

# INNER WEST COUNCIL

## NEIGHBOURHOOD COMMUNITY INSIGHTS REPORT chapter 5

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# ABOUT PLACE SCORE AND THIS RESEARCH

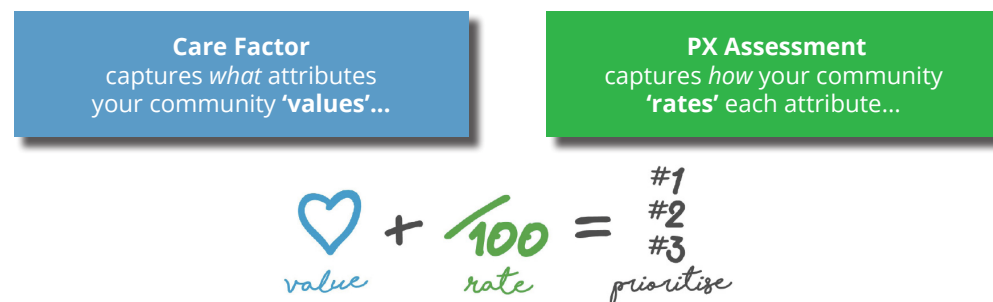
Place Score offers two sophisticated data collection tools, Care Factor and Place Experience (PX) Assessments. Like a 'place census', Care Factor captures what your community really values, while PX Assessments measure the community's lived experience.

Together they help you identify what is important, how a place is performing and what the focus of change should be. An attribute with a high Care Factor but a low PX Assessment should be a priority for investment.

There are many benefits in using Place Score for your project research:

- Community segmentation; geographic and demographic
- Insights that can be used for multiple projects over a number of years: strategic planning and implementation projects
- Quantitative data for evidence based planning to measure the impact of investment over time
- Identification of place attributes that the community all cares about as well as potential conflicts to minimise risk

## HOW THE PLACE SCORE SYSTEM WORKS:



A place attribute with a high Care Factor but a low PX Score should be prioritised.

## WHERE AND WHEN WAS THIS DATA COLLECTED?

Between 4 February and 6 March 2019 Place Score collected Neighbourhood Care Factor surveys and PX Assessments for the Inner West Council. This data is the basis for your Neighbourhood Community Insights Report.

Surveys were available in: English, Italian, Greek, Simplified Chinese, Spanish, and Vietnamese.

### NEIGHBOURHOOD CARE FACTOR SURVEY

Which place attributes are most important to you in your ideal neighbourhood?

- 1805 respondents, with 1701 being local residents
- Respondents were asked 'What is your small or big idea to make your neighbourhood a better place?'
- 1203 people shared their ideas.
- Online and face-to-face data was collected between 4 February and 6 March 2019.

### NEIGHBOURHOOD PX ASSESSMENTS

How is each place attribute impacting your personal enjoyment of your neighbourhood?

- 1091 local residents, workers and visitors completed a Neighbourhood PX Assessment
- Respondents were asked 'What's missing in your neighbourhood that would make it a better place to live?'
- 867 people shared their ideas.
- Online and face-to-face data was collected between 4 February and 6 March 2019.

**A total of 2,896 responses were collected during the research.**

# ABOUT PLACE SCORE AND THIS RESEARCH

## STRATEGIC PLANNING USING PLACE SCORE

Place Score provides a rigorous evidence base for decision making by providing four different data sets:

**1. CARE FACTOR** - what your community thinks is most important in their 'ideal neighbourhood'. Like a 'place census' you can use this data to understand community values in a specific location or for a particular demographic group

**2. PX ASSESSMENT** - how your community rates the liveability of their current neighbourhood. This measures performance and can be used as a baseline from which to compare the place after investment and over time.

**3. PLACE PRIORITIES** - by aggregating the Care Factor and the PX Assessment data we can identify what place attributes people both care about and think are performing poorly (priorities), and those that are performing well (retain and protect).

**4. OPEN ENDED QUESTIONS** - your community's ideas for changes that will make their lives better. This provides the opportunity to 'hear the voice of the community'.

Place Score has tailored the Neighbourhood Care Factor and PX Assessment reporting to reflect the requirements of the Greater Sydney Commission and Department of Planning. Place Score's standardised insights provides a "common language" across the LEP update process, assuring a clear line of sight from the District Plan to the Local Environmental Plan.

This report is designed to assimilate your community's inputs directly into each of the key areas of the LEP Update to help simplify Council's task:

- Local Strategic Planning Statement
- Local Character Statement
- LEP key themes (eg Residential)

## CONNECTING PLACE SCORE TO STRATEGIC PLANNING

The Care Factor and PX Assessment include 50 neighbourhood attributes. Because liveable neighbourhoods are a complex system of the both tangible and intangible, and the private and the public, not all Place Score attributes align directly with the LEP Update process. The following table summarises how Place Score has built the base structure for this report - by coding our attributes against the requirements set out in sample documents and guidelines.

PLAN	DIRECTION / THEME	PLACE SCORE ATTRIBUTES (TOTAL OF 50)	PLACE SCORE OPEN QUESTION ANALYSIS
Greater Sydney Commission Directions / Local Strategic Planning Statement	Liveability	28 attributes	Open question analysis (Built form, facilities, movement, economy, housing, character, public domain, community behaviours, social connections and safety, natural environment, development and change)
	Productivity	12 attributes	
	Sustainability	10 attributes	
Local Character Statement	Built form	5 Attributes	
	Land use	12 attributes	
	Place	24 attributes	
	Landscape	5 attributes	
Planning Tool Box	Movement	4 attributes	Planning Tool Box Open Question Analysis (Economy and centres, facilities, movement, public spaces, residential and built form, sustainability)
	Economy and centres	5 attributes	
	Facilities	5 attributes	
	Movement	4 attributes	
	Public spaces	7 attributes	
	Residential and built form	8 attributes	
	Sustainability	5 attributes	

## NOTES:

A response to the 'Infrastructure and Collaboration' directions from the Greater Sydney Commission's District Plan has not been included in this report as there was low levels of attribute alignment. Where a Place Score attribute could have been aligned with this direction there was also an overlap with the 'Productivity' direction. For the purpose of this report 'Productivity' was favoured as the more valuable direction for the community.

Local Character Statement categories are based on example reports for St Leonards & Crows Nest and Telopea provided by the NSW Department of Planning and Environment.<sup>1</sup>

Planning Tool Box themes are based upon Place Score attributes and Council preferences.

# HOW DO WE COLLECT AND USE THE DATA?

## PLACE SCORE COLLECTS THREE DIFFERENT DATA SOURCES:

DATA SOURCE	QUESTION ASKED
<b>CARE FACTOR (CF)</b>	<i>'Which place attributes are most important to you in your ideal neighbourhood?'</i> Respondents selected their 3 most important attributes in five categories to reveal what they value.
<b>PLACE EXPERIENCE ASSESSMENT (PX)</b>	<i>'How is each place attribute impacting your personal enjoyment of your neighbourhood?'</i> Respondents rated the performance of each attribute in five categories in relation to their neighbourhood.
<b>OPEN-ENDED QUESTION (OPENS)</b>	<i>'What is your big or small idea to make your neighbourhood better for you?'</i> and <i>'What's missing in your neighbourhood that would make it a better place to live?'</i> Respondents were given 25 words to express their ideas for each question, responses have been classified according different themes by Place Score.

