

## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **Harbour Trust approves Amendment of Draft Management Plan for Mosman Drill Hall Precinct and Lighting of Outdoor Netball Courts**

On 5 December, Members of the Harbour Trust, approved an amendment to the Draft Management Plan for the Mosman Drill Hall Precinct and to install lighting on three existing outdoor netball courts.

In September, the Harbour Trust invited public comment on two planning matters relating to the Mosman Drill Hall Precinct: the Draft Management Plan for the Mosman Drill Hall Precinct; and a Development Application that had been submitted by Mosman Council. The Harbour Trust received over 150 submissions from the wider community, providing a variety of feedback for Members' consideration.

As a result of the approved resolution, the Harbour Trust will implement changes to the Draft Management Plan for the Drill Hall Precinct. These changes include, lighting that requires manual activation and limited usage Monday to Thursday until 8:30pm and from 1 March to 15 September.

Additionally, the Harbour Trust has approved the planning application received from Mosman Council to install the lighting at the netball courts. The Harbour Trust has supplied Mosman Council with conditions of use to ensure lighting is sensitive to the surrounding residents and environment.

Mary Darwell, Executive Director of the Harbour Trust, said a resolution on Mosman Council's proposal to install lighting at the Drill Hall Precinct was reached following more than two years of consultation with stakeholders.

"Mosman Council will be required to provide monitoring of lighting, traffic, parking and noise, to ensure that local amenity is protected," said Ms Darwell.

"We have listened carefully to the key issues presented by the community and appreciate the varied interests in the Drill Hall Precinct at Mosman. Community can expect works to commence in the New Year, ahead of the 2020 sporting season," said Mr Carrozzi

Mosman Council first approached the Harbour Trust in 2017, following the acceptance of \$150,000 grant from the NSW Government for court lighting.

Visit the Harbour Trust website for more information on the Drill Hall Precinct at Mosman.

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