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Tender accepted for bonus Sports Hub facilities

Additional facilities at the Narellan Sports Hub are a step closer to reality, with Council accepting a tender for construction of club rooms and amenities at the complex.

At this week's Council meeting, Council accepted a \$2.6 million tender for the facilities.

Mayor of Camden, Councillor Lara Symkowiak, said Council was able to add these elements to Stage 1 of the Sports Hub project as a result of the \$1.085 million in savings from the new administration building in Oran Park.

"I am very pleased that savings from one major project can now be used for another significant project that will benefit the local community."

"The increased scope of Stage 1 includes a larger building for club rooms, storage and amenities along with additional netball courts and other athletic facilities."

"Council is also seeking \$7.7 million in federal funding for Stage 2 of the Sports Hub to allow it to conclude the Sports Hub's overall construction."

"I would like to thank the Camden District Netball Association and Camden Little Athletics for their input into the project. We will continue to engage with them to ensure we cater to the needs of both clubs."

Wetherill Park-based Axis Constructions Pty Ltd was selected to carry out the proposed constructions scheduled for this September.

With a budget of \$9.86 million, the entire Stage 1 of the Narellan Sports Hub project is expected to be completed in April 2017.

Ultimately, the Hub will include a netball complex, athletic facilities, a multisport ground, a centrally located building and approximately 1000 car parking spaces.

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