## THERE ARE THREE DIFFERENT WAYS THE DATA IS REPORTED:

1. Raw data (e.g. Care Factor top 10)
2. Combined Care Factor and PX data (e.g. Liveability priorities)
3. Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / Greater Sydney Commission (GSC) requirements or a specific topic (e.g. Local Character 'Place')

SECTION	PAGES	DATA SOURCE			DATA REPORTING <sup>1</sup>
		CF	PX	OPENS	
NEIGHBOURHOOD PROFILES (P.31-110)	Strengths and Priorities	Yes	Yes	No	Combined Care Factor and PX data
	Top 10 Care Factor	Yes	No	No	Raw data
	Liveability	No	Yes	No	Raw data
	Ideas for change	No	No	Yes	Raw data
LOCAL STRATEGIC PLANNING STATEMENT (P.111-121)	Region and District Plan Alignment	Yes	Yes	No	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning requirements or a specific topic
	Vision Directions	Yes	Yes	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning requirements or a specific topic
	Context	Yes	No	No	Raw data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
	Directions	Yes	Yes	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
	Who wants Change?	No	No	Yes	Raw data
PLANNING TOOL BOX (P.122-162)	Directions	Yes	Yes	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
	Community Priorities for Investment	Yes	Yes	No	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
	Priorities, Strengths and community concerns	Yes	Yes	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
	Community ideas for change	No	No	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
LOCAL CHARACTER STATEMENT (P.163-190)	Local Character Attributes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements
	Local Character Directions	Yes	Yes	Yes	Raw and/or combined data coded against NSW Planning / GSC requirements

# ABOUT THE RESPONDENTS

## CONFIDENCE LEVEL:

Unless noted otherwise, a **95% confidence level** with a margin of error of  $\pm 5$  (%) or pts) can be expected for all Care Factor and PX Data

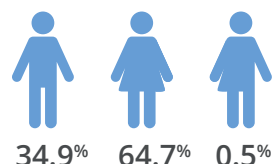
	Demographic	Low Target	Achieved	Remark
CF	LGA	n = 380 for $\pm 5\%$ at 95% Confidence	n = 1701	Above target
	15-24 yrs	13% $\pm 5\%$	3.2%	4.8% below target margin
	25-44 yrs	45% $\pm 5\%$	39.3%	0.8% below target margin
	45-64 yrs	28% $\pm 5\%$	41.2%	8.2% over target margin
	65+ yrs	13% $\pm 5\%$	16.3%	On target
	Male	48.7% $\pm 5\%$	34.9%	8.8% below target margin
	Female	51.3% $\pm 5\%$	64.7%	8.4% over target margin
	Smallest sample (Haberfield)	n = 90 for $\pm 10\%$ at 95% Confidence	n = 67	Achieved $\pm 10\%$ at 90% Confidence for Haberfield.
PX	LGA	n = 280 for $\pm 3.5\%$ at 95% Confidence	n = 1091	Above target
	15-24 yrs	13% $\pm 5\%$	4.1%	3.9% below target margin
	25-44 yrs	45% $\pm 5\%$	37.7%	2.3% below target margin
	45-64 yrs	28% $\pm 5\%$	39.6%	6.6% above target margin
	65+ yrs	13% $\pm 5\%$	18.6%	0.6% above target margin
	Male	48.7% $\pm 5\%$	35.1%	8.6% below target margin
	Female	51.3% $\pm 5\%$	64.5%	8.2% over target margin
	Smallest sample (Haberfield)	n = 70 for $\pm 7\%$ at 95% Confidence	n = 36	Achieved $\pm 7\%$ at 85% Confidence for Haberfield.

## CARE FACTOR DATA

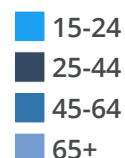
Data was collected via online and face-to-face surveys during the period 4 February and 6 March 2019. A total of 1701 local residents participated.

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### GENDER



### AGE<sup>1</sup>



### COUNTRY OF BIRTH

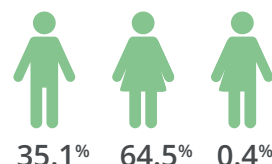


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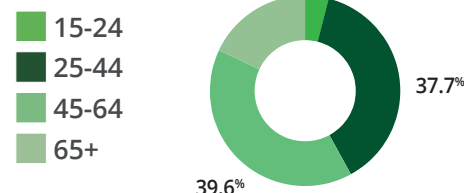
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n=1091

### GENDER



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### COUNTRY OF BIRTH

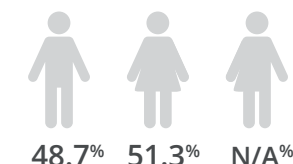


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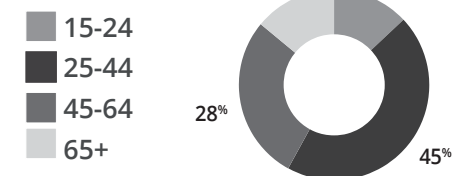
This column captures the make-up of our population in accordance with the 2016 census.

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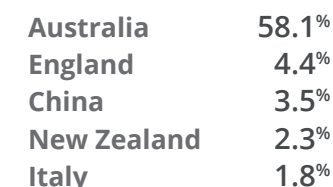
### GENDER



### AGE<sup>1</sup>



### COUNTRY OF BIRTH



# LOCAL CHARACTER STATEMENT DIRECTIONS

THIS SECTION PROVIDES KEY COMMUNITY INSIGHTS  
TO GUIDE THE DEVELOPMENT OF YOUR LOCAL  
CHARACTER STATEMENTS.

# LOCAL CHARACTER STATEMENT INTRODUCTION

## HOW TO READ YOUR RESULTS

The Local Character Statement section uses a range of raw and combined data coded against NSW Planning requirements. Here is how Place Score generated the results displayed in each page:

LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES		RULE 1	RULE 2	RULE 3
<b>Most valued - Retain and protect</b>	Attributes that are bolded	The attribute is in the top 10 Care Factor	Compared to CF rank, PX performance rank (out of 50) is less than 10, e.g performance rank is at most 10 places lower than value rank	Performing well (PX Score for attribute is equal or higher to 70/100)
	Attributes that are not bolded	The attribute is not in the top 10 Care Factor	PX performance rank is higher than CF rank (over- performing)	Performing well (PX Score for attribute is equal or higher to 70/100)
<b>Future priorities</b>	Attributes that are bolded	The attribute is in the top 10 Care Factor	Compared to CF rank, PX performance rank (out of 50) is worse by more than 10, e.g performance rank is more than 10 places lower than value rank.	N/A
	Attributes that are not bolded	The attribute is not in the top 10 Care Factor	Compared to CF rank, PX performance rank (out of 50) is worse by more than 10, e.g performance rank is more than 10 places lower than value rank	Attribute has a score of less than 50/100 OR has been selected by more than 33% of respondents
<b>Our top idea for change</b>		<b>DATA USED</b>		
		Open-ended answer theme with the highest percentage within each category e.g. highest percentage for Public domain		



