

Media Release



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A new park is coming to Cobbitty

A brand-new park is on its way to Olive Hill Drive, Cobbitty, after a contractor was endorsed at Camden Council's Ordinary Meeting last night.

Greater West Landscapes Pty Ltd will construct the \$537,650 park on an undeveloped Council reserve within the Arcadian Hills estate, between Olive Hill Drive and The Northern Road.

The site includes original gravel access road to the historic Denbigh House and, as such, the park will pay homage to the heritage development in and around the Denbigh Estate. The new park will include:

- A passive recreation space;
- New paths;
- New park furniture;
- Garden areas;
- Trees;
- New turf;
- Timber steppers; and
- The refurbishment of the original entry gates.

Construction on the new space is set to begin in early 2020 and is due to be complete in June, weather permitting.

Mayor of Camden, Cr Theresa Fedeli, said stakeholder consultation undertaken by Council was key to the new playground's design.

"It will have a number of art elements incorporated, including five stainless steel marker posts, showing aspects of pre-European settlement and a large fabricated metal milk pail," Cr Fedeli said.

"It's important our residents, especially our young ones, have these exciting spaces. It's terrific for their cognitive development, and fitness, to get outside, play and explore the equipment."

Council has recently upgraded five playgrounds across the Camden area, designed for young residents from four to 12 years. They include:

- Harrington Park Reserve, Swan Circuit, Harrington Park;
- Solander Reserve, Mount Annan;
- Manna Gum Reserve, Yate Place, Mount Annan;
- Little Reserve, Camden; and
- Eastlewood Reserve, Narellan.

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