCP changes
- Revised Planning Proposal new dwellings +1515 and +1944 jobs (reduction by ~ 200)
- New timeline for LEP to be finalised by March 2024



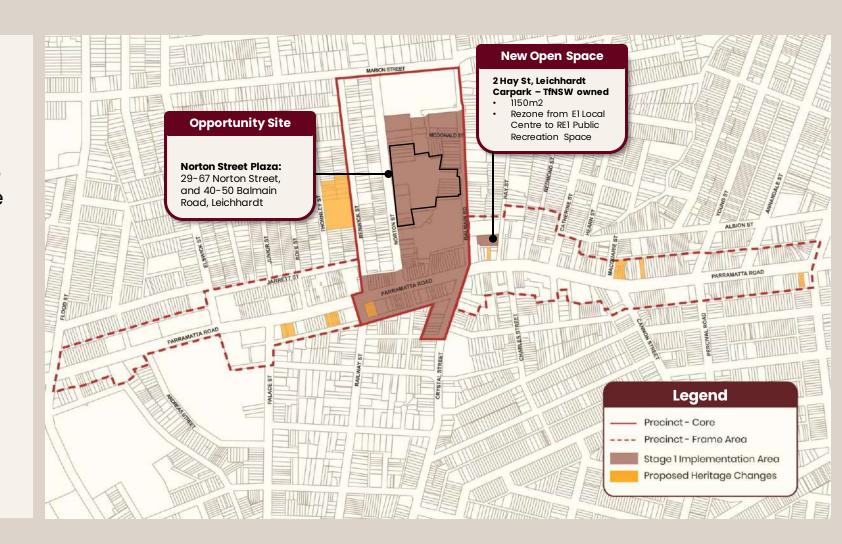


Asset	Recommended IWC Planning Proposal Requirement (BASIX 2022)	
Low-rise 2-3 storeys	BASIX Energy 75 (BASIX 2022)  = 8-point increase over BASIX 67 (Sustainable Buildings SEPP)	
Mid-rise 4-5 storeys	BASIX Energy 66 (BASIX 2022) = 5-point increase over BASIX 61 (Sustainable Buildings SEPP)	
High-rise 6-20 storeys	BASIX Energy 65 (BASIX 2022) = 5-point increase over BASIX 60 (Sustainable Buildings SEPP)	

## Leichhardt precinct

#### key outcomes:

- Potential for 707 new dwellings
- Potential for 1378 new jobs
- building heights 3 to 6 storeys, up to 9 storeys on Norton St Plaza Site
- **FSRs** 1.9:1 to 3:1
- new open space at TfNSW owned Hay Street Carpark
- new east-west connections to increase connectivity between Norton Street and Balmain Road
- require 2% affordable housing through affordable housing contribution scheme





