# DRUMMOYNE OVAL PRECINCT PLAN OF MANAGEMENT

**Case Study** 





Plans of Management – so what!"
Parks and Leisure Australia
Leura Guest House
31 July 2009



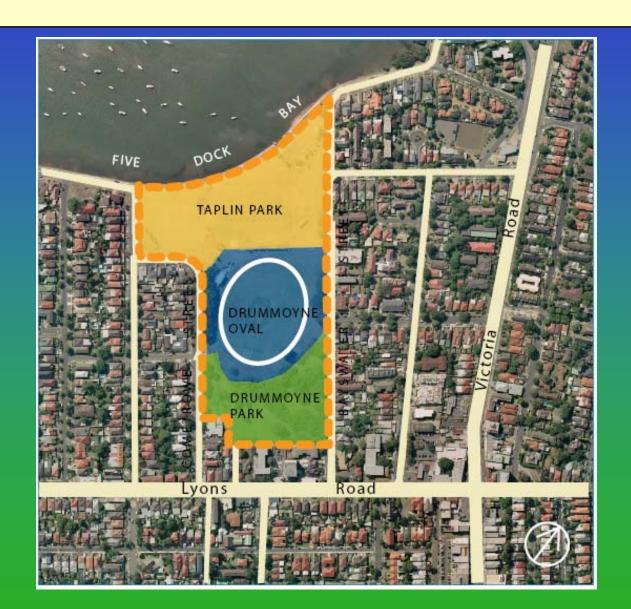
#### WHY CHOOSE DRUMMOYNE OVAL PRECINCT?

- majority is Crown land
- mix of activities and facilities
- land and water settings
- current issues