# ANNANDALE LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity			- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (6.9%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.)</li> <li>- Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)</li> <li>- Free places to sit comfortably by yourself or in small groups</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</li> </ul>	- Improve comfort (noise, smell, temperature etc.) (8.9%)
	Community behaviours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Local community groups and organisations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better care and maintenance (25.7%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of belonging in the community</b></li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Welcoming to all people</li> <li>- Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (13.8%)
LANDSCAPE		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Protection of the natural environment</b></li> <li>- <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b></li> <li>- Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (43.6%)
BUILT FORM				- Improve appearance of built form (4%)
LAND USE	Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Local education options (from elementary to adult education)</li> </ul>		- More and/or better play and sports facilities (11.9%)
	Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (13.9%)
	Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)</li> <li>- Evidence of recent private investment (renovations, landscaping, painting etc.)</li> <li>- General condition of housing and other private buildings</li> </ul>		- Improve housing affordability (2%)
MOVEMENT		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b></li> <li>- Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</li> </ul>		- Improve active transport infrastructure (17.8%)

# ANNANDALE LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The social, and therefore less tangible aspects of the Annandale neighbourhood are its strongest place attributes - specifically, the 'Sense of belonging', engendered by the range of community and sense of welcome, is contributing to local identity
2. The choice of public spaces and activities is performing well and contributing significantly to current liveability
3. Neighbourhood safety, in terms of reducing negative impacts such as crime, traffic or pollution, as well as the maintenance, management and quality of the public domain should be future priorities for investment



## LANDSCAPE

1. Annandale residents value the natural environment as a unique feature of their neighbourhood identity
2. In the future, protecting the natural environment, increasing greenery and sustainability behaviours in the community are a priority for this community
3. 43.6% of community ideas were related to more green public open spaces.



## BUILT FORM

1. 4% of the community ideas were regarding improving the visual character of buildings.



## LAND USE

1. Access to local retail centres and businesses, as well as education options, is a significant contributor to current liveability
2. The range and condition of housing types and sizes, as well as evidence of recent investment, are all contributing positively according to the local community
3. In future the community would value increased opportunities for evening activity

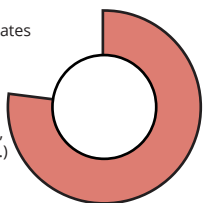


## MOVEMENT

1. The strongest contributor to local identity is the high value and performance of walking, cycling and public transport options that connect people to the local centre as well as other neighbourhoods
2. 17.8% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience.

77%

of Annandale associates selected '**General condition of public open space** (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



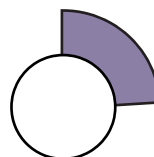
52%

of Annandale associates selected '**Protection of the natural environment**' as being important to them



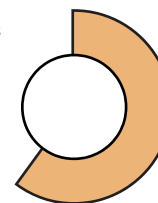
24%

of Annandale associates selected '**Quality of buildings** (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.) as being important to them



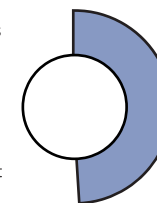
60%

of Annandale associates selected '**Local businesses that provide for daily needs** (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.) as being important to them



49%

of Annandale associates selected '**Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport** (signage, paths, lighting etc.) as being important to them



# ASHFIELD AND SURROUNDS LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity			- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (5.5%)
	Public domain		- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (10.3%)
	Community behaviours			- More and/or better care and maintenance (19.4%)
	Social connections and safety	- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.) - Welcoming to all people - Mix or diversity of people in the area	- Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (13%)
LANDSCAPE			- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b> - <b>Protection of the natural environment</b> - <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b> - Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.) - Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)	- More and/or better parks and greenery (38%)
BUILT FORM			- Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)	- Improve appearance of built form (2.8%)
LAND	Facilities			- More and/or better play and sports facilities (14.6%)
	Economy	- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b> - Locally owned and operated businesses	- Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (8.3%)
	Housing			- Improve housing affordability (2.7%)
MOVEMENT		- Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)	- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (24.5%)

# ASHFIELD AND SURROUNDS LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. A sense of welcome and openness to a diversity of people is a key contributor to the neighbourhood's identity
2. The maintenance, management and quality of the public domain should be a future priority for investment
3. Consideration should be given to how to improve neighbourhood safety, in terms of reducing negative impacts such as crime, traffic or pollution



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment and sustainable actions as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
3. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be considered for investment



## BUILT FORM

1. The community would value more investment in communal infrastructure in the future; from parks to roads to new schools etc
2. 2.8% of the community ideas were regarding improving the visual character of buildings



## LAND USE

1. Ashfield's local character is influenced by the high value locals place on the access to local shops and services - this needs to be protected and built on in the future
2. In the future the community would value increased opportunities for evening activity
3. 8.3% of the community ideas were related to improving the retail and leisure options (cafes, bars etc.)

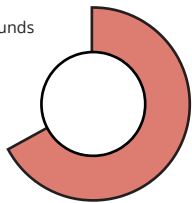


## MOVEMENT

1. The Ashfield community see connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. Their priorities are clearly the improvement of walking, cycling and public transport options that connect people to the local centre as well as other neighbourhoods
3. 24.5% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

67%

of Ashfield and Surrounds associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



54%

of Ashfield and Surrounds associates selected 'Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.) as being important to them



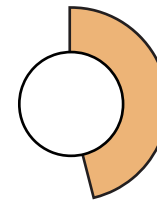
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of Ashfield and Surrounds associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.) as being important to them



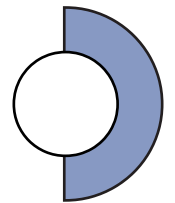
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of Ashfield and Surrounds associates selected 'Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.) as being important to them



50%

of Ashfield and Surrounds associates selected 'Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.) as being important to them





# BALMAIN AND SURROUNDS LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Local history, historic buildings or features</li> <li>- Overall visual character of the neighbourhood</li> <li>- Landmarks, special features or meeting places</li> </ul>		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (5.3%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Free places to sit comfortably by yourself or in small groups</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</li> <li>- Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (10%)
	Community behaviours			- More and/or better care and maintenance (20%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> <li>- Sense of belonging in the community</li> <li>- Welcoming to all people</li> </ul>		- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (7.1%)
LANDSCAPE		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</li> <li>- Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</li> <li>- Protection of the natural environment</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (23.5%)
BUILT FORM		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Unusual or unique buildings and/or public space design</li> <li>- Quality of buildings (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)</li> </ul>	- Improve appearance of built form (1.8%)
LAND USE	Facilities			- More and/or better play and sports facilities (5.3%)
	Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</li> <li>- Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</li> <li>- Locally owned and operated businesses</li> </ul>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.4%)
	Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)</li> <li>- Evidence of recent private investment (renovations, landscaping, painting etc.)</li> </ul>		- Improve housing affordability (2.4%)
MOVEMENT		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</li> <li>- Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</li> </ul>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (22.4%)

# BALMAIN AND SURROUNDS LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The strongest contributor's to Balmain's place identity are physical attributes associated with the heritage, landmarks and overall visual character of the neighbourhood
2. The social and therefore less tangible aspects of the neighbourhood are also contributing positively, specifically the sense of personal safety
3. In the future the community would value increased investment in the maintenance, management and quality of the public domain



## LANDSCAPE

1. A key contributor to the perceived uniqueness of the area is elements of the natural environment
2. Further protection of the natural environment as well as increased greenery throughout the neighbourhood would be valued
3. 23.5% of the community ideas were regarding more and/or better parks and greenery



## BUILT FORM

1. The community values the interesting and engaging building and open space design, which contributes to local identity and a sense of uniqueness
2. The quality of buildings, both public and private, is also contributing positively to Balmain's identity
3. The community would value more investment in communal infrastructure in the future; from parks to roads to new schools etc



## LAND USE

1. Balmain's character is influenced by the high value locals place on the access to local shops and services
2. Improvements to the local night time economy and number of locally owned businesses would be valued by the community
3. 17.7% of the community ideas were regarding improving the retail and leisure options (cafes, bars etc.)

