

Precinct	Bays and Beaches
Date, meeting time and venue	18 June 2025, 7pm Prince Henry Centre, Little Bay
Chair	Chris Hanson
Secretary	Leela Hanson
Commenced	7:05pm
Attendance	16 residents
Declaration of Conflicts of interest	As required by Randwick Council, the Chair declared that he and his wife (Leela Hanson – Secretary and Treasurer) were both serving on the Precinct Committee. Randwick Council has advised that to avoid any perceived conflict of interest, no two related persons can serve on the same Committee. Hence both Chris and Leela will not be standing for re-election at the AGM in November. Peter Fagan mentioned that the opportunity to serve on the Precinct Committee in 2026 will arise and encouraged those attending to consider serving, and to alert friends of the opportunity.
Apologies	Noel De Souza, Bill Burst and Nick Marsden
Previous minutes	Unanimously accepted. (Charles Abela/Philip Adams)
Financials	At 18 June 2025, the Precinct's bank balance was \$1,045.33
Presentation by Duncan Scott, Head of Ranger Services, Randwick Council	Ranger Services is the second largest department in the LGA with 25 staff and handled 9666 customer service requests in 2024. The core functions of the department consist of: • Community Safety Compliance • Animal Control • Parking Enforcement • Environmental Protection • Building and Development Compliance The most frequently dealt with issues are illegal parking (approx. 5000 cases), companion animals (especially dogs) (1300), unattended vehicles (1200) and building site activity (600). Ranger Services sees a large part of their role in terms of public education. They work with the local police, environmental officers and other Council departments to meet the needs of residents in the LGA. For more info about Ranger Services contact Duncan Scott on: E: duncan.scott@randwick.nsw.gov.au or P: 02 9093 6620 To contact Ranger services: 1300 722 542 (for urgent matters; the number is attended out of hours (0 PM – 6 AM) or email Council at: council@randwick.nsw.gov.au
Presentation by Michelle Morgan on an Application to have Little Bay declared as a Marine Reserve	Michelle went through the reasons for the application she and two colleagues are developing, and the five- step process that needs to be completed to have an application considered. If any resident wishes to be involved in the project, please contact the Committee via email on: baysbeaches@gmail.com and we will pass on your contact details to Michelle.
Updates on Precinct Resolutions	Res#1 23/04/25 - The Boatshed – liquor licence and trading hours Council officers will provide a submission to the Office of Liquor and Gaming with Council's concerns and request the Applicant demonstrate to the Council by way of a Management Plan or other strategy that the use of the premises will remain that of a restaurant/café at all times, and the provision of alcohol only will not become the dominant feature of the Premises.

	Res#1 26/02/25 - Repair of the groyne at Yarra Bay Beach Peter Fagan advised that work on repairing the groyne has started.
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Community Announcements	Randwick Council has announced the following projects affecting the Bays and Beaches Area: Projects expected to begin or be completed in FY25/26: - Build emergency vehicle access path to Little Bay Beach - Install fencing along Anzac Parade median - Install speed cushions at Little Bay and Bunnerong Road - Upgrade playground at Woomera Reserve, Little Bay - Build new basketball courts at Woomera Reserve, Little Bay Longer term projects - Build new bus shelter on Anzac Parade near Pine Avenue, Little Bay - Build new toilets at Little Bay (near beach). Peter Fagan advised that Council's preferred location is in Coast Hospital Memorial Park, near the road entrance to The Coast Golf Club. The proposed design will be reviewed by the Prince Henry Community Association. - Investigate relocating the toilets at La Perouse to the other side of Anzac Parade, behind the current bus terminus shed. Charles Abela advised that this location is likely to be approved.
ADDENDA	Council supplied pavement markings to define resident's driveways Councillor Noel D'Souza has arranged with Council for residents who have issues with cars being parked across or too close to their driveways to have yellow lines painted on the road either side of their driveways. For more info fill in the attached form or contact Councillor D'Souza on: noel.d'souza@randwick.nsw.gov.au. Pensioners pay only \$20.
Next Meeting	Wednesday 20 August 2025 at the Prince Henry Centre. Doors open at 6.30pm for coffee and tea and the meeting starts at 7pm.