

Precinct	MAROUBRA CENTRAL PRECINCT COMMITTEE MINUTES
Date, meeting time and venue	THURSDAY 5 October 2017, 7.00pm, Level 3, Bowen Library, 669 Anzac Parade, Maroubra
Chair	<i>Sam Damianos</i>
1. Attendance:	<i>8 residents, Minute Taker Jo Chittick</i>
2. Opening:	<i>The Chair opened the meeting acknowledging the Bidjigal people as custodians of the land on which the meeting was held.</i>
3. Apologies:	<i>Joe Santangelo, Maria Vanny, Roslyn Bohringer, Suzanne Jarrett</i>
4. Declaration of interests:	<i>The Chair invited members to declare all pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests that they may have in tonight's discussion. None were received.</i>
5. Confirmation of previous minutes:	<i>The Minutes of the meeting held on 7 September 2017 were unanimously accepted. Moved Anthony/Seconded Eileen CARRIED</i>
6. Police Report	<i>Nil</i>
7. Council Report	<i>Nil</i>
8. Business arising from Minutes:	<p>Response from Precinct Coordinator to September resolutions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Footpath and one way on Green Street – Now completed. <p><i>Resolution 07092017(1): On behalf of nearby residents, Anthony thanked Randwick Council Councillors, staff and contractors for the excellent work carried out in the upgrade of Green Street. The work was carried out with consideration to all residents and is a great result for all residents and users who will now be able to enjoy the street and footpath with safety.</i></p> <p><i>Council thanks the precinct for their appreciation of the work completed on Green Street</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Traffic lights at Mons Ave & Maroubra Rd - Sam to contact Clr Anthony Andrews for an update. 2. Parking restrictions on Ferguson Street: no update 3. Robey Street retaining wall, including traffic dangers at 107 Robey Street:

	<p>Resolution 05102017(1): <i>The precinct requests that Council inspects the retaining wall at 107-113 Robey Street again as a matter of urgency, due to its deterioration as new cracks have appeared and more sand is coming out since the last inspection and last time it was fixed up. The hessian bags are totally inadequate and unsightly. Nick/Irene CARRIED</i></p>
<p>9. Incoming and Outgoing Correspondence</p>	<p>Incoming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Response from Precinct Coordinator to September resolutions</i> • <i>Email announcing councillors and mayor voted in at recent election. Central Ward: Anthony Andrews (Ind), Dylan Parker (ALP), Ted Sing (Lib)</i> • <i>Email from Amanda Mathers re 2018 operational plan and budget – invites precinct suggestions, to assist council’s planning. List of local priorities to be submitted by 8 December where possible.</i> <p>Outgoing - Nil</p>
<p>10. Matters arising from the correspondence:</p>	<p><i>Nil</i></p>
<p>11. Treasurer’s Report</p>	<p><i>Balance unknown as Treasurer not available</i></p>

12. General business:

12.1 New items from residents

- **Purchase of rainbow flags to support same-sex marriage**

Resolution 05102017(2): *The Maroubra Central Precinct residents object to the spending of ratepayers' money on the flags regarding marriage equality and believe Council should not be promoting or interfering in political issues that do not affect residents and the Council. Council should only be spending money affecting residents' needs, such as roads, rubbish, footpaths, etc.*
Anthony/Eddy CARRIED

- **Congratulations and invitation to Councillors**

Resolution 05102017(3): *On behalf of the precinct we would like to thank and congratulate all councillors voted in at the recent election. The precinct extends an invitation to all central ward councillors (Anthony Andrews, Dylan Parker, Ted Seng) to attend the meetings of the precinct, held on the first Thursday every month, as often as possible, on a regular basis to provide updates to the residents on council issues from council meetings.*
Sam/Nick CARRIED

- **Operational plan and budget 2018**

Sam asked precinct members to submit ideas for the operational plan and budget 2018, for discussion at next meeting.

- **Fire hazard at Heffron Park**

Resolution 05102017(4): *The precinct would like Council to remove the potential fuel from dry leaves and dead branches on the ground on the Robey Street side of Heffron Park specifically and also from other areas, to prevent another fire as happened a week ago.*
Nick/Anthony CARRIED

- **Street sweepers**

Resolution 05102017(5): *Can Council advise why street sweepers have not been coming through to pick up leaves to prevent drain blockage, as residents in Murray St, Robey St, Mason St, Maroubra Rd and Glenugie St, have not seen the street sweepers for a few years, and lots of dry leaves are constantly in these streets.*
Eddy/Anthony CARRIED

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priority agenda items for 2017 <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Priority Precinct and overdevelopment – Irene is attending a talk on Priority Precincts and will update the meeting at the December meeting.</i> 2. <i>Aircraft noise – nil</i> 3. <i>Transport – light rail and buses – nil</i>
13. Next meeting:	<i>Thursday 2 November 2017</i>
14. Meeting Closure:	<i>8:23pm</i>