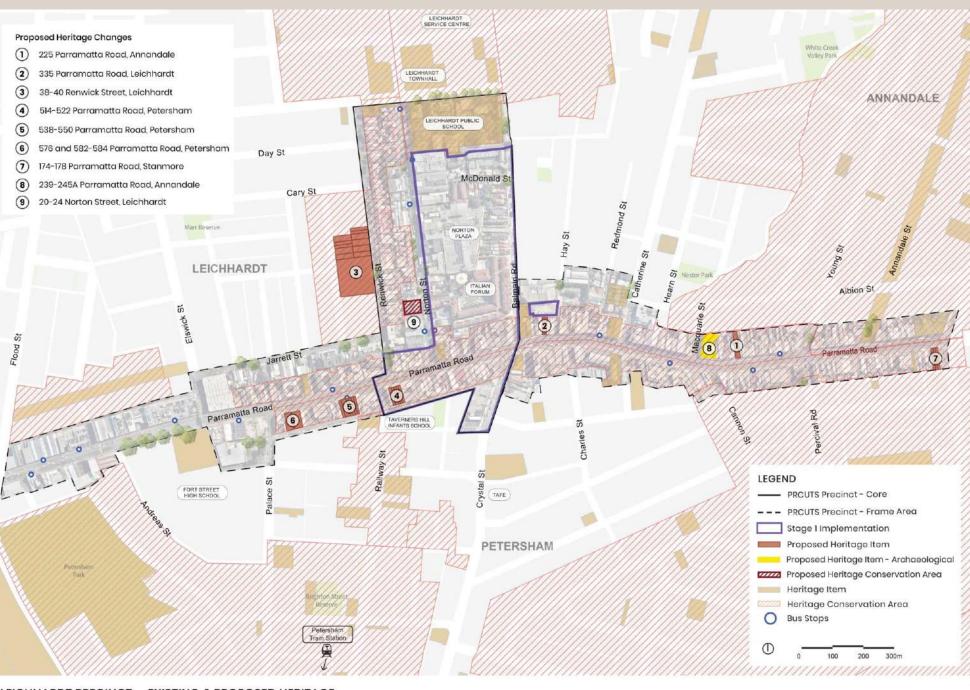
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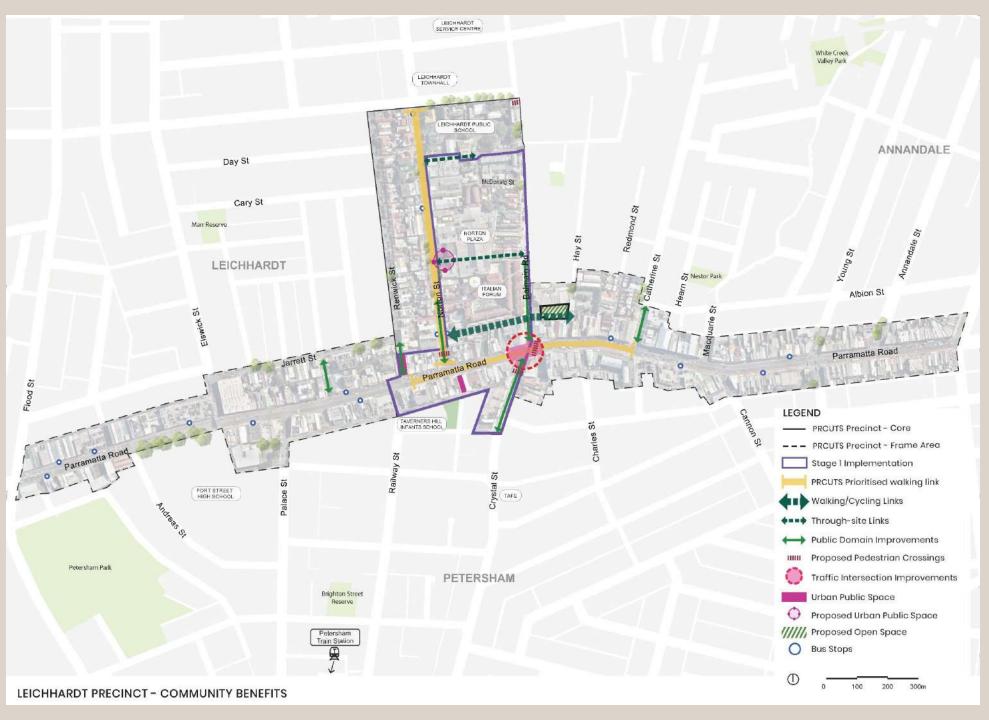
## Proposed LEP maps