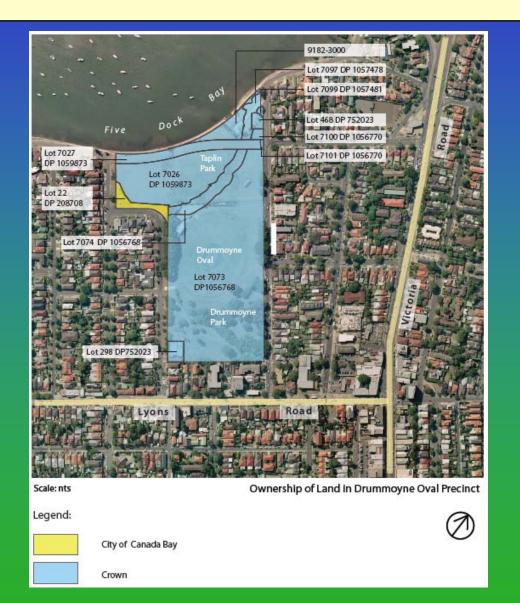
## LOCATION OF DRUMMOYNE OVAL PRECINCT



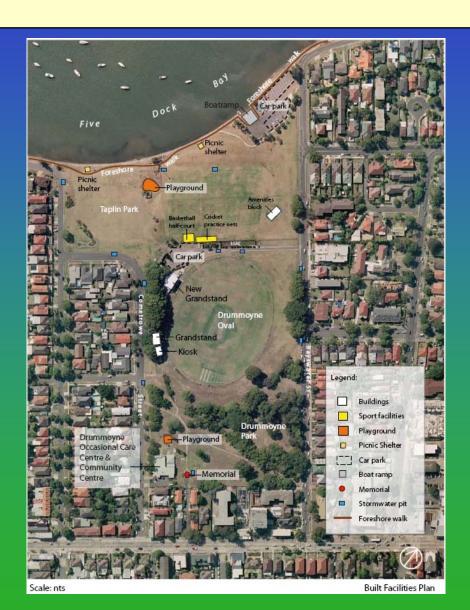
### SECTIONS OF DRUMMOYNE OVAL PRECINCT



## **LAND OWNERSHIP**



## STRUCTURES IN THE PRECINCT



# **FEATURES – SPORT**



# FEATURES - INFORMAL













# FEATURES – WATER



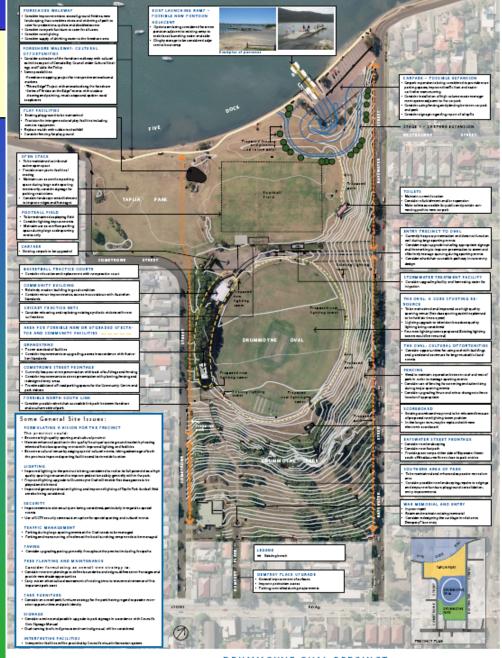


## **FEATURES – COMMUNITY**





#### **KEY PROPOSALS**



DRUMMOYNE OVAL PRECINCT - LOOKING TO THE FUTURE







#### CONSULTATIONS STAGES OUTPUTS Meeting with Council's Project Manager INCEPTION Site inspections **PROCESS** REVIEW Review Council's files, background reports, BACKGROUND plans, 1996 Plan of Management INFORMATION Government (Dept. of Lands, NSW Maritime) User groups - AFL, rugby, cricket CONSULTATIONS Community Information Day 3 November 07 PREPARE DRAFT Review by Dept. of Lands and Council staff Draft Plan of PLAN OF Management MANAGEMENT Report to Council COUNCIL RESOLUTION Letters to stakeholders, community groups Notices placed in NSW Government Gazette and local newspapers Documents and plans on display at PUBLIC EXHIBITION Council's customer service centre and libraries, and on Council's website Written submissions to Council Public hearing into proposed categorisation Public hearing report of community land CONSIDER Report to Council SUBMISSIONS PREPARE FINAL Plan of Management for PLAN OF Drummoyne Oval MANAGEMENT Precinct Resolution by City of Canada Bay Council ADOPTION Adoption by Minister for Lands IMPLEMENTATION

#### **PUBLIC SUBMISSIONS ISSUES**

- Impacts of traffic, parking, noise, lighting, and rubbish in the precinct arising from broadcast events
- Impacts reduced by traffic and parking management plans for events (including promotion of public transport), noise amelioration measures, best practice lighting design, increased waste services during and after events

## PUBLIC SUBMISSIONS ISSUES (cont.)

- Objections to the proposed extension of the vehicle and trailer parking area at boat ramp:
  - encroachment on the parkland
  - conflict with ball sports
  - anti-social activities
  - full capacity required only on weekends and public holidays in summer
- Council supported the smaller Stage 1 parking arrangement proposed by NSW Maritime.

#### **ADOPTION**

- Council adopted the Plan of Management on 21 October 2008
- Department of Lands have not yet formally adopted the Plan of Management

#### SINCE ADOPTION ...

# In early 2009:

- Council undertaking actions in the PoM
- applying for grants for lighting and other improvements, using the PoM as an important support document

