



Inner West Votes



Update on preparations for the
2017 Inner West Council election

Briefing to **August 2017** meeting of LRAC by Tanya Whitmarsh (Group Manager Governance)

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1. Non-residential roll

Council staff processed 79 applications for inclusion in the Non-Residential Roll

- this is the highest number of such applications recorded for any council conducting an election on 9 September 2017



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2. Letters to those eligible to vote

- To be sent week commencing 21 August to all those who are eligible to vote as per electoral roll
 - contained in plain envelope
 - standard details with ward-specific content
 - details on pre-polling, postal voting, relevant ward of recipient and polling places in the ward
- Will include advice in multiple languages explaining how to contact Telephone Interpreter Service to translate important information in the letter about the election

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3. Candidate information sessions

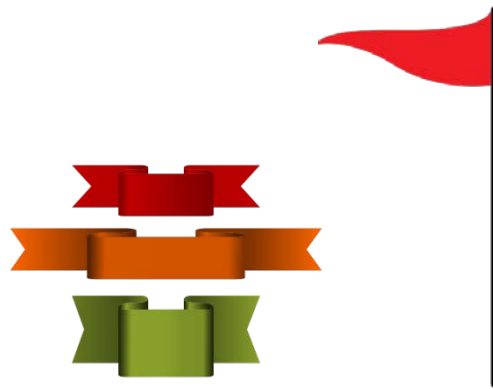
- Two sessions facilitated by Martin Bass for **LGNSW** on behalf of Council
 - Leichhardt Service Centre on **Thursday 20 July** at 6:30pm
 - Ashfield Service Centre on **Tuesday 15 August** at 6:30pm
- 9 potential candidates attended the 20 July session



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4. Branding and publicity

Street banners and **street flags** have been ordered for locations across the Inner West Council area as detailed at the July IAG and LRAC briefings



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5. Induction program for Councillors

- **21 September** - Extraordinary Council Meeting to elect Mayor and Deputy Mayor (*if result of election is finalised by 18 September*)
- **23 September** - Delivery of *Councillor Induction Package*
- **26 September** – Councillor Briefing including presentation from John Davies of the OLG on the strategic role of Council
- **3 October** – Councillor Briefing on agenda for first Council Meeting

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- **5 October** - Extraordinary Council Meeting to deal with urgent Council business
- **10 October** - Councillor Briefing
- **20-21 October** – Councillor summit at Rydges Camperdown to brief Councillors on the progress of integrating and developing the new Council capabilities and planning for the future
- **24 October** – Ordinary Council Meeting

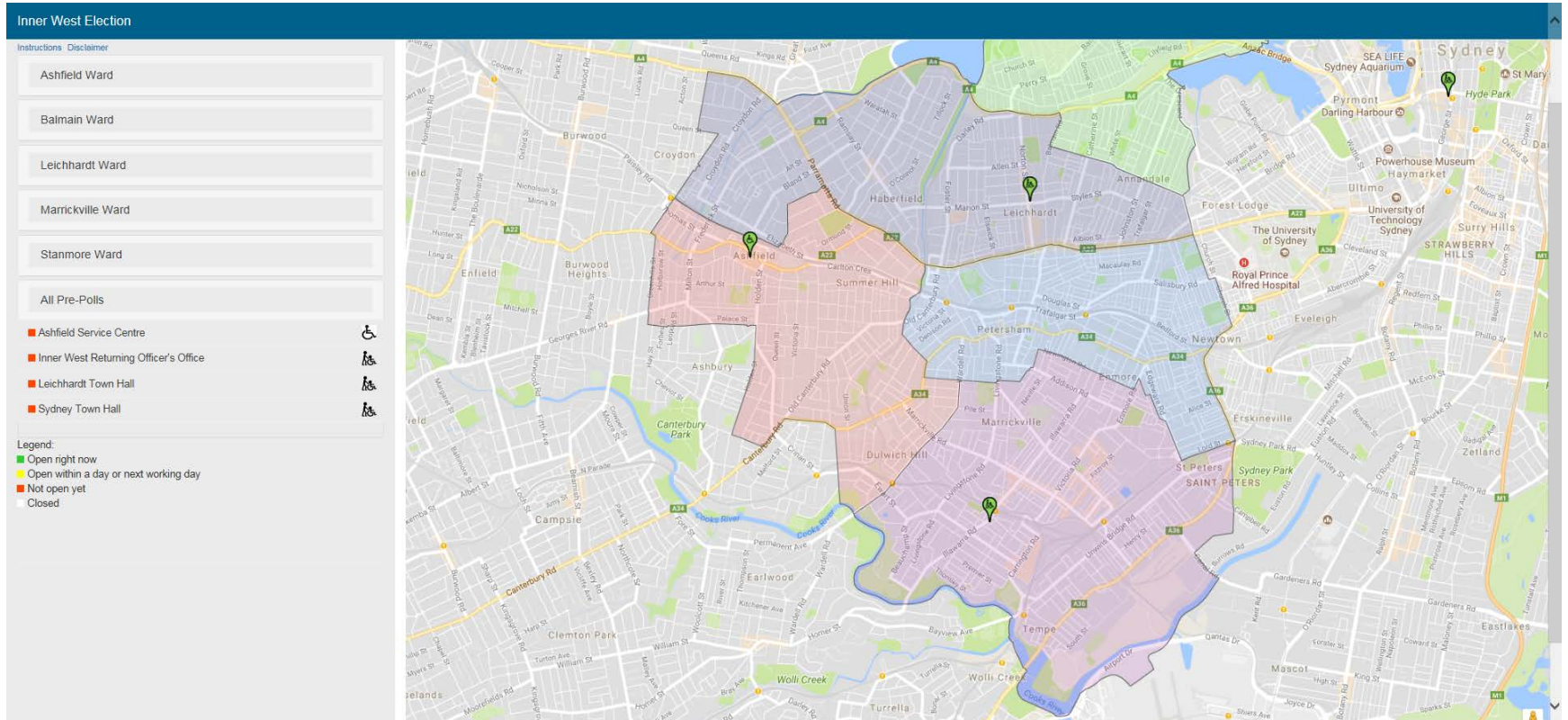
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6. Polling Places

- Details of polling places on the NSWEC website via inter-active maps
- Inner West pre poll centres
<http://map.elections.nsw.gov.au/Map.aspx?mode=PR&ID=LG1701-057>
- All Inner West polling places
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- Partnering with responsible stakeholders on risk assessment and mitigation measures (including security measures)

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7. Polling place map – pre poll centres



7. Polling place map – all places

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Ashfield Ward


Balmain Ward


Leichhardt Ward


Marrickville Ward


Stanmore Ward


All Polling Places


Ashbury Public School 


Ashfield Public School 


Ashfield Town Hall 

Croydon Park Public School 

Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design 

Dulwich Hill Public School 

Haberfield Public School 

Leichhardt Town Hall 

Enter your address to find the nearest polling place

By car By public transport

