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Priority Area	Deliverable	Status	What have we achieved?
Civic Leadership	1.1 - Incorporate public health, wellbeing and health equity principles and priorities into City policies, plans, reports, programs, and activities.	On Track	<p>Council Reports. Priority health outcomes of the City’s Public Health Plan have been referenced in 77 council reports (out of 162) from October 2023 – September 2024.</p> <p>Youth Action Plan 2023 - 2026. The development of a Youth Action Plan includes deliverables on Resilience and Wellbeing with the goal to ‘Support our youth to be strong, healthy, safe and active.’ Key deliverables achieved in 2023/24 include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> delivered two Young Makers Markets delivered Nature Play initiative at Hyde Park to 60 families engaged eight local schools for Student Citizenship Awards; and workshops delivered by YHQ <p>Access and Inclusion Plan 2022 - 2027. This plan supports the creation of a social and built environment that is accessible and inclusive for everyone, and particularly for people with disabilities. Key deliverables achieved in 2023/24 include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> refurbishment of the customer service area accessible toilet; staff Wheelchair Basketball workshop co-hosted with Water Corporation; delivered an eight week ‘Introduction to Auslan’ community workshop; completed a footpath audit in December 2023; and held an All-Abilities Pool Party at Beatty Park. <p>Innovate Reconciliation Action Plan 2022 – 2024. This plan includes three main themes – Relationships, Respect and Opportunities. This Plan has been designed in partnership with Aboriginal Elders on the Boordiya Elders Group, members of the Internal Reconciliation Action Plan Working Group, staff, and stakeholder groups. Key deliverables achieved in 2023/24 include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> development of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Engagement Guidelines; Cultural Awareness and Engagement Plan for new starters and existing employees; Provided two traineeships to Aboriginal students from Aranmore Catholic College; new Purchasing Policy prioritises purchasing from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander businesses; Commenced development of our fourth RAP, the Stretch RAP 2024/27. <p>Local Planning Scheme Amendment. In February 2024, LPS2 was amended to make the Service Station land use a prohibited use in mixed use, centre, and residential zones. This would have a significant amenity benefit to the community by ensuring any new Service Stations are appropriately located in areas away from existing residents.</p>

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	1.2 - Pursue grant funding opportunities to increase the health and wellbeing of our community through projects, activities, and services.	On Track	<p>Successful Healthway Funding for Smoke Free Town Centre Project. Received \$124,420 in grant funding, and project extended to March 2024 (originally November 2022 – November 2023).</p> <p>Upgrade of turf and lighting at Leederville Oval. A grant was received to help with upgrading turf and lighting at Leederville Oval.</p> <p>WA Bike Network Grant received for Norfolk Safe Active Street design to promote healthy walking/cycling activity within our community.</p> <p>Mt Hawthorn Lighting Upgrade. Funding received from Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts to upgrade lighting at Axford Park and Braithwaite Park in Mt Hawthorn. The project aim is to increase safety, promote pedestrian movement and other public activations during evening periods.</p> <p>Youth Development Grant. Funding provided to Perth STEM Association for delivering Newtons Playground workshop.</p>
	1.3 - Support a healthy and happy workplace for City staff with a focus on wellbeing and work life balance, and promote this approach to our stakeholders	On Track	<p>Training and events. Training and events delivered in 23/24 include: resilience training for workers and leaders, dealing with difficult people and de-escalation training, mental health awareness training, workplace behaviours training, mentally healthy workplaces training and first aid training. Emergency management training included drills and presentations from Fire fighters, police, and crime stoppers. CPR Training attended by over 60 employees. Recognised International Women’s Day and R U OK day. Provided staff training on the use of the e-bike fleet.</p> <p>Subsidised Beatty Park Gym Memberships along with Corporate Private Health Memberships through HBF and Medibank available for employees.</p> <p>Staff Wellness Expo: Took place in October 2023. Provided to all staff with multiple workplace health, safety, and wellness suppliers in attendance, such as St John WA, Paraplegic Benefit Fund (PBF), Absolute Balance, Beatty Park Leisure Centre, and Massage Therapy.</p> <p>Workplace Health and Safety. Mental health and wellness is a priority at the City. Training and wellness programs include skin checks (114), health checks, flu vaccinations (96), Hepatitis A, B and Tetanus vaccinations for eligible staff. Wellness Day event and promotion of our EAP program for staff and Managers are organised throughout the year.</p>