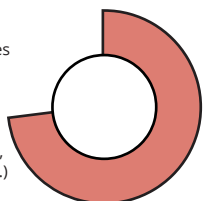


## MOVEMENT

1. The Balmain community see connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. The community would value investment in the improvement of walking, cycling and public transport options that connect people to the local centre as well as other neighbourhoods
3. 21.9% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

73%

of Balmain and Surrounds associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)' as being important to them



64%

of Balmain and Surrounds associates selected 'Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)' as being important to them



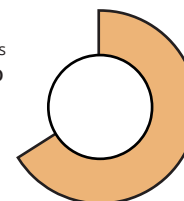
34%

of Balmain and Surrounds associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)' as being important to them



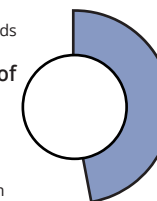
66%

of Balmain and Surrounds associates selected 'Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)' as being important to them



47%

of Balmain and Surrounds associates selected 'Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)' as being important to them



# DULWICH HILL LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	- Sense of character or identity that is different from other neighbourhoods	- Local history, historic buildings or features	- Celebrate and/or protect heritage (6%) - Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (6%)
	Public domain	- Physical comfort (including noise, smells, temperature etc.) - Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)	- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (15.7%)
	Community behaviours			- More and/or better community activities and engagement (16.3%)
	Social connections and safety	- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.) - There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.) - Mix or diversity of people in the area - Sense of belonging in the community - Welcoming to all people		- Improve sense of belonging and interactions between residents (9%)
LANDSCAPE			- <b>Protection of the natural environment</b> - <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b> - Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.) - Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.) - Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)	- More and/or better parks and greenery (30.1%)
BUILT FORM			- Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)	- Improve appearance of built form (6%)
LAND USE	Facilities	- Access to shared community and commercial assets (library, bike/car share, sport facilities/gyms etc.)		- More and/or better play and sports facilities (9.6%)
	Economy	- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b> - <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b> - <b>Locally owned and operated businesses</b>	- <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.1%)
	Housing	- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)	- Range of housing prices and tenures (low to high \$, buy or rent etc.)	- Improve housing affordability (3.6%)
MOVEMENT		- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b> - Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)	- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (18.1%)

# DULWICH HILL LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The social, and therefore less tangible aspects of the Dulwich Hill neighbourhood are its strongest place attributes. Ensuring the ongoing diversity of the community (social, economic and ethnicity) is key to neighbourhood liveability and a sense of safety for all
2. The community values the fact that the neighbourhood is different from others, offers a range of public spaces and relief from common urban impact such as noise
3. In the future, the community would value increased investment in the maintenance, management and quality of the public domain and in protecting local history and features



## LANDSCAPE

1. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
2. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be considered for investment
3. More green public open spaces are desired by 30.1% of this community's respondents



## BUILT FORM

1. The Dulwich Hill community would like to see more investment in communal infrastructure in the future; from parks to roads to new schools etc
2. 6% of the community ideas were regarding improving the visual character of buildings



## LAND USE

1. Dulwich Hill's local character is positively influenced by the high value locals place on access to shared community facilities, locally owned shops and services. These need to be protected and built on in the future
2. While the range of housing types and sizes is valued and performing well, the community would value improvements to affordability
3. A local night-time economy that offered a range of things to do is a liveability priority for this community



## MOVEMENT

1. The community see transport choice, connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. The community would value investment in the improvement of walking and cycling paths that connect people to the local centre
3. 18.1% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

63%

of Dulwich Hill associates selected **'General condition of public open space'** (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



54%

of Dulwich Hill associates selected **'Protection of the natural environment'** as being important to them



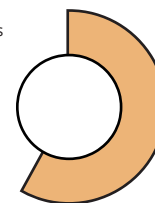
33%

of Dulwich Hill associates selected **'Evidence of recent public investment'** (roads, parks, schools etc.) as being important to them



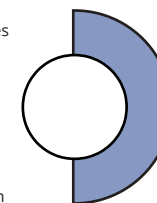
58%

of Dulwich Hill associates selected **'Local businesses that provide for daily needs'** (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.) as being important



50%

of Dulwich Hill associates selected **'Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport'** (signage, paths, lighting etc.) as being important to them





# HABERFIELD LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

**Please note:** that these results should be used as a 'snapshot'. Care Factor and PX data samples for Haberfield are below the standard 95% confidence level.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Overall visual character of the neighbourhood</b></li> <li>- Sense of character or identity that is different from other neighbourhoods</li> <li>- Landmarks, special features or meeting places</li> </ul>		- Celebrate and/or protect heritage (17.6%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)</b></li> <li>- Amount of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</li> <li>- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (8.1%)
	Community behaviours			- More and/or better care and maintenance (13.5%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of belonging in the community</b></li> <li>- Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> <li>- Welcoming to all people</li> </ul>	- <b>Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)</b>	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (6.8%)
LANDSCAPE		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Protection of the natural environment</b></li> <li>- Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (40.5%)
BUILT FORM		- Quality of buildings (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.)		- Improve appearance of built form (4.1%)
LAND USE	Facilities	- Spaces suitable for play (from toddlers to teens)		- More and/or better arts and culture facilities (9.5%)
	Economy	- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b></li> <li>- Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (14.9%)
	Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)</li> <li>- Evidence of recent private investment (renovations, landscaping, painting etc.)</li> <li>- General condition of housing and other private buildings</li> </ul>		- Maintain range of housing types and sizes (2.7%)
MOVEMENT		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ease of driving and parking</li> <li>- Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</li> </ul>	- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (25.7%)

# HABERFIELD LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

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## PLACE

1. Physical attributes associated with making the area different from others such as landmarks and overall visual character of the neighbourhood are some of the strongest contributors to Haberfield's identity
2. The choice of public spaces and activities is performing well and contributing significantly to current liveability
3. Neighbourhood safety, in terms of reducing negative impacts such as crime, traffic or pollution, as well as the maintenance, management and quality of the public domain should be future priorities for investment



## LANDSCAPE

1. Elements of the natural environment and landscaping are key contributors to the perceived uniqueness of the area
2. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be considered for investment
3. 40.5% of community ideas were regarding more or better parks and greenery



## BUILT FORM

1. The local community rates the current quality of buildings as contributing positively to liveability
2. 4.1% of the community ideas were regarding improving the visual character of buildings



