

PICKLE DISTRICT PLACE PLAN – IMPLEMENTATION FRAMEWORK

Action and Proposed Update	Responsible Team(s)	Support Team(s)	Status	Timing					2023/24 Annual Review Update (August 2024)	
				23/24	24/25	25/26	26/27	27/28		
ENHANCED ENVIRONMENT										
5.1.1 Design and implement improvements to the Pickle Park.	S&D	I&E	Completed	✓	✓					<p>Administration worked with The Pickle District to design and implement upgrades to Pickle Park (southern verge of Old Aberdeen Place), including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Levelling of block to increase usability; • Compacted gravel pathways, areas with picnic benches, and 'event area' at request of town team; • Picnic benches, painted in colours at town team request; • Relocation of sculpture walk poles to more purposeful and linked locations; and • New planting and mulch. <p>The City led the project in collaboration with The Pickle District. The project was funded through a combination of Town Team Grant funding, a \$15,000 grant from the RAC acquired by The Pickle District Town Team and in-kind support from the City.</p> <p>Since completion of the upgrades in July 2023 the nearby businesses have reported use of Pickle Park by the public and staff. The town team has also held two events where the space has been well used by patrons, enhancing the overall experience of the event.</p>
5.1.2 Encourage uptake in business community solar with distribution of promotional video.	S&D	C&B	On Track	✓						Administration have developed marketing materials for the Solar Power Purchase Agreement project to gather interest from business and property owners in an online workshop. This workshop will communicate the benefits of solar for their business. The timeframe for the release of these marketing materials and workshops has not been determined.
5.1.3 Increase usability of Sutherland Reserve.	S&D	I&E	Not Started			✓	✓		✓	Project scheduled to begin in 2025/26.
5.1.4 Improve urban canopy.	S&D	I&E	Not Started					✓	✓	Project scheduled to begin in 2026/27.
ACCESSIBLE CITY										
5.2.1 Develop and implement main street upgrades.	S&D	I&E	Not Started			✓	✓		✓	Project scheduled to begin in 2025/26.
5.2.2 Investigate pedestrian and cyclist connection between Loftus Street and Drummond Place.	S&D	I&E	On Track	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	The City submitted a proposal for 'Improved access to and from the Pickle District for walking and riding' entered as part of 2023/24 State budget submission put forward by DoT as package of initiatives for the Perth Parking Management Area (PPMA). This was ultimately unsuccessful and Administration will continue to work with Vincent on opportunities in the future.

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5.2.3 Develop and implement a plan to improve pedestrian experience.	S&D	I&E	Not Started			✓	✓		Project scheduled to begin in 2025/26.
5.2.4 Investigate feasibility of Drummond Pass underpass.	S&D	I&E	Not Started		✓	✓	✓	✓	Project scheduled to begin in 2024/25.
5.2.5 Implement Vincent Wayfinding Signage Plan.	I&E	S&D	On Track	✓	✓	✓			The City and Studio Found have undertaken detailed design of the wayfinding signs to be installed in the City's town centres. In 2024/25, the City will undertake procurement to fabricate and install the Wayfinding Signage in the City's town centres.
CONNECTED & HEALTHY COMMUNITY									
5.3.1 Support local Town Team and community to deliver activation and community initiatives in the Pickle District.	C&B		On Track	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023/24 Town Team Grant application has been approved for the commission of public artworks that function as bike racks. The bespoke bike racks will re-purpose original turnstiles from HBF Park site and will be installed at Pickle Park. Project to be completed by June 2025.
THRIVING PLACES									
5.4.1 Collaborate with The Pickle District Town Team to implement art for artlets.	S&D	I&E	On Track	✓	✓	✓			The Pickle District have 'Pickle Poles' artwork has acquired approval from Main Roads and the install details are being finalised. Anticipated project completion August 2024. Will investigate commission of additional artwork.
5.4.2 Explore opportunities for pedestrian laneways between Douglas Street and Cleaver Street.	S&D	I&E	Not Started		✓	✓	✓	✓	Project scheduled to begin in 2024/25.
5.4.3 Implement Pickle District gateways-	S&D	I&E	Not Started			✓	✓	✓	Project scheduled to begin in 2025/26.
5.4.4 Retain creative industry	S&D	I&E	On Track	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Administration have had early discussions with the developers of the Sir Charles Quarter development regarding percent for art contribution and the inclusion of cultural infrastructure. Conversations will be ongoing in 2024/25.
5.4.5 Support the implementation of the Vibrant Public Spaces Policy.	S&D	I&E	On Track	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Zero Vibrant Public Space applications were submitted in the Pickle District area in 2023/24.
SENSITIVE DESIGN									
5.5.1 Develop and implement streetscape style guide	S&D	I&E	Not Started		✓	✓			Project scheduled to begin in 2024/25.
INNOVATIVE AND ACCOUNTABLE									
5.6.1 Investigate opportunities for Business Enhancement Grants.	S&D	C&B	On Track	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	The inaugural round of the Business Enhancement Grants was held in 2023/24. Five applications were received in the West Perth neighbourhood which includes the Pickle district of which three were successful. Two of the three successful applications were completed and have been detailed below:

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									1. Ray Hanas Martial Arts Supplies – painted flooring, walls, awning underside and gutters 307 Fitzgerald St, West Perth – paint exterior, replace tiling at entrance, improve paved pathway, remove aircon units from roof, fix timber seating and tables to alfresco.
5.6.2 Investigate opportunities for Place Improvement Funding	C&B	S&D	Not Started		✓	✓	✓	✓	Project to commence in 2024/25
5.6.3 Seek funding opportunities from the Perth Parking Levy	S&D	C&B	On Track	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	The City submitted a proposal for 'Improved access to and from the Pickle District for walking and riding' entered as part of 2023/24 State budget submission put forward by DoT as package of initiatives for the Perth Parking Management Area (PPMA). This budget submission was unsuccessful.

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