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	1.4 - Reduce exposure to unhealthy advertising, marketing, promotion, and sponsorship (includes, but not limited to alcohol, unhealthy food and drink, smoking, and gambling)		<p>Bus Shelter Advertising. Negotiations continue with provider, to include a clause in the City's Bus Shelter Contract to restrict 'unhealthy advertising' on 50 of our bus shelters in Vincent.</p> <p>Social Media and Graphics. Ongoing aim to reduce exposure of unhealthy marketing and promotion through our social media channels and graphic design requests.</p>
Advocacy	2.1 - Advocate to improve public health and wellbeing outcomes on behalf of our community to State and Federal government, agencies, private organisations, and peak bodies for our priority population groups #	On Track	<p>Consistent Local Planning Scheme review. The Public Health and Environmental Health Teams provided comments for proposed changes to land uses, zones, and reserves in May 2023. Included comments about elevating Public Health considerations in planning decisions.</p> <p>North Metropolitan Local Government network. The City is an active member of the group and presented on the Smoke Free Town Centre Project and its implementation.</p> <p>The International Federation for Environmental Health World Congress, hosted in May 2023 in Perth. The City's Health Services team hosted more than 20 delegates from Malaysia including students and staff from Universiti Teknologi MARA Selangor and Environmental Health Professionals to promote Vincent's contributions to Environmental and Public Health. The City also presented on the success of the City's Smoke Free Town Centres Project.</p> <p>Local Government Health and Wellbeing Group. The City is an active member of this group which provides information and helps knowledge sharing between local governments. Workshops in 2023/24 have included Climate Change and Health, Healthy Eating and Food Security, Mental Health and Wellbeing, and Vaping.</p> <p>City of Greater Geraldton Public Health Planning. The Public Health Team provided support and advice to the City of Greater Geraldton, who is commencing the development of their first public health plan.</p> <p>Local Government Public Health Plan Reference Group. The City is a member of this group to provide advice and knowledge about the legislative requirement to develop and maintain a Local Public Health Plan.</p>

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Public awareness and engagement	3.1 - Partner with external agencies and community groups on key projects and activities that empower and enable people to live healthy, happy, and connected lives in Vincent	On Track	<p>See 6.1, 7.1, 7.3 and 13.2 deliverables for more details of partnerships with external agencies and community groups on health promotion projects and activities.</p> <p>Local Community Groups. Library Services has connected with local community groups to support and facilitate a central meeting place for activities.</p> <p>Vision Australia, Autism WA, and Purple Hearts Foundation. Partnered with external agencies to develop further programs, services, and resources.</p> <p>Partnered with ADHDWA. To deliver an information session which will provide an overview of ADHD symptoms, strengths, challenges, and diagnostic criteria.</p> <p>Partnered with Befriend. Deliver 'Thrive Together – Empowering Inner-City Community Leaders workshop to community groups.</p> <p>Partnered with Cancer Council WA. Deliver a Packed with Goodness Session for parents to get tips for packing healthy lunchboxes, label reading and healthy alternatives to pre-packaged snacks.</p>
	3.2 - Develop a communication plan to inform, engage and educate residents, visitors, businesses, and community organisations on the priority health topics for Vincent	On Track	<p>Annual health and wellbeing communication plan. Shared health and wellbeing focussed content on the City's social channels, with a major focus on promotion of the Smoke Free Town Centres project in 2023/24. Other health campaigns included Food Safety Standards, Asbestos Awareness week, Wood Smoke Awareness week, R U OK? day, World Cancer Day, World Immunisation Day, World No Tobacco Day, Men's Health Week, Mental Health Week, Bike Month, International Women's day and Heart Week.</p> <p>Library marketing and communication plan. The City's Library displays information on health promotion weeks of significance on digital signage and through social media. This has included Cancer Council SunSmart and Move More campaigns. The Library ensures that information is accessible including the development of webinars and accessibility maps.</p> <p>LiveLighter Funding. Successful in receiving funding to promote the Cancer Council WA Start Small Campaign (as part of LiveLighter). Funds will be used to promote how to keep fit for free in Vincent.</p>

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Smoke-free Town Centres by 2025	4.1 - Design and implement a smoke-free Town Centre project which considers policy and regulatory options with involvement from health partners and local businesses.	On Track	<p>Local Law. First WA Local Government to include smoke and vape-free areas within our Local Law.</p> <p>Local Planning Policy. First WA Local Government to introduce a local planning policy aimed at restricting the sale and promotion of tobacco, smoking related implements or the use of tobacco.</p> <p>Healthway Grant. Successfully received two Healthway grants of \$124,420, which supported the delivery of the project. A grant acquittal report was sent to Healthway.</p> <p>Award Shortlist. Recognised as an award worthy project, having been shortlisted for five awards, presented at six conferences and coverage in 11 local news articles.</p> <p>Smoking Behaviour Audits in November 2023. Achieved a 42% reduction in people smoking cigarettes in our town centres in just 12 months. North Metro Health Service delivered training to nine Curtin University Students to conduct a one-year Audit of smoking observations and cigarette butt counts in all five Town Centres.</p> <p>Support. Widespread support from 88% of community and businesses, a year into the project.</p>

