

AGENDA



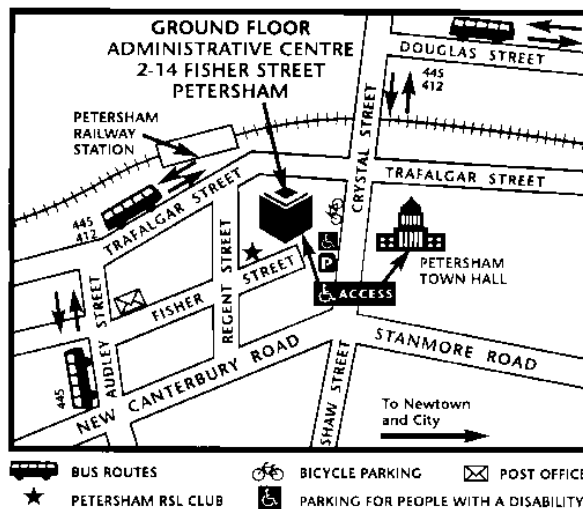
INNER WEST COUNCIL

TRANSPORT STRATEGIC REFERENCE GROUP

3 MAY 2017

6:00PM

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Location: Petersham Service Centre, 2-14 Fisher Street, Petersham

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Please note that only community members appointed by the Administrator can vote on recommendations made by the Strategic Reference Group.

Item No:	Item 1
Subject:	Community Strategic Plan
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SUMMARY

Robust input from the Strategic Reference Groups (SRGs) is a vital component of the development of the Inner West's first Community Strategic Plan (CSP). Input to the CSP is one of the core roles of the SRGs.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. That the TSRG note the process for development of the CSP.
2. That the TSRG determine how members would like to participate in the process.

Background

The Community Strategic Plan (CSP) is the most important plan that sits above all Council's other plans and policies. The CSP identifies the community's main priorities and aspirations for the future, and plans strategies to achieve them. It takes into account the issues and pressures affecting the community, and the level of resources that will realistically be available.

While Council is responsible for managing the planning process on behalf of the Inner West, delivery of the plan's long-term outcomes relies on strong partnerships including with state agencies, community groups and the wider community. A successful CSP is one in which the whole community feels ownership.

The CSP addresses four key questions for the community:

- Where are we now?
- Where do we want to be in 10 years' time?
- How will we get there?
- How will we know we've arrived?

The Inner West's CSP will be based on principles of:

- social justice (equity, access, rights and participation)
- ecologically sustainable development.

The SRGs are a key stakeholder in developing the CSP and input will be sought across the whole process including development of the vision, objectives and strategies. Council will partner with the SRG in each aspect of the decision, including the development of alternatives and the identification of the preferred solutions.

Presentation

At the meeting, the SRG will hear a presentation including:

- High-level demographic profile of the Inner West.
- Overview of the CSP – what it is; the process for developing it; and the four key questions it addresses.
- How the SRG can contribute to the CSP by:
 - Answering questions raised in the Issues Paper and/or participating in a conversation relevant to the area of interest or expertise of the SRG (next 3 meetings)
 - Commenting on the Draft CSP at review stage (from August 2017 approximately)

Financial Implications

The CSP is developed in conjunction with a Resourcing Strategy that includes a

- Long Term Financial Plan
- Workforce Management Plan
- Asset Management Plan
- Information and Communications Technology (ICT) Plan

This ensures that the outcomes can be delivered with the level of resources that will realistically be available.

Conclusion

Input from the Inner West Strategic Reference Groups is a vital component of developing a successful CSP. SRG advice and recommendations on the issues, vision, objectives and strategies will be included in the decisions made about the CSP to the maximum extent possible.

Attachments

Draft Issues Paper.

Attachment 1.

**DRAFT ISSUES PAPER
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