## LAND USE

1. Housing choices and quality are positive contributors to local identity
2. Access to places to play and neighbourhood amenities for locals are performing well and should be protected
3. In the future, the community would value more local businesses that meet daily needs and increased opportunities for evening activity



## MOVEMENT

1. The community see car accessibility and connectivity to other neighbourhoods and employment centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. The community would value investment in the access and safety of these paths and improved public transport
3. 25.7% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

61%

of Haberfield associates selected '**General condition of public open space** (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



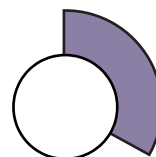
60%

of Haberfield associates selected '**Landscaping and natural elements** (street trees, planting, water features etc.) as being important to them



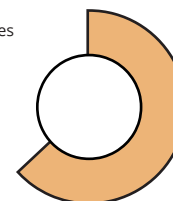
33%

of Haberfield associates selected '**Quality of buildings** (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.) as being important to them



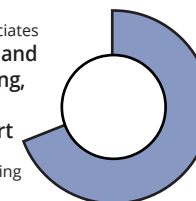
63%

of Haberfield associates selected '**Local businesses that provide for daily needs** (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.) as being important to them



69%

of Haberfield associates selected '**Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport** (signage, paths, lighting etc.) as being important to them



# LEICHHARDT LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity			- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (7.3%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.)</li> <li>- Free places to sit comfortably by yourself or in small groups</li> <li>- Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (12.8%)
	Community behaviours		- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)	- More and/or better care and maintenance (15.6%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b></li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Mix or diversity of people in the area</li> <li>- Welcoming to all people</li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> </ul>	- <b>Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)</b>	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (10.6%)
LANDSCAPE			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b></li> <li>- Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.)</li> <li>- Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</li> <li>- Protection of the natural environment</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (33%)
BUILT FORM				- Improve appearance of built form (5%)
LAND USE	Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Local education options (from elementary to adult education)</li> <li>- Access to shared community and commercial assets (library, bike/car share, sport facilities/gyms etc.)</li> </ul>		- More and/or better play and sports facilities (7.8%)
	Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.9%)
	Housing	- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)		- Improve housing affordability (3.4%)
MOVEMENT		- Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</li> <li>- Ease of driving and parking</li> </ul>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (21.2%)

# LEICHHARDT LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. Diversity of the community (social, economic and ethnicity) and sense of personal safety for all is key to liveability in Leichhardt. Investigating how to achieve improved neighbourhood safety, particular in regards to external impacts such as traffic or pollution should be considered.
2. The Leichhardt community values the range of public open spaces available to them
3. The community would value increased investment in the maintenance, management and quality of the public domain and in protecting local history and features



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment and sustainable actions as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
3. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be considered for investment



## BUILT FORM

1. 5% of the community ideas were related to improving the visual character of buildings



## LAND USE

1. This theme is performing well across the board and contributing positively to local identity via community facilities, local business and the diversity of housing types and sizes
2. Access to shared community facilities, locally owned shops and services are the strongest performers and should be protected into the future
3. Consideration should be given to how to improve the local evening economy

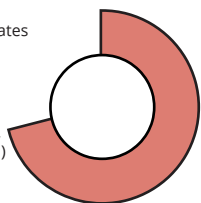


## MOVEMENT

1. The community see connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. Investment in active and public transport options are a liveability priority for this community
3. Improvements to car accessibility and parking would be valued

71%

of Leichhardt associates selected **'General condition of public open space'** (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



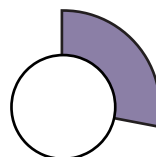
51%

of Leichhardt associates selected **'Elements of natural environment'** (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.) as being important to them



28%

of Leichhardt associates selected **'Evidence of recent public investment'** (roads, parks, schools etc.) as being important to them



63%

of Leichhardt associates selected **'Things to do in the evening'** (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.) as being important to them



48%

of Leichhardt associates selected **'Walking/jogging/ bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity'** (shops, parks etc.) as being important to them





# LEWISHAM-PETERSHAM LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Overall visual character of the neighbourhood</li> <li>- Sense of character or identity that is different from other neighbourhoods</li> </ul>		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (7.8%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.)</li> <li>- Free places to sit comfortably by yourself or in small groups</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (12.1%)
	Community behaviours		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evidence of community activity (volunteering, gardening, art, community-organised events etc.)</li> <li>- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better care and maintenance (14.9%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b></li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> <li>- Welcoming to all people</li> <li>- Sense of belonging in the community</li> </ul>	- Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (9.9%)
LANDSCAPE			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b></li> <li>- Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.)</li> <li>- Protection of the natural environment</li> <li>- Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (32.6%)
BUILT FORM		- Quality of buildings (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Limit density (2.1%)</li> <li>- Limit heights (2.1%)</li> </ul>
LAND USE	Facilities			- More and/or better play and sports facilities (5.7%)
	Economy	- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.1%)
	Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evidence of recent private investment (renovations, landscaping, painting etc.)</li> <li>- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)</li> <li>- General condition of housing and other private buildings</li> </ul>		- Maintain range of housing types and sizes (2.8%)
MOVEMENT		- <b>Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (31.2%)

# LEWISHAM-PETERSHAM LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The community's 'Sense of personal safety' is a significant contributor to local liveability and supported by an open community that is welcoming and has strong connections
2. The overall visual character and points of difference from other places is highly valued, as are the choice of public spaces and activities
3. The maintenance, management and quality of the public domain should be future priorities
4. The community prioritises investment in community-led activity and improved neighbourhood safety



## LANDSCAPE

1. A green and sustainable future is the strongest priority for this community
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
3. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be considered for investment



## BUILT FORM

1. The local community rates the current quality of buildings as contributing positively to liveability
2. 2.1% of the community ideas were regarding limiting heights and/or density



## LAND USE

1. Housing choices and quality are positive contributors to local identity
2. Access to neighbourhood amenities for locals is performing well and should be protected
3. In the future, the community would value more local businesses that meet daily needs and increased opportunities for evening activity



## MOVEMENT

1. Neighbourhood connectivity is valued and performing well
2. In the future, improvements to active and public transport networks should be prioritised
3. Consider supporting the night-time economy, it is considered important but is currently underperforming
3. 31.2% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

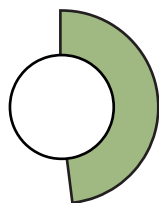
71%

of Lewisham-Petersham associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



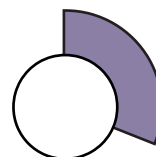
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of Lewisham-Petersham associates selected 'Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.) as being important to them



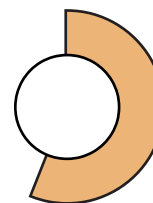
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of Lewisham-Petersham associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.) as being important to them



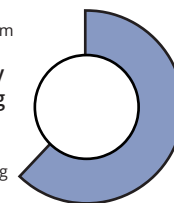
56%

of Lewisham-Petersham associates selected 'Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.) as being important to them



62%

of Lewisham-Petersham associates selected 'Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.) as being important to them



