


URGENT


Harold Park Development

The City of Sydney has approved the rezoning application for the Harold Park and Rozelle Tramsheds site. Ongoing:

- Protection, restoration and adaptive re-use of Tramsheds for maximum community use. 

Pedestrian Cycling & Traffic Calming Strategy

Planning, management and monitoring of future developments, and the impact on Glebe Point Road and connecting streets.

- Harold Park site.
- Affordable Housing site Elger St.
- Overseas Passenger Terminal White Bay 
- Pedestrian & cycle networks across the LGA.


Pedestrian safety

Glebe supports *Sustainable Sydney 2030 Strategy*, with particular reference to pedestrian-friendly streets.

Aim to make Glebe a pedestrian friendly environment by:

- Enhancing the safety of cyclists and pedestrians.
- Providing pedestrian priority for comfort & commercial activity in the village.
- Completion of appropriate and safe cycle ways in Glebe.
- Monitoring of traffic speed on all streets.
- Monitoring and measuring the safety of people in Glebe.
- Provision of an Education Program for cyclists.

Strategic Planning of the Bays & Foreshores


The Blackwattle Cove Coalition has an active role in communicating with the Government Taskforce. 

The aims are:

- To maintain meaningful community participation in the development of an integrated, coherent plan for the future development of the Bays. Precinct and adjacent land including Wentworth Park.
- Incorporate improvements to the amenity of the area.
- Increase community access to the foreshores.
- Ensure ongoing safe access to the Bays for traditional passive recreational and sporting activities.
- Protect and extend views and improve physical linkages between Blackwattle Bay, Wentworth Park and surrounding residential areas.
- Facilitating community perspectives for the future development of Johnston's Creek & Harold Park land.

SHORT/MEDIUM TERM

Glebe Point Road Upgrade – Stage 2

- Complete Glebe Point Road North by the inclusion of smart poles and undergrounding of the power lines.
- Strengthen the significance of Glebe Point Road as a boulevard.
- **Foreshore Walk completion in Blackwattle Bay**
- The extension of the Foreshore Walk to the Sydney Fish Market (and ultimately to Pyrmont Point and the CBD) is a priority. 
- Completion of the foreshore walk on Bridge Road.
- Development approvals on Blackwattle Bay B1 and B2 sites incorporate provision for the extension of the walk as set out in the Master Plan and the walk is connected to the Sydney Fish Market through the B3 site.

Foley Park Completion

In agreement with the community and Council the following items are still outstanding:


- Interpretative heritage footprint of Hereford House
- Construction of toilet block
- Inclusion of tables and seats.

Marketing Strategy and Events Coordination for Glebe

The aim is for the ongoing revitalisation of Glebe Point Road through a professional marketing strategy supporting the main street economy.

- Working with the City of Sydney Business Precinct Coordinator.
- Optimise the tenancy mix on Glebe Point Road & Ross St.
- Enhancing & promotion of Glebe events.
- Marketing of these events with City of Sydney and Tourism NSW.
- Integration with major City of Sydney events in arts and food festivals.
- Seek a greater integration of Broadway Centre with Glebe Point Road through marketing campaigns and with better connecting pathways.

Integrated Community Facilities Plan

City of Sydney is preparing an Integrated Community Facilities Plan (ICFP), that  will guide the Council in provision of community facilities across the Local Government Area between now and 2030. Glebe has a need for:

- Multi-purpose community centre.
- Development & enlargement of Glebe Library.
- Consistent with its commitment to developing community capacity in Glebe and Forest Lodge, COGG will support community groups such as FLAG (Forest Lodge & Glebe Groups) in its desire to have a multi-purpose community centre for the Glebe – Forest Lodge community.

ONGOING

Community Development

COGG recognises the importance of engaging the whole community in issues affecting the lives of residents.

- To develop a shared understanding and responsibility for the social and environmental challenges residents face, COGG will support its constituent members and collaborate with e.g. FLAG, in the implementation of programs designed to address those challenges.
 - Opportunities will be taken as they arise to secure funding support for ongoing programs such as public art programs, the development of community gardens.
 - Support will be given to FLAG initiatives to establish a Glebe Community Centre and address issues of food security.
 - Provide public art that celebrates the heritage and the diversity of the Glebe community.
- Liaise with Housing NSW and other agencies to support improvement of facilities and accommodation of housing estate residents.

Significant Development Applications – Heritage

- COGG will review significant DA's that impact on the community.
- COGG is committed to retain and strengthen Glebe's unique heritage as a substantially intact human-scale 19th century townscape and important urban conservation area.
- Continued protection of the heritage of Glebe.
- Restoration, protection and maintenance of shopfronts & awnings.
- Develop a strategy to maintain the heritage of the Glebe Estate by working with Housing NSW.
- Revitalise St Johns Road and Ross Street working with the City of Sydney Business Precinct Coordinator.
- Completion of the Heritage Plaques Program.

Reduce Crime and improve Pedestrian Safety

- Work with the City of Sydney and community organisations that support the aims and objectives of the Glebe Community Safety Plan 2009-2012.
- Support early intervention, community capacity building and initiatives for risk and/or marginalised people in the Glebe and broader community.
- Support City of Sydney and Leichhardt Area Command crime prevention and education programs for young people who are disengaged from school e.g. the Glebe Pathways Forum, After Dark Program.
- Give ongoing support to programs already in place and work for sustained funding for programs run by Centipede, Glebe Youth Service, and Glebe PCYC.

ONGOING (continued)

Communication Strategy – development & promotion of *Glebe.com.au* website

- Development of Glebe portal - ***Glebe.com.au***
- Promotion of Glebe as a destination for tourists and visitors.
- Use digital media and geo-positioning to provide access to history and heritage information related to locations, drawing on websites such as Dictionary of Sydney, Glebe Walks etc.
- Communicate heritage as culturally central, so that the community and economic benefits are properly appreciated. (e.g. heritage tourism, restoration grants, effective signage).