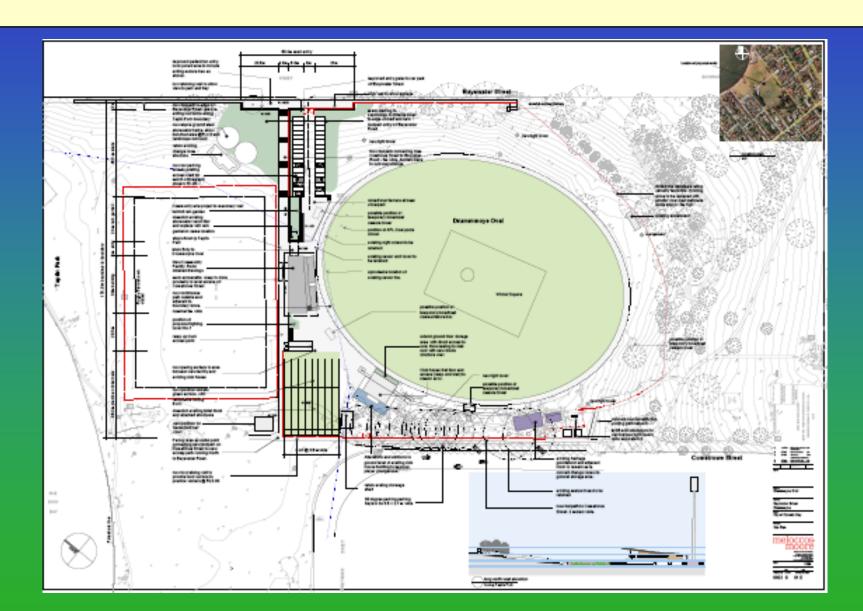
#### **UPDATED PROPOSALS**

- The PoM coincided with the Federal Government economic stimulus packages in late 2008-early 2009
- in May 2009 the Federal Government granted \$5.3 million under the Community Infrastructure Program (Strategic Projects) to Council
- condition of the grant to construct the new facilities by June 2010
- sporting groups revised their "wishlist"

#### **NEW FACILITIES**

- new proposal for upgraded lighting 1200 lux to 1400 lux on 6 poles
- a new community building with player and spectator facilities
- new turf cricket practice nets
- carpark
- pedestrian link north-south

#### **NEW FACILITIES**



#### **FUNDING SOURCES**

- Federal Government (\$5.3 million)
- NSW Government (\$1.7 million)
- Cricket NSW (\$500,000)
- AFL (NSW/ACT) (\$200,000)
- Cash and in-kind contributions towards works by Council

#### PROCESS OF REVISING THE PLAN OF MANAGEMENT

- The adopted PoM didn't anticipate or allow for lighting to 1,400 lux on 6 poles, and a new community building between Drummoyne Oval and Taplin Park
- Revision of the PoM was necessary
- Commitment from Department of Lands, Councillors and Council staff to fast-track the approvals process to meet the June 2010 deadline

#### PROCESS OF REVISING THE PLAN OF MANAGEMENT

# Options for fast-tracking the planning and consultation process included:

- Plan of Management then Development Application
- simultaneous PoM and DA
- PoM and no DA
  - SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007

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# Clause 65(2) of the SEPP:

Development can occur on Crown land without development consent if it is for the purposes of implementing a Plan of Management adopted for the land under the Crown Lands Act.

#### **AGREED APPROACH**

Simultaneous PoM and DA agreed upon, because Council wanted to 'take the community along with them' instead of invoking the SEPP (Infrastructure) and risking imposing a development the community may strongly object to and delay the process.

#### TASKS IN REVISING THE POM

- revise site and landscape plans
- prepare revised draft PoM
- mailout to local residents, local newspaper notices, Government Gazette notice
- public exhibition of draft PoM for 28 days: 10 July to 6 August
- DA prepared, lodged and advertised
- Community Information Day 25 July

#### **COMMUNITY INFORMATION DAY**

## **Comments:**

- support for improvements
- opposition to proposed lighting, traffic and parking
- concern about water views



#### FROM NOW ON . . .

- close of public exhibition and DA notification period
- consideration of public submissions
- amendments -> final PoM
- adoption by Council and Department of Lands
- detailed design
- tenders for construction
- construction by June 2010

#### TO KEEP IN MIND .....

- Every opportunity and constraint can't be anticipated
- Be as flexible as appropriate in specifying permissible uses and developments

#### THANKS TO ....

- Vince Conroy, City of Canada Bay Council
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# **QUESTIONS?**

