



# Media Release

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## Have your say about facilities and open spaces

Camden residents are invited to have a say about the future of public places and community facilities in the area.

Community consultation will inform the Camden Places and Spaces Strategy and guide plans for recreational facilities and social spaces.

“This is an opportunity for residents to guide the planning and development of existing and new recreation, library and community facilities over the next 20 years,” said Acting Mayor, Theresa Fedeli.

“Understanding the wishes of the community will help Council to create places that support the quality of life of residents in the area,” said Cr Fedeli.

The community can now provide feedback on their experience of existing facilities to help identify any gaps in the provision, plans to upgrade and building new facilities.

The strategy will include: -

- Public open space - Camden Council owned and managed land;
- Play spaces – playgrounds, sportsgrounds, dog off leash areas, skate parks and BMX bike tracks; and
- Community facilities - community centres, halls, meeting rooms, clubrooms and libraries.
- A number of user groups including sports organisations, schools and community groups will be directly consulted.

A survey is open from Monday 26 June until Sunday 30 July and available in hard copy at Council libraries and on Council's website, [www.camden.nsw.gov.au](http://www.camden.nsw.gov.au).

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