

DAPTO NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM
NF8 AGENDA
11th October 2023

1. WELCOME & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

RON COOPER (CONVENOR)

"I would like to show my respect and acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which this meeting takes place, and elders past & present and extend that respect to other aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people present.

2. APOLOGIES:

Cr. Linda Campbell, Warren Southwell, Liz Webster, Heather Boardman

3. ATTENDING.

4. MINUTES: 13th September 2023

7. COUNCILLOR'S REPORTS:

6. CORRESPONDENCE (SEE ATTACHMENTS)

IN : see below.

OUT:

i) Notice of October Meeting emailed 8.10.2023

8. GENERAL BUSINESS:

MEETING CLOSE:

NEXT MEETING: 7PM WEDNESDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2023

ATTACHMENTS:

CORRESPONDENCE IN :

Item 1: NF8 Correspondence Brett Morrissey Bio Diversity off set Scheme

Brett Morrissey

Sep 14, 2023, 12:14 PM

Hi Heather, thanks again to NF8 for the opportunity to provide the presentation at last night's monthly meeting. There was some great questions and I hope I was able to respond to these and provide a clearer understanding of this project for the community members in attendance. Following on from your request, please find the attached presentation in pdf format. In addition:

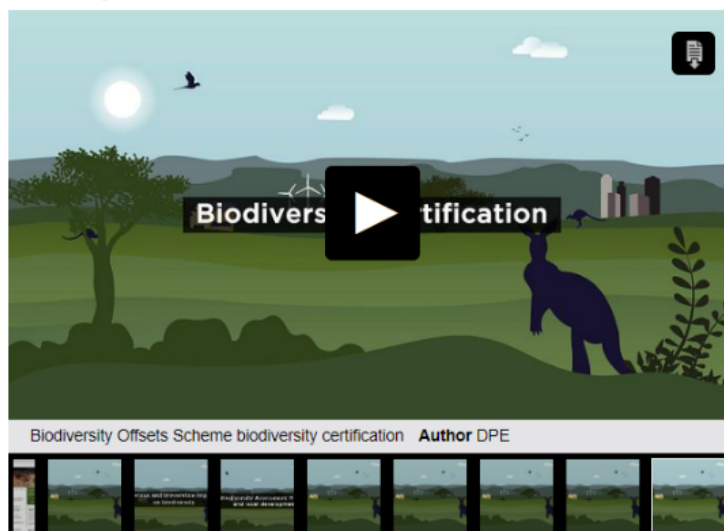
- As suggested by Councillor Ann Martin, [this is a link](#) to the 18 October 2021 Ordinary Meeting of Council report making recommendations for Council to progress the project and this was endorsed by the Council at the meeting. The report has some more detail on the history/evolution of the project and its intended outcomes, than I was able to cover last night.
- For those that are interested, please find the below links to NSW Department of Planning and Environment webpages that provide more detailed information on Biodiversity Certification and the process it follows.
 - General overview, see also the other links on this webpage <https://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/topics/animals-and-plants/biodiversity-offsets-scheme/about-the-biodiversity-offsets-scheme/biodiversity-certification>
 - Video explaining biodiversity certification <https://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/topics/animals-and-plants/biodiversity-offsets-scheme/about-the-biodiversity-offsets-scheme/news-support-and-webinars> . Note you will have to navigate to the last of the series of videos for
 - The one on biodiversity certification (screen grab below)

Biodiversity Offsets Scheme contacts

Biodiversity Offsets Scheme support

The Department has produced a number of videos about key areas and activities of the Biodiversity Offsets Scheme.

Click through the carousel thumbnails to choose a video.