# MARRICKVILLE LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	- Sense of character or identity that is different from other neighbourhoods		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (8.9%)
	Public domain	- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.) - Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)	- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b> - Amount of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (12.8%)
	Community behaviours	- Local community groups and organisations - Cultural and/or artistic community	- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)	- More and/or better care and maintenance (13.6%)
	Social connections and safety	- <b>Mix or diversity of people in the area</b> - <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b> - There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.) - Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.) - Sense of belonging in the community		- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (11.2%)
LANDSCAPE			- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b> - <b>Protection of the natural environment</b> - <b>Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</b> - <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b> - Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.)	- More and/or better parks and greenery (29.5%)
BUILT FORM				- Limit heights (7.4%)
LAND USE	Facilities			- More and/or better education and childcare facilities (5.4%)
	Economy	- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b> - <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b> - Locally owned and operated businesses	- <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.4%)
	Housing			- Maintain range of housing types and sizes (5.8%)
MOVEMENT		- Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)	- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (21.3%)

# MARRICKVILLE LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The more intangible aspects of place - personal safety, community groups, and sense of belonging, diversity of people - are contributing significantly to local liveability
2. While public open space and its diversity are positive contributors to local character, the community would value more and would like to see an improvement in maintenance and management
3. 13.6% of community ideas were related to maintenance and care



## LANDSCAPE

1. Increased vegetation and sustainability at all levels are a priority for this community
2. Incorporating more landscape elements into streetscapes and open spaces would have a positive impact on liveability
3. Programs and infrastructure to support sustainable community behaviours, as well as overall more sustainability urban design would be valued



## BUILT FORM

1. 7.4% of the community ideas were regarding limiting heights



## LAND USE

1. This community love 'local' with access to neighbourhood amenity, businesses serving daily needs and specifically locally owned businesses being key contributors to the current character of the area
2. The community would value increased opportunities for evening activity
3. 12.4% of the community ideas were regarding improving the retail and leisure options (cafes, bars etc.)

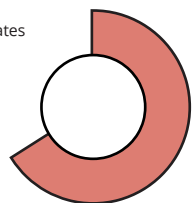


## MOVEMENT

1. Neighbourhood connectivity is valued and performing well
2. In the future, improvements to active and public transport networks should be prioritised
3. 21.3% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

66%

of Marrickville associates selected **'General condition of public open space'** (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



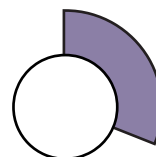
50%

of Marrickville associates selected **'Elements of natural environment'** (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.) as being important to them



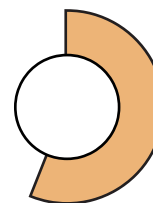
31%

of Marrickville associates selected **'Evidence of recent public investment'** (roads, parks, schools etc.) as being important to them



56%

of Marrickville associates selected **'Things to do in the evening'** (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.) as being important to them



44%

of Marrickville associates selected **'Walking/jogging/ bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity'** (shops, parks etc.) as being important to them





# NEWTOWN-ENMORE LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	- Landmarks, special features or meeting places		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (4.6%)
	Public domain	- <b>Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)</b> - Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.)	- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b> - Amount of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (14.6%)
	Community behaviours		- <b>Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)</b>	- More and/or better care and maintenance (19.9%)
	Social connections and safety	- <b>Welcoming to all people</b> - <b>Mix or diversity of people in the area</b> - There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.) - Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.) - Sense of belonging in the community	- <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b>	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (13.3%)
LANDSCAPE			- <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b> - Protection of the natural environment - Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.) - Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)	- More and/or better parks and greenery (29.1%)
BUILT FORM		- Quality of buildings (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.)		- Limit density (1.3%) - Limit density (1.3%)
LAND USE	Facilities	- Local education options (from elementary to adult education)		- More and/or better play and sports facilities (7.3%)
	Economy	- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b> - <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b> - <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b> - Local employment opportunities (within easy commute) - Locally owned and operated businesses		- More and/or better retail and leisure options (8%)
	Housing	- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)	- Range of housing prices and tenures (low to high \$, buy or rent etc.)	- Improve housing affordability (3.3%)
MOVEMENT		- <b>Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</b>	- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b> - Ease of driving and parking	- Improve active transport infrastructure (31.8%)

# NEWTOWN-ENMORE LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The community is equally proud of their inclusiveness and the range of public spaces offered in the area
2. Intangible aspects such as neighbourhood spirit, openness to all and a sense of belonging, are all valued and performing well. However, the investment in improving personal safety would be valued
3. The public realm, local landmarks and unusual spaces are all contributors to local identity. However in the future the community would value increased investment in the amount of public space as well as it's maintenance and quality



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
3. Programs and infrastructure to support sustainable behaviours in the community would be valued



## BUILT FORM

1. The community perceives the current quality of buildings, their design and construction, as contributing positively to neighbourhood character
2. 1.3% of the community ideas were regarding limiting heights and density



## LAND USE

1. The diversity of land uses on offer in the neighbourhood is one of the strongest contributor to local identity. The community values their proximity to education options, shopping, and jobs
2. The night-time economy and locally owned businesses are key to this areas local character
3. While the range of housing sizes and types is valued and performing well, improvements could be made to affordability and tenure options

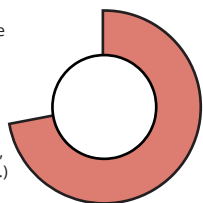


## MOVEMENT

1. The community see transport choice, connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. The community would value investment in the improvement of walking and cycling paths that connect people to the local centre
3. Improvements to car accessibility and parking would be valued

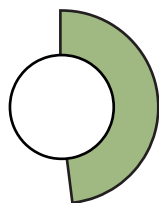
72%

of Newtown-Enmore associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



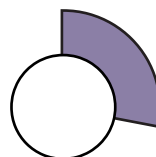
48%

of Newtown-Enmore associates selected 'Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.) as being important to them



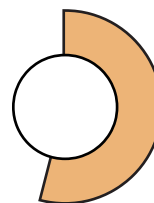
28%

of Newtown-Enmore associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.) as being important to them



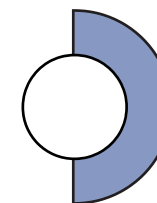
54%

of Newtown-Enmore associates selected 'Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.) as being important to them



50%

of Newtown-Enmore associates selected 'Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.) as being important to them



# ROZELLE-LILYFIELD LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Overall visual character of the neighbourhood</b></li> <li>- Landmarks, special features or meeting places</li> <li>- Sense of character or identity that is different from other neighbourhoods</li> </ul>		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (7.4%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Free places to sit comfortably by yourself or in small groups</li> <li>- Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (9.6%)
	Community behaviours		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)</li> <li>- Evidence of community activity (volunteering, gardening, art, community-organised events etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better care and maintenance (24.4%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)</b></li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> <li>- Welcoming to all people</li> </ul>		- Improve sense of belonging and interactions between residents (8.9%)
LANDSCAPE			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Protection of the natural environment</b></li> <li>- <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b></li> <li>- Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)</li> <li>- Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (36.3%)
BUILT FORM		- Unusual or unique buildings and/or public space design		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Limit density (1.5%)</li> <li>- Limit heights (1.5%)</li> </ul>
LAND USE	Facilities			- More and/or better play and sports facilities (9.6%)
	Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b></li> <li>- Locally owned and operated businesses</li> </ul>	- Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.6%)
	Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- General condition of housing and other private buildings</li> <li>- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Maintain range of housing types and sizes (1.5%)</li> <li>- Improve housing affordability (1.5%)</li> </ul>
MOVEMENT		- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b>	- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (20.7%)