## Leichhardt precinct

Existing and proposed heritage



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Key community benefits

## aerial view of indicative building envelopes - Leichhardt





## Indicative illustrations - Leichhardt



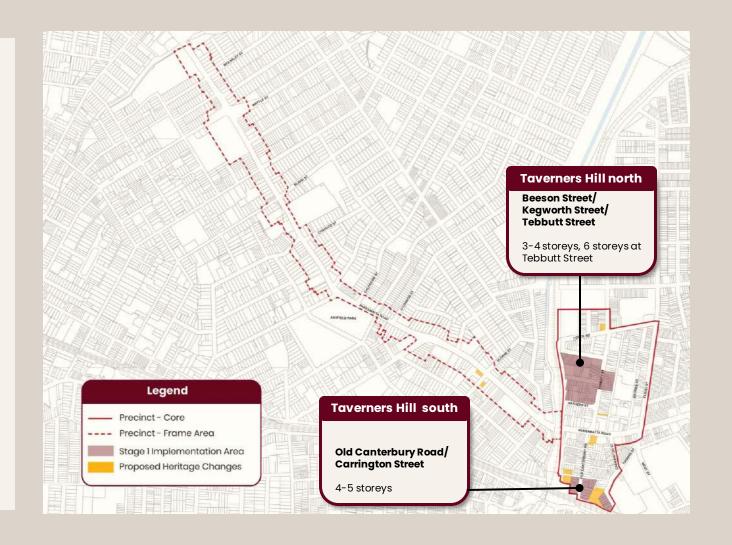




## Taverners Hill precinct

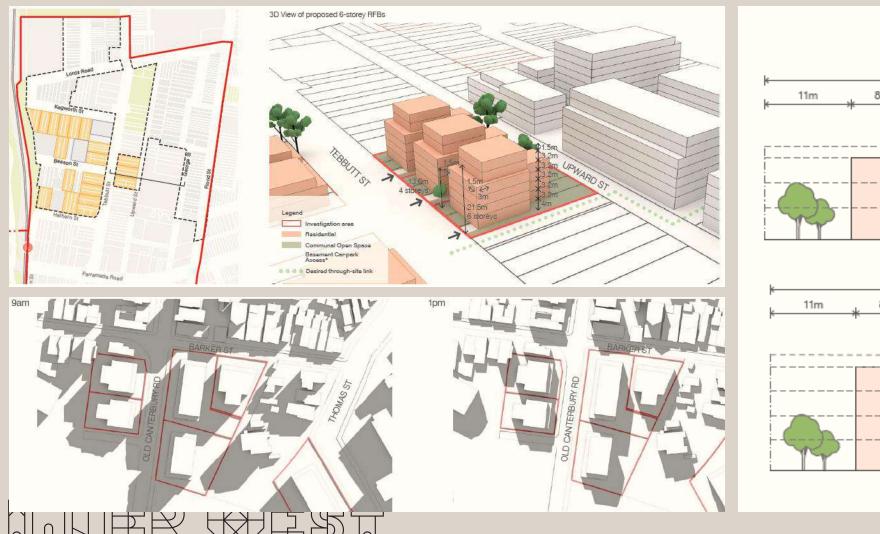
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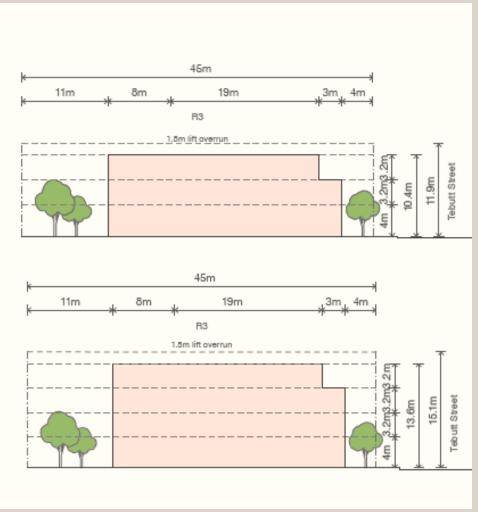
- potential for 393 new dwellings
- strategically located new residential development close to existing public transport
- building heights
  - 3 to 4 storeys Beeson Street/Hathern Street
  - 6 storeys Tebbutt Street
  - 4-5 storeys Old Canterbury Road, Carrington Street
- **FSRs** 1:1 to 1.4:1





