3.1. Update on Sustainable Transport Projects

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Nil.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

This report contains an update on current Traffic and Transport Operations projects related to sustainable transport.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Funding for these projects are included in the adopted 2020/21 budgets.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the information on Current Sustainable Transport Projects be received.

LINK TO COMMUNITY STRATEGIC PLAN

The relationship with the Community Strategic Plan is as follows:

- 2. Our Built Infrastructure
- 2.3 Sustainable transport is encouraged

BACKGROUND

This report provides an update on current sustainable transport projects completed since the last reference group meeting.

CONSULTATION REQUIREMENTS

Community engagement is not required.

DETAIL

The table below provides an update of current sustainable transport projects.

Street/	Project	Detail
Street/ Location Various	-	Over spring and summer 2020 Council held a pilot 'Street Play' program. Participating Streets were temporarily closed to traffic to be 'opened for people', providing space for kids to play and the community to enjoy. Council provided some street furniture and games
		for each day to help create an atmosphere of a 'park in the street', and community groups worked together to arrange activities. Proudy funded by the NSV Government in association with North Stydiety Council
		locations: • Laycock Street. 8 November • Mchatton Street (North Sydney Demonstratio n School). 13 November • Rosalind Street/Edwin Street, Cammeray. 15 November • Burlington Street, Crows

Nest. 22 November

• Colin Street, Cammeray. 6 December

These streets were chosen based on community nominations.

A video of one of the events is available at https://youtu.be/LQoBeP EDZ0





Miller
Street
and
Kirribilli

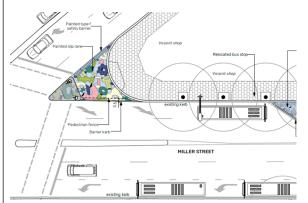
Streets as Shared Spaces (SaSS) Funding grant Council is progressing projects funded by a \$1,000,000 grant under the Streets as Shared Spaces Program.

The grant will be allocated towards projects in Miller Street, North Sydney, and Burton Street and Bligh Street, Kirribilli.

Miller Street is scheduled to be constructed from late May 2021. It will include the widening of footpaths, new spaces for people to sit and relax, and the closure of a slip lane from the Pacific Highway to improve pedestrian access and safety.



Draft Layout Plan, Miller Street, North Sydney



Draft Layout Plan, Miller Street, North Sydney



Artists Impression, Burton Street, Kirribilli





Young Street, Neutral Bay

Temporary Plaza

The temporary plaza in Young Street was installed from 2 November 2020. An activation and events program has been running to stimulate activity in the area and provide opportunities for people to socialise.

North Sydney Council has less open space per person than every other northern Sydney council and the so the plaza is providing an opportunity to increase public areas and improve the walkability of the area.



Images of the 'popup plaza' in Young Street.

Various

Road Safety
Program (School
Zone
Infrastructure)

Council has received grant funding under the TfNSW and Federal Government Stimulus Road Safety Program (School Zone Infrastructure) for 14 projects totalling \$1.6M in 2020/21 & 2021/22.

The grants will be used to create raised crossings, to extend kerbs and introduce pedestrian refuge islands, which all help improve visibility and slow down traffic, making children safer as they walk to and from school.

The funding has been allocated to upgrade the following crossings:

St Aloysius College Junior School: Install two raised pedestrian crossings on the Alfred Street South at Fitzroy Street intersection, Milsons Point

- St Aloysius College: Install raised pedestrian crossing on Broughton Street at Kirribilli Avenue, Kirribilli
- Loreto Kirribilli: Raise existing crossing on Carabella Street at Fitzroy Street, Kirribilli

- St Aloysius College: Raise existing crossing on Clark Road at Margaret Street, North Sydney
- Neutral Bay Public School: Raise existing crossing on Ben Boyd Road at Hardie St, Neutral Bay
- Cammeray Public School: Raise existing crossing on Carter Street at Colin Street, Cammeray
- Cammeraygal High School: Raise existing crossing on Clarke Street at Willoughby Road, Crows Nest
- St Aloysius College Junior School: Raise existing crossing on Burton Street, Kirribilli.
- Redlands: Raise existing crossing on Waters Road at Grosvenor Street, Neutral Bay
- North Sydney Public School: Raise existing crossing on Morton St at Rocklands Rd, Wollstonecraft
- North Sydney Public School: Construct pedestrian refuge islands and kerb buildouts on Crows Nest Road at McHatton Street