# ROZELLE-LILYFIELD LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The more tangible aspects of the neighbourhood are contributing to its local character; the overall visual character, landmarks and difference from other areas, as well as the range of public open space suitable for different activities
2. The social aspects of the place are also significant contributors to liveability; the sense of neighbourhood safety, welcome and neighbourhood spirit are all highly valued
3. The community would value increased investment in the maintenance, management and quality of the public domain and an increase in opportunities for the community to be involved in caring and activating local places



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
3. Programs and infrastructure to support sustainable behaviours in the community would be valued



## BUILT FORM

1. Building uniqueness is contributing to local identity, specifically unusual or unique buildings and/or public space design that differentiate the area
2. 1.5% of the community ideas were regarding limiting heights and density



## LAND USE

1. This theme is performing well across the board and contributing positively to neighbourhood character via easy access to locally owned business and housing quality and diversity
2. Consideration should be given to how to improve the local evening economy
3. 12.6% of the community ideas were regarding improving the retail and leisure options (cafes, bars etc.)



## MOVEMENT

1. The community values the active transport network that allows them to get from their homes to local shops etc. however, would also value investment in the access and safety of these paths and improved public transport
2. 20.7% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

**70%**

of Rozelle-Lilyfield associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



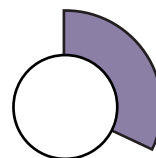
**55%**

of Rozelle-Lilyfield associates selected 'Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.) as being important to them



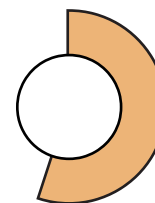
**32%**

of Rozelle-Lilyfield associates selected 'Quality of buildings (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.) as being important to them



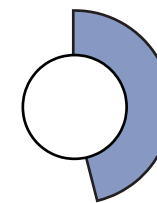
**55%**

of Rozelle-Lilyfield associates selected 'Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.) as being important to them



**46%**

of Rozelle-Lilyfield associates selected 'Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.) as being important to them



# STANMORE-CAMPERDOWN LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

**Please note:** that these results are to be used as a 'snapshot'. PX data sample for Stanmore-Camperdown provides a 90% confidence level with a margin of error of  $\pm 7$ pts.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Landmarks, special features or meeting places</li> <li>- Sense of character or identity that is different from other neighbourhoods</li> </ul>		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (6.3%)
	Public domain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Free places to sit comfortably by yourself or in small groups</li> <li>- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b></li> <li>- Amount of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (9.4%)
	Community behaviours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Cultural and/or artistic community</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)</li> </ul>	- More and/or better care and maintenance (20.3%)
	Social connections and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b></li> <li>- There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.)</li> <li>- Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.)</li> <li>- Mix or diversity of people in the area</li> </ul>		- Improve sense of belonging and interactions between residents (9.4%)
LANDSCAPE			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)</b></li> <li>- Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</li> <li>- Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.)</li> <li>- Protection of the natural environment</li> </ul>	- More and/or better parks and greenery (30.5%)
BUILT FORM		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Quality of buildings (design and construction of homes, shops, schools etc.)</li> </ul>		- Improve appearance of built form (3.9%)
LAND USE	Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Local education options (from elementary to adult education)</li> <li>- Access to shared community and commercial assets (library, bike/car share, sport facilities/gyms etc.)</li> </ul>		- More and/or better play and sports facilities (3.9%)
	Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Locally owned and operated businesses</b></li> <li>- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b></li> </ul>		- More and/or better retail and leisure options (11.7%)
	Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)</li> </ul>		- Diversify range of housing types and sizes (4.7%)
MOVEMENT		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b></li> <li>- <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b></li> </ul>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (22.7%)



# STANMORE-CAMPERDOWN LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.

**Please note:** that these results are to be used as a 'snapshot'. PX data sample for Stanmore-Camperdown provides a 90% confidence level with a margin of error of  $\pm 7$ pts.



## PLACE

1. The more intangible aspects of place - personal safety, artistic community, and sense of belonging - are contributing significantly to local liveability
2. While public open space and its diversity are positive contributors to local character, the community would value more and would like to see an improvement in maintenance and management
3. 20.3% of community ideas were related to maintenance and care



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment and sustainable actions as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability
3. Programs and infrastructure to support sustainable behaviours in the community would be valued



## BUILT FORM

1. The community perceives the current quality of buildings, their design and construction, as contributing positively to neighbourhood character
2. 3.9% of the community ideas were regarding improving the visual character of buildings



## LAND USE

1. The diversity of land uses on offer in the neighbourhood is one of the strongest contributor to local identity. The community values their proximity to education options and shopping
2. The night-time economy and locally owned businesses are key to this areas local character
3. The range of housing sizes and types is also valued and performing well

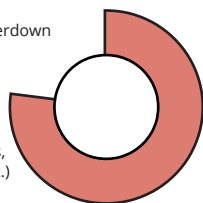


## MOVEMENT

1. The community see transport choice, connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. The community would value investment in the improvement of walking and cycling paths that connect people to the local centre
3. 22.7% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

**77%**

of Stanmore-Camperdown associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)' as being important to them



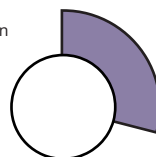
**46%**

of Stanmore-Camperdown associates selected 'Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)' as being important to them



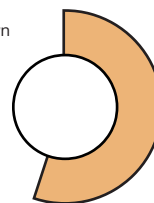
**29%**

of Stanmore-Camperdown associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)' as being important to them



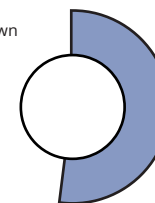
**55%**

of Stanmore-Camperdown associates selected 'Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)' as being important to them



**52%**

of Stanmore-Camperdown associates selected 'Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)' as being important to them



# SUMMER HILL LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED - RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Identity	- Overall visual character of the neighbourhood		- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (5%)
	Public domain		- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b> - Amount of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)	- More and/or better open spaces and/or furniture (8.3%)
	Community behaviours			- More and/or better care and maintenance (19%)
	Social connections and safety	- <b>Sense of belonging in the community</b> - <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b> - There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.) - Welcoming to all people - Neighbourhood spirit/resilience (from external impacts, storms, economic downturns etc.) - Mix or diversity of people in the area		- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (12.4%)
LANDSCAPE			- Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.) - Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.) - Protection of the natural environment - Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.) - Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.)	- More and/or better parks and greenery (24.8%)
BUILT FORM			- Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)	- Limit density (5%)
LAND USE	Facilities			- More and/or better community facilities (7.4%)
	Economy	- <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b> - <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b> - <b>Locally owned and operated businesses</b>	- <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (12.4%)
	Housing	- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.) - General condition of housing and other private buildings		- Improve housing affordability (7.4%)
MOVEMENT		- <b>Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</b> - <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b>	- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b> - Ease of driving and parking	- Improve private vehicle infrastructure (15.7%)

# SUMMER HILL LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The social and therefore less tangible aspects of the Summer Hill neighbourhood are its strongest place attributes - specifically the 'Sense of belonging in the community' and 'Sense of personal safety' engendered by the diversity of the people, sense of welcome and neighbourhood spirit
2. In the future the community would value increased investment in the amount of public space as well as its maintenance, management and quality
3. 18.2% of the community ideas were regarding offering more community events and engagement