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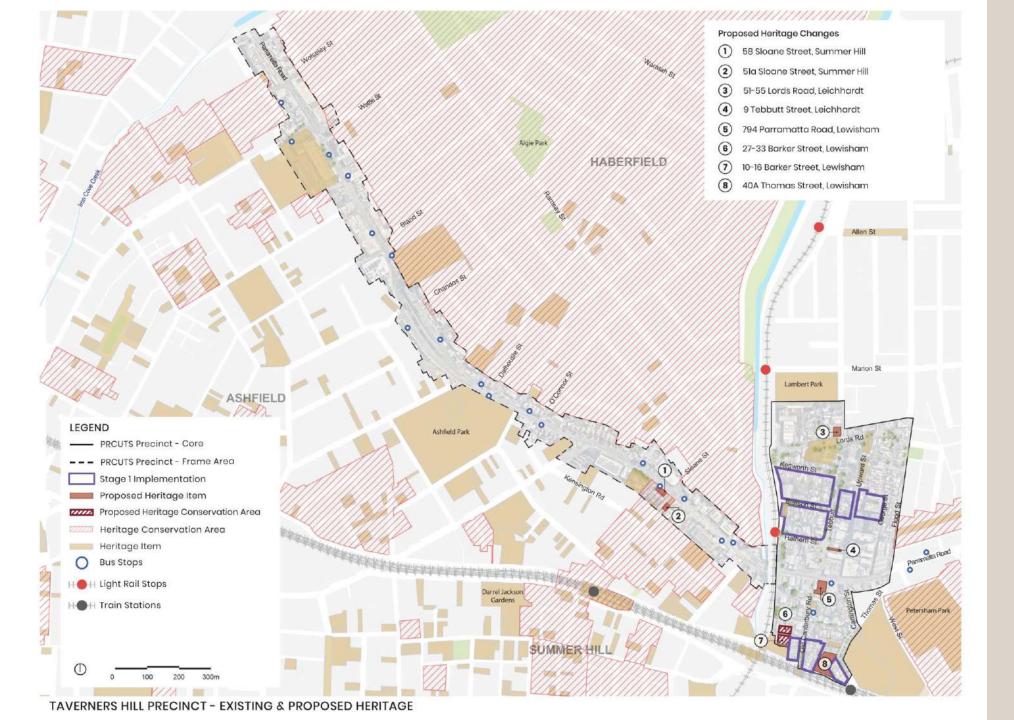


Floor Space Ratio Incentives Map



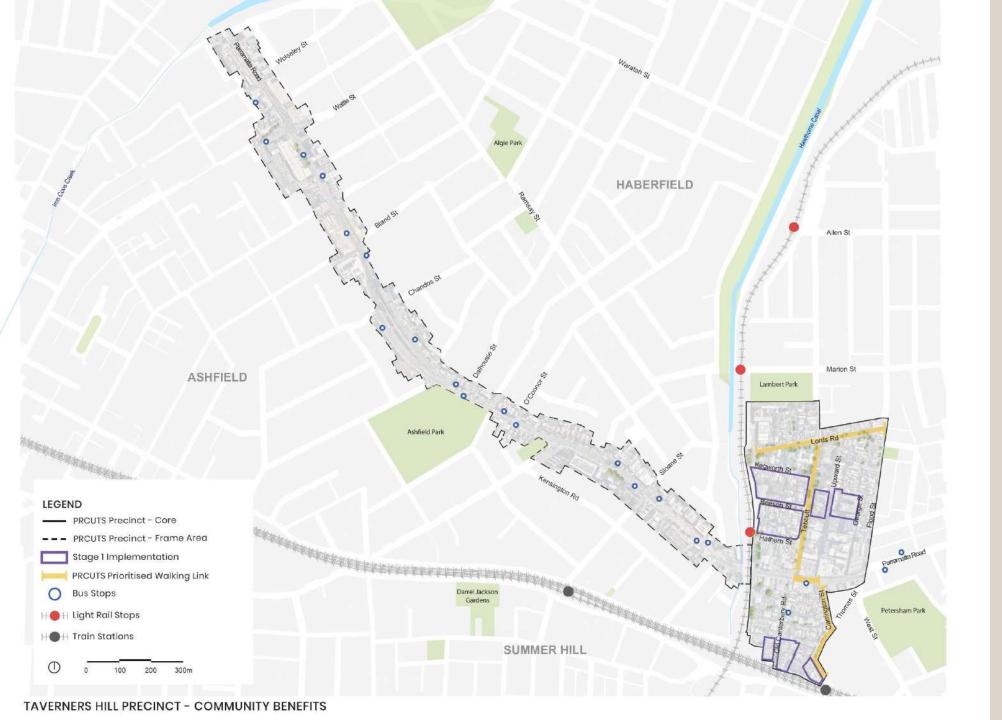
Height of Building Incentives Map





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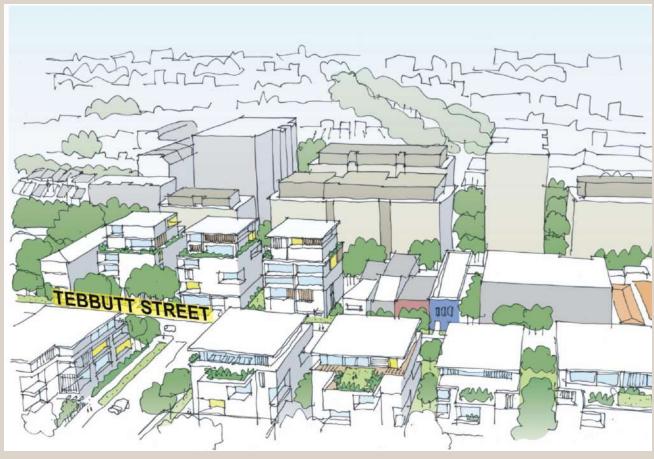
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## indicative illustrations – Taverners Hill