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	4.2 - Deliver a public awareness campaign to focus on the benefits of smoke-free environments.	On Track	<p>Education first approach. Engaging with 3360 residents and visitors at workshops, town centre campaigns, events and reaching over 11,000 people through online campaigns.</p> <p>Vaping Education. Delivered five vaping education workshops to Year Six students at Highgate and Kyilla Primary Schools.</p> <p>Collaborated with 20 businesses, nine pharmacies and seven community services.</p> <p>Engaged. The Y, Foyer Oxford, and Freedom Centre to build capacity and knowledge about vaping, enabling them to educate and support young people.</p> <p>Signage. “Fresh Air, You’re Welcome” temporary signage installed in Town Centres with a focus on hotspot areas where people currently smoke. Permanent smoke-free signage is now installed, with a focus on hotspot areas.</p> <p>One year smoke free anniversary video. Presented by Mayor Alison Xamon, highlighting the 12-month survey results. Campaign ran on social media and shared in Vincent News.</p> <p>Smoke Free Radio Interview. The Public Health Team completed an interview with reporter, Kate Leaver, recorded for breakfast radio on ABC Radio Perth on 6 December 2023, about the City’s Smoke Free Town Centres.</p>
	4.3 - Review proposals to introduce new smoke-free environments on City owned land.		On Track

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Healthy Eating	5.1 - Increase healthy food and drink options at City venues, public open spaces, events, festivals, and community activities.	On Track	<p>Healthy Food and Drink Policy. Adopted at Council in June 2024. The purpose of this policy is to enable the City to lead by example by supporting the provision and promotion of healthy food and drink at its venues and events. Focus for year one will be –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promoting Healthier catering for City meetings workshops and functions. • Healthier options available and promoted at City facility cafes and vending machines. • Guidance material developed for event organisers to consider healthy options at their events. <p>Store Scout Kiosk tool pilot in August 2024. North Metropolitan Health Service delivered the tool at Beatty Park Café to assess and monitor the healthiness of the café and support change to increase healthy options. The assessment and recommendations focus on price, promotion, placement, and product.</p>
	5.2 - Promote and support healthy and sustainable food environments, particularly to our priority population groups.	On Track	<p>Food Atlas. In October 2023, the City hosted a workshop on the new Food Atlas Tool. This is an interactive map of food businesses and a suite of summary metrics helping to show food access inequities such as the density of fast-food outlets and liquor stores, in a Local Government area. The tool offers evidence-based information on food access that can underpin policies and decisions at a Local Government level.</p> <p>Kyilla Farmers Market. City supports annual waiver of certain fees and charges to support healthy and sustainable food environments.</p> <p>North Perth Community Garden. Received grant funding and a community benefit subsidy to support healthy and sustainable food environments.</p> <p>Mount Hawthorn Hawkers Market return to Axford Park in March and April 2024. Food stalls serving up sweet and savoury dishes from across the globe, plus live music and a Free Kids Zone with face painting and a colouring competition.</p> <p>Common Cause – Australia Research. The City took part in an interview on fast food outlet location and density, and health in city planning. This was facilitated by Common Cause Australia and funded by Cancer Council WA.</p>

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Community activities and programs	6.1 - Deliver and promote activities and programs that contribute to increased physical activity and mental health and wellbeing; including local sports, fitness, community groups and cultural activities.	On Track	<p>See deliverable 3.1 for more details of activities and programs with external agencies and community groups on key projects and activities.</p> <p>Youth Week 2024. The City organised a movie screening of Wonka, the Young Makers Markets and supported a Want to be your own boss workshop with the Y HQ.</p> <p>NAIDOC Week 2023. Workshops included Truth Telling Lunch with Aboriginal Elders, Indigenous Cultural Experience with Dale Tilbrook, For our Elders talk with Barry McGuire, Noongar Bush Medicine with Vivienne Hansen and a Noongar language and Cultural Session.</p> <p>Reconciliation Week 2024. Workshops delivered included Traditional Aboriginal Art Workshop with Djurandi Dreaming and Justin Martin, Totem Weaving with Sharyn Egan, Bushtucker and Tasting with Dale Tilbrook and Aboriginal History, Dreamtime Stories and Bus Tools with Greg Nannup. 97 attendees over the four workshops.</p> <p>Health and wellbeing programs at the Library. Baby Massage workshops, sustainability workshops e.g. bees in your backyard, financial wellbeing workshops, and digital literacy workshops. A range of topics are on offer that focus on physical and mental health, digital access, safety and inclusion, economic and professional development, social connections, and sustainability. Programs offered by the library included baby Rhyme Time and Story Time, Studio Code (STEM coding), financial literacy and professional skill development workshops, health and sustainability workshops and social clubs.</p> <p>Nature Play session at Hyde Park in September 2023. 60 families attended over the 8 weeks where curious children engage in fun activities.</p>
	6.2 - Develop new and promote current initiatives that encourage residents to connect with their neighbours and local community and encourage neighbour connection through the City's service delivery.	On Track	<p>Promotion of Neighbours Every Day. Neighbours Every Day encourages everyone to help create belonging and build an inclusive community that people want to live in, one relationship at a time.</p>

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<p>Inclusive Communities</p>	<p>7.1 - Deliver and promote inclusive health and wellbeing programs and services, particularly through supporting stakeholders that provide health and community support to our priority population groups.</p>	<p>On Track</p>	<p>Books on Wheels. Continue to deliver books and resources to people who are unable to access the library for example residents, aged care homes and other organisations