
ORDINARY COUNCIL

SUBJECT: MAYORAL MINUTE - ORAN PARK LIBRARY WINS OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY PROJECT AWARD 2018

FROM: Mayor
TRIM #: 18/374481

I am pleased to announce that the Oran Park Library has been recognised for the prestigious Western Sydney Leadership Dialogue (WSLD) Outstanding Community Project of 2018 award at the Boomtown! Dinner on Thursday 8 November 2018.

The WSLD awards recognise outstanding projects in Western Sydney that are contributing towards creating the world leading Western Parkland City centred around the Western Sydney Airport.

This award was made even more momentous by the combined effort of Council, Landcom and Greenfields Development Corporation to deliver this exceptional public facility.

It was in June this year that we celebrated the opening of the library and community resource centre and I am delighted that residents have embraced it as their own. So far 1189 people have become library members with staff signing up more people every day.

The Oran Park Library provides a place for people of all ages and abilities to relax, learn and socialise as well as use the latest technologies.

Community organisations are now using the purpose-built rooms and facilities to provide outreach support services in this convenient location.

The additional meeting and function rooms and industrial kitchen also create places for workshops and provide lifelong learning opportunities to residents.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank Landcom and Greenfields Development Corporation for working with Council and our staff to create this fantastic library for residents as part of the Oran Park Town development.

RECOMMENDED

That Council note the information.

Ordinary Council Resolution

Resolution: Moved Councillor Sidgreaves that Council note the information.

ORD216/18 THE MOTION ON BEING PUT WAS **CARRIED**

(Councillors Sidgreaves, Symkowiak, Fedeli, C Cagney, Farrow and Morrison voted in favour of the Motion. No Councillors voted against the Motion.)