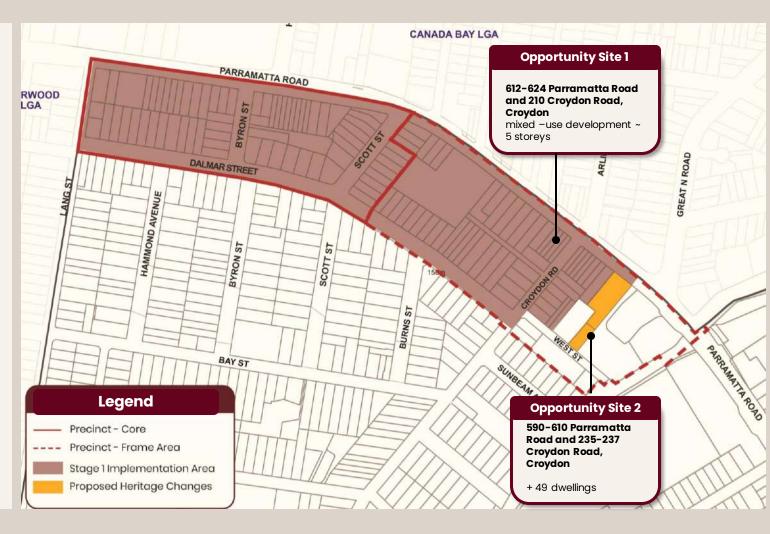




## Kings Bay/ Croydon precinct

#### key outcomes:

- Potential for 416 new dwellings
- Potential for **566** additional jobs
- building heights 3 to 5 storeys
- **FSRs** 1:1 to 2.4:1
- new residential and employment opportunities within 800m of the proposed Five Dock Metro Station





## Kings Bay precinct

#### key community benefits:

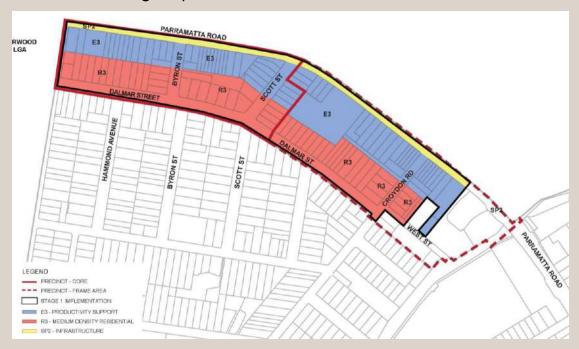
- prioritised walking links along:
  - Croydon Road between Parramatta Road and Elizabeth Street
  - Lang Street Croydon (eastern side)
  - Parramatta Road incl. Acton St & Alfred St intersection
- enhanced public domain along Parramatta Rd
- through site links connecting Parramatta Road and Dalmar Street





## Proposed LEP maps

#### Land Use Zoning Map

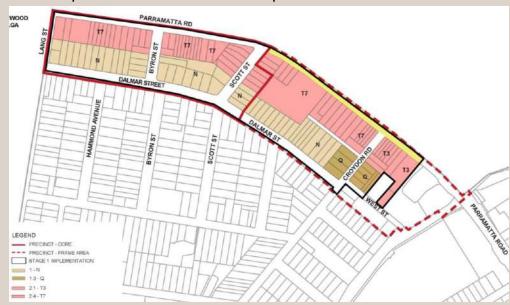




#### Height of Building Incentives Map



#### Floor Space Ratio Incentives Map





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## supporting draft DCPs

- Leichhardt Precinct north of centre line of Parramatta Road – Leichhardt DCP
- Leichhardt Precinct south of centre line of Parramatta Road –
   Marrickville DCP
- 3. Taverners Hill Precinct northern area **Leichhardt DCP**
- 4. Taverners Hill Precinct southern area **Marrickville DCP**
- 5. Kings Bay Precinct Inner West Comprehensive **Ashfield DCP**