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment and sustainable actions as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be a priority for investment
3. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on local liveability



## BUILT FORM

1. The community would value more investment in communal infrastructure in the future; from parks to roads to new schools etc
2. 5% of the community ideas were regarding limiting density



## LAND USE

1. Summer Hill's local character is influenced by the high value locals place on the access to local shops and services (and the fact they are locally owned) - this needs to be protected and built on in the future.
2. Housing diversity and its condition are both positive contributors to local character
3. Consideration should be given to how to improve the local evening economy

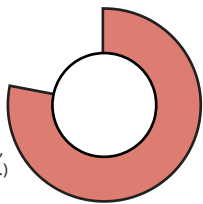


## MOVEMENT

1. The Summer Hill community see connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as well as the walking and cycling paths that connect home to the local centre as being a positive contributor to local identity
2. The community would value investment in the improvement of access and safety to walking, cycling and public transport options
3. Improvements to car accessibility and parking would be valued

**78%**

of Summer Hill associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



**38%**

of Summer Hill associates selected 'Protection of the natural environment' as being important to them



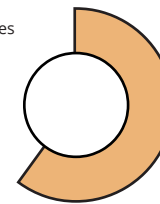
**36%**

of Summer Hill associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)' as being important to them



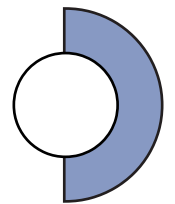
**60%**

of Summer Hill associates selected 'Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)' as being important to them



**50%**

of Summer Hill associates selected 'Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)' as being important to them



# SYDENHAM-TEMPE-ST PETERS LOCAL CHARACTER ATTRIBUTES

The community in each of your neighbourhoods values different neighbourhood attributes, and they have rated each attribute in terms of its impact on their lives. This table identifies the attributes that are both valued and performing well (Retain and Protect), valued by seen as performing poorly (Future Priorities) and a summary of key community ideas.

		MOST VALUED- RETAIN AND PROTECT	FUTURE PRIORITIES	OUR TOP IDEA FOR CHANGE
PLACE	Character		- Overall visual character of the neighbourhood	- Celebrate and/or protect the neighbourhood's identity (4.8%)
	Public domain	- Spaces for group or community activities and/or gatherings (sports, picnics, performances etc.) - Spaces suitable for specific activities or special interests (entertainment, exercise, dog park, BBQs etc.)	- <b>General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.)</b> - <b>Quality of public space (footpaths, verges, parks etc.)</b> - Physical comfort (including noise, smells, temperature etc.)	- Improve comfort (noise, smell, temperature etc.) (13%)
	Community behaviours		- Evidence of Council/government management (signage, street cleaners etc.)	- More and/or better care and maintenance (17.8%)
	Social connections and safety	- <b>Sense of personal safety (for all ages, genders, day or night)</b> - There are people like me (age, gender, interests, ethnic backgrounds etc.) - Sense of connection to/feeling support from neighbours or community - Mix or diversity of people in the area - Welcoming to all people	- Sense of neighbourhood safety (from crime, traffic, pollution etc.)	- Improve sense of safety and/or physical safety (14.4%)
LANDSCAPE			- <b>Protection of the natural environment</b> - <b>Elements of natural environment (natural features, views, vegetation, topography, water, wildlife etc.)</b> - Sustainable urban design (water sensitive design, transport-oriented design, sustainable building design, density etc.) - Landscaping and natural elements (street trees, planting, water features etc.) - Sustainable behaviours in the community (water management, solar panels, recycling etc.)	- More and/or better parks and greenery (28.1%)
BUILT FORM			- Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)	- Improve appearance of built form (4.1%)
LAND USE	Facilities			- More and/or better arts and culture facilities (4.8%)
	Economy		- <b>Local businesses that provide for daily needs (grocery stores, pharmacy, banks etc.)</b> - <b>Things to do in the evening (bars, dining, cinema, live music etc.)</b> - <b>Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)</b>	- More and/or better retail and leisure options (9.6%)
	Housing	- Range of housing types and sizes (houses, terraces, flats; number of bedrooms etc.)		- Maintain range of housing types and sizes (2.1%)
MOVEMENT		- <b>Connectivity (proximity to other neighbourhoods, employment centres, shops etc.)</b>	- <b>Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)</b> - <b>Walking/jogging/bike paths that connect housing to communal amenity (shops, parks etc.)</b>	- Improve active transport infrastructure (32.9%)

# SYDENHAM-TEMPE-ST PETERS LOCAL CHARACTER DIRECTIONS

Utilising the Department of Planning's five themes, Place Score have synthesised your research findings to provide local character directions under each theme.



## PLACE

1. The social and therefore less tangible aspects of the neighbourhood are its strongest place attributes. Specifically, the 'Sense of personal safety' engendered by the diversity of the people, sense of welcome and neighbourhood spirit
2. In the future the community would value increased investment in the overall visual character of the neighbourhood as well as maintenance, management, quality and physical comfort of the public domain
3. Neighbourhood safety, in the face of external factors such as pollution and traffic, should be prioritised in the future



## LANDSCAPE

1. The community do not see the natural environment and sustainable actions as currently contributing positively to local identity
2. Protecting and integrating elements of the natural environment into the streets and other open spaces would have a significant impact on the future liveability and character of the
3. Sustainability infrastructure, neighbourhood planning and programs should be a consideration for future investment



## BUILT FORM

1. The community would value more investment in communal infrastructure in the future; from parks to roads to new schools etc
2. 4.1% of the community ideas were regarding improving the visual character of buildings



## LAND USE

1. The Sydenham-Tempe-St Peter's community do not currently perceive local land uses, except for the 'Range of housing types and sizes' to be contributing to local character
2. Local liveability would be improved with significant investment in neighbourhood amenity, local shops and an evening economy
3. 9.6% of the community ideas were regarding improving the retail and leisure options (cafes, bars etc.)



## MOVEMENT

1. The community see connectivity, and the neighbourhood's proximity to other centres as being a positive contributor to local character
2. The community would value investment in the improvement of access and safety of walking and cycling paths that connect people to the local centre and public transport generally
3. 32.2% of community ideas were related to improving active transport options and experience

67%

of Sydenham-Tempe-St Peters associates selected 'General condition of public open space (street trees, footpaths, parks etc.) as being important to them



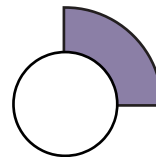
53%

of Sydenham-Tempe-St Peters associates selected 'Protection of the natural environment' as being important to them



25%

of Sydenham-Tempe-St Peters associates selected 'Evidence of recent public investment (roads, parks, schools etc.)' as being important to them



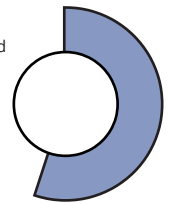
60%

of Sydenham-Tempe-St Peters associates selected 'Access to neighbourhood amenities (cafes, shops, health and wellness services etc.)' as being important to them



55%

of Sydenham-Tempe-St Peters associates selected 'Access and safety of walking, cycling and/or public transport (signage, paths, lighting etc.)' as being important to them





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