

CAMELOT PARK

DOG OFF-LEASH AREA

PUBLIC EXHIBITION SUMMARY REPORT



PROJECT BACKGROUND:

The Camelot Park Dog Off-Leash area will be a secure local park which provides dogs with open space, local-level activities, and a quiet area for those with smaller dogs.

The Camelot Park Dog Off-Leash area is being delivered as part of the [State Government's Suburban Revitalisation Program](#), and is part of a series of park upgrades being delivered in Tarneit. Community engagement was undertaken on the Tarneit park upgrades and you can read the Community Engagement Summary Report [here](#).

The Camelot Park Dog Off-leash Area will also be the first site as part of the implementation plan of the Dog Off Leash Approach. You can read about the Wyndham Dog Off-Leash Approach community consultation [here](#).

METHODOLOGY:

The below table outlines the various methods and techniques used to engage with the community.

Community engagement activities / tools	
Method / technique	Stakeholders engaged
Project page on The Loop	339 total visitors to the page 466 page views
Online survey	39 surveys completed
Social mapping tool	35 pins dropped on the map

Communications / marketing activities	
Method / technique	Stakeholders engaged
Online promotion (Facebook post)	Reached : 5,587 Engagement : 83 Click through to website : 44

SUMMARY OF FEEDBACK:

The following feedback will be used to shape the detailed design of the dog off-leash area. The project will then progress into the delivery stage and the dog off-leash area will be constructed.

We Asked	You Said	We did
What do you like about the concept plan for the Camelot Park Dog Off Leash area?	<p>Most popular/common responses:</p> <p>Generally supportive of the project and the concept design (16 related comments)</p> <p>Fenced area including double gates (airlock) (10 related comments)</p> <p>Large size and generous amount of open space (10 related comments)</p> <p>Agility area and quiet (buffered) area (7 related comments)</p>	<p>This feedback illustrates the importance of providing a fenced dog off-leash area, which includes open lawn spaces and some activity. This feedback will be used to develop the detailed design of the dog off-leash area.</p>

We Asked	You Said	We did
Is there anything we may have missed in the concept design or could do better?	<p>Most popular/common responses:</p> <p>Separate fenced area for smaller dogs / separate fenced areas for large and small dogs (16 related comments)</p> <p>Shade and mature trees (7 related comments)</p> <p>Water stations for dogs and humans, including water bowl for dogs (6 related comments)</p> <p>Bins / an additional bin (2 total) (6 related comments)</p>	<p>Camelot Park dog off-leash area is a local-level fenced park.</p> <p>In-line with Wyndham's Dog Off-Leash Plan, the fenced park is 3000 sq.m in size and is not appropriate for multiple fenced areas within the 3000 sq.m, or for an additional fenced area.</p> <p>Fenced areas which seek to separate large and small dogs may occur at District and Regional level parks.</p> <p>The site where the dog off-leash park is located has existing trees which will provide shade as they continue to mature. Council is also planting additional canopy trees to increase shade opportunities.</p> <p>A drink fountain which includes dog tap and bowl will be provided at the park, as well as rubbish bin at the entry point along Crossway Avenue (outside of the fenced area) in line with Wyndham's Dog Off-Leash Plan.</p>

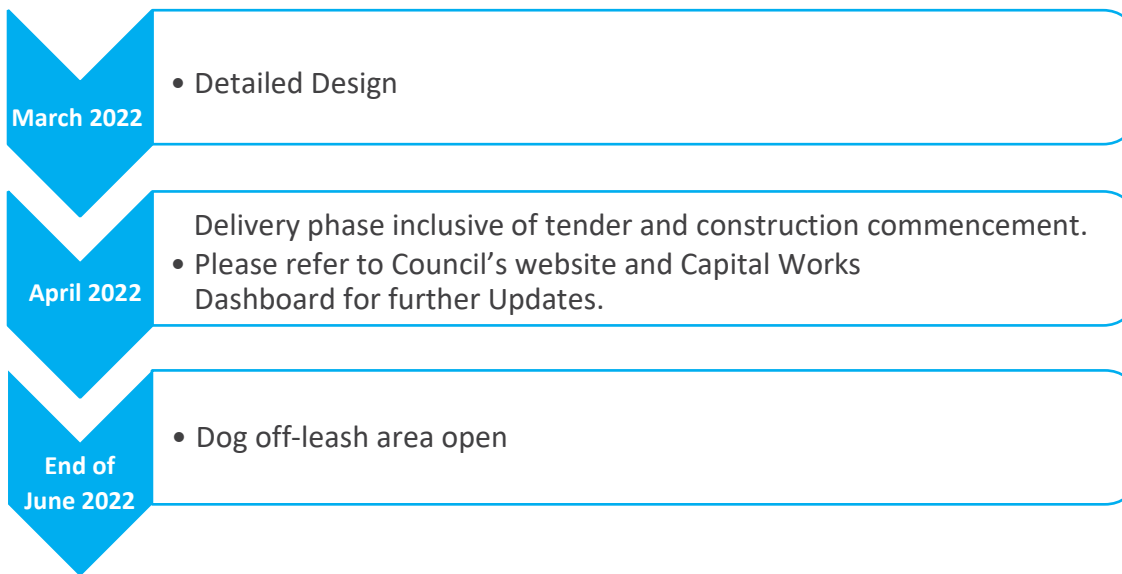
We Asked	You Said	We did
Any other comments you would like to add?	<p>The most popular comments were supportive of the dog off-leash area and the concept design.</p> <p>Additional feedback included comments regarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planting Trees for shade (1 comment),• Providing dog bags (1 comment),• Raising the fence height (1 comment),• Increasing the size of the fenced area (1 comment),• Car parking (1 comment), and• Ongoing maintenance (1 comment),	<p>Dog bag dispensers and canopy trees are currently proposed as part of the design of the new dog off-leash area.</p> <p>The proposed size of the park (3000 sq.m) and fence height of 1.2m is in-line with Wyndham's Dog Off-leash Plan and will remain as part of the design of this park.</p> <p>No additional parking will be provided as part of this project due to this park being of local-level. Street car parking is available on Crossway Avenue and Camelot Drive.</p> <p>Council will perform on-going maintenance of the park, including the installation of lawn irrigation (within the fenced area) to support the growth and health of grass.</p>



NEXT STEPS:

- Council will use the feedback provided by this consultation to inform the detailed design of the park.
- The project will then move into the delivery phase.

STAGES OF THE PROJECT



HOW CAN PARTICIPANTS STAY INVOLVED/INFORMED?

Participants can stay informed by visiting the Loop page and selecting to "Follow" the project. Updates will be posted on The Loop and the project timeline will be updated to reflect project status.

Participants can also stay informed with updates available on Council's Capital Works Dashboard www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/capitalworksdashboard