Updates existing development control plans

Only includes new controls – if silent existing controls prevail Only applies if incentive FSR and HOB controls are sought

#### Includes:

- Precinct wide controls
- Area controls locations within the Precinct

Blend of fitting into existing DCPs

existing generic controls will continue to apply eventually move into IW comprehensive DCP



## proposed DCP controls framework

#### precinct-wide matters:

- Precinct Desired Future Character
- Precinct Objectives and Controls
- Primarily relating to incentive matters

#### site-specific matters:

- Application
- Area map
- Area Desired Future Character
- Area Objectives and Controls
- Focuses on relevant built form and anticipated uses

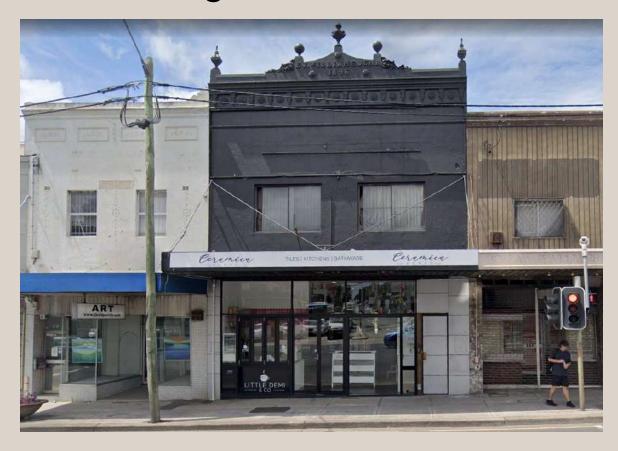




- Streetscape
- Developmentinfrastructure
- Sustainability and resilience
  - Building performance
  - Urban heat mitigation
- Active frontages (where applicable)
- Heritage
- Access and parking (including bike riding)
- Lot amalgamation
- Built form
  - Height in storeys
  - Street walls
  - Setbacks
  - Building design
- Landscaping
- Vehicle and service access
- Additional matters i.e. provision of open space, through-site links

## Parramatta Road – Leichhardt precinct heritage DCP controls

- Parramatta Road HCA
- Retain 2 storey street wall to Parramatta Road
  - Setback to 3<sup>rd</sup> storey of 3m
  - Setback to 6<sup>th</sup> storey additional 6m
- Retain parapets
- Retain existing floor to floor heights
- Responds to heritage through sympathetic development





## What is happening now?

The proposal is on public exhibition from 6 November until 17 December 2023



Provide feedback and find out more on this project

Online at: <a href="https://yoursay.innerwest.nsw.gov.au/parramattardcorridor">https://yoursay.innerwest.nsw.gov.au/parramattardcorridor</a>

Sending an email to: <a href="mailto:strategicplanning@innerwest.nsw.gov.au">strategicplanning@innerwest.nsw.gov.au</a>

Sending a letter addressed to:

Inner West Council, PO Box 14, Petersham NSW 2049
Att: Strategic Planning: Parramatta Road Planning Proposal

In-person community meeting and local drop-in session











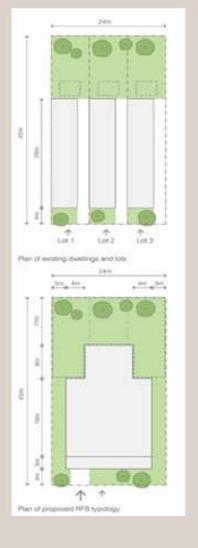
#### Addendum

## Proposed tree canopy targets

Zone	Site area	Canopy target	Deep soil*
R3 Medium Density	less than 650m2	15%	-
	650-1500m2	20%	<u>=</u>
	1500-3000m2	25%	2
	Greater than 3000m2	35%	÷
E3 Productivity support	All lots	35% (25% for bulky goods)	25%

<sup>\*</sup>New residential development over 3 storeys is required to meet Apartment Design Guidelines deep soil targets under the SEPP Design Quality for Residential Apartment Development.









# Group Discussion

