

# MINUTES

Meeting Name	Environment Advisory Committee	
Date	10 November 2022	Time 5:44pm
Venue	PHIVE 2 Civic Place Parramatta and Microsoft Teams	
	Deputy Chair: Julia (Julz) Strykowski	
Attendees	Cr Phil Bradley Melissa Brooks Cr Kellie Darley Crystal Fleming Adriana Genova Marina Gilmore Mark Green Cr Ange Humphries Annie Nielsen Murray Sayle  Karen Jones – Convenor Luke Wolstencroft – Strategy Manager City Strategy, James Smallson - Group Manager Environment & Sustainability Anthony Collins – Manager Environmental Sustainability	
Apologies / Leave of Absence	Chair: Lord Mayor Cr Donna Davis, Cr Michelle Garrard, Alexi Gilchrist, Alexandria Moore and Nicole Carnegie.	
Secretariat	Marvi Gordon	
HPRM Reference	F2022/01409	

No.	Item
	<b>Acknowledgement of Country</b>
1.	<i>The City of Parramatta Council acknowledges the Burramattagal Clan of The Dharug, the traditional owners of land of Parramatta and pays its respects to the elders past, present and emerging.</i>
	<b>Apologies</b>
2.	The Committee received and noted the apologies for Lord Mayor Cr Donna Davis, Cr Michelle Garrard, Nicole Carnegie, Alexandria Moore and Alexi Gilchrist.
	<b>Disclosure of Interests</b>
3.	There were no disclosure of interest for this Advisory Committee meeting.
	<b>Confirmation of Minutes from meeting</b>
4.	The minutes of the Environment Advisory Committee meeting, held on 8 September 2022, was received and noted, and confirmed as a true record of the proceeding of that meeting.
5.	<b>Standing agenda item: Emerging environmental and sustainability topics</b>
Description	<p>The Committee note the following matters:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <a href="#">National Recycling Week</a> 7 to 17 November 2022</li> <li>2. REDcycle announcement on 9 November 2022 to temporarily pause its soft plastic collection program as a result if significant operating challenges. Thornleigh Community Recycling Centre (Hornsby Shire Council) are still accepting soft plastics for recycling.</li> <li>3. The 2022 United Nations Climate Change Conference or Conference of the Parties (<a href="#">CoP27</a>) 6 to 18 November 2022, in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt</li> </ol>
Outcome	The Committee received and noted the matters listed above and no further action required.
6.	<b>Presentation: Environmental Sustainability Strategy Refresh Attachment 1: Presentation</b>
Description	<p>Public survey – community and stakeholder engagement Convenor.</p> <p>See Attachment for outcomes from workshop sessions.</p>
7.	<b>Activity #1</b>

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	Leadership Opportunities discussion
8.	Activity #2 Best Practice discussion
Description	The Committee divided into three groups to discuss Leadership Opportunities and Best Practice.
Outcome	Staff will review the EAC identified leadership opportunities and best practice themes/trends and report back by the end of 2022.
<b>Note:</b> Cr Ange Humphries joined the meeting at 6.58pm via audio-visual means.	

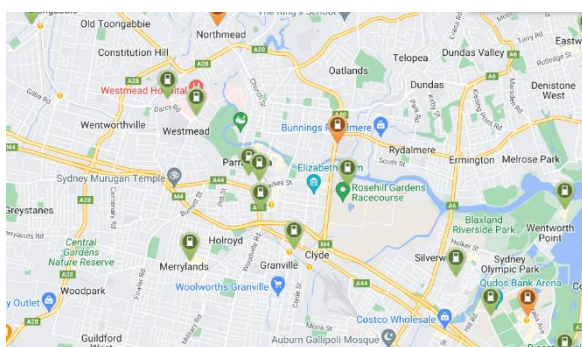
9.	General Business and Close Next Scheduled Meeting Date: 9 February 2023
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The Committee discussed the following:

- Electric vehicle (EV) charger locations

EV charging announcements are being made by federal and state government and some private companies (MG, NRMA). EV Charging locations can be found at [TfNSW Charging Map](#) (example below) or [Energergi Charging Map](#). Each pin on the map indicates location of EV charger – green is available and orange is in use.

Description



- Biosecurity fauna alert

The Red-eared slider turtle and corn snake are [two biosecurity species](#) that are potentially within the City of Parramatta.

- Mossie Education program – environmental share. Attachment 3 – Councillor Workshop Briefing Presentation.

<b>Optional Sustainability Tour of PHIVE</b>	
10.	Tour conducted, show casing the environmental features and design of PHIVE

Meeting Closed: 7:12pm