Video topics

- The Biodiversity Offsets Scheme and when it applies
- Meeting biodiversity offset obligations
- Identifying threatened entities at risk of serious and irreversible impacts
- Using the Biodiversity Values Map and Threshold (BMAT) Tool
- Biodiversity assessment for Part 5 activities
- Serious and Irreversible Impacts on biodiversity
- Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM) and local development
- Subdivision applications and subsequent development of land
- Biodiversity Offsets Scheme threshold
- Native vegetation clearing
- Test of significance
- Biodiversity certification

ITEM 2: Forwarded by Cr. Linda Campbell

From: Sile Crowe <scrowe@wollongong.nsw.gov.au> on behalf of Nathan McBriarty <NMCBRIARTY@wollongong.nsw.gov.au>

Sent: Wednesday, October 11, 2023 10:35:05 AM

Subject: Wollongong City Council - **Proposed stormwater pipe reconstruction and relining works at 28 Prince Edward Drive, Dapto and surrounds**

Dear Lord Mayor and Councillors

PROPOSED STORMWATER PIPE RECONSTRUCTION AND RELINING WORKS AT 28 PRINCE EDWARD DRIVE, DAPTO AND SURROUNDS

As part of our commitment to maintaining and improving our City's assets, we have prepared designs for stormwater pipe and pit reconstruction works at 28 Prince Edward Drive, Dapto and surrounding streets including Duley Street, Yalunga Street and Dolan Street.


The stormwater system was inspected as part of Council's wider stormwater asset inspection program which aims to identify assets that require repair or replacement. We are planning to reconstruct a number of the pipes as well as reline others as required.

Consultation plans nos. 7196_SK01_1, 7196_SK02_1, 7196_SK03_1 and 7196_SK04_1 are attached which detail the proposal.

We are expecting to start the project later this financial year and it is intended to advise the adjacent residents in the near future.

If you require further information regarding this project, please contact me directly.

Yours faithfully

	<p>Nathan McBriarty Manager Infrastructure Strategy and Planning (Acting) Phone +61242277798 Email nmcabriarty@wollongong.nsw.gov.au wollongong.nsw.gov.au</p>
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Item 3 - Info re Dapto Pool. Forwarded by Cr. Linda Campbell -10.10.2023

Cr Linda Campbell

Dapto Swimming Pool

- The system is continuing to fail, with the water temperature not getting to the desired level over the past week.
- Pool Blankets have been re-installed to help improve the water temperature loss overnight
- Council officers met with our current contractor today regarding the proposed way forward and we will work through those options for replacement. Procuring relevant solutions will take sometime and we will provide further updates as the option is confirmed.

Item 4

Jen Lysle-Van Dyk - 9.10.2023

Dear Community Member,

The time has come to unleash your imagination and join us in crafting a new cultural plan!



Over the past five years, Creative Wollongong has brought us together through a range of events, programs and initiatives, but now we need your input into the next one. Share your thoughts, dreams, and aspirations for our cultural life, and together, we'll create a strategy that will shape our City's identity in the coming years. Your input will help us craft a new plan with your priorities and aspirations at the forefront.

The [Creative Wollongong 2019-2024 Snapshot](#) document highlights some of the achievements of our current cultural plan. The [FAQ](#) has more information about what a cultural plan is and why we need one. To make a submission:

- Take part in our online activities at our.wollongong.nsw.gov.au/creative-wollongong:
 - Complete the [online survey](#)
 - Contribute to the [Show and Tell Gallery](#) - show us a place or activity that represents the unique creativity and culture of your community. You can upload a photo or drawing of this place, or share links to a song, piece of music, website, or video.
- Fill out a paper survey at [your local library](#) or Wollongong Art Gallery. There are reply-paid envelopes available with the surveys.

- Send an email to engagement@wollongong.nsw.gov.au
- Write to us at Locked Bag 8821, Wollongong DC NSW 2500
- Call us on 4227 7111 to have a survey posted to your address

Share with your networks/members

I'd be grateful for your help in getting the word out to your networks / members / colleagues / friends / family about this opportunity to provide input. Please forward this email to anyone you think may be interested. I've also attached a PDF of our promotional postcard for people who'd like to print and display it, as well as a social media tile you're welcome to use.


Accessibility and language assistance

If you're d/Deaf, hard of hearing or have a speech or language difficulty, you can contact us through the [National Relay Service](#). If you need an interpreter, you can contact us through the [Translating and Interpreting Service](#) on 131 450. You'll need to provide our phone number 02 4227 7111 for either service.

Join the conversation

Share your feedback with us by 19 November 2023.

Thanks for taking the time out of your day to contribute to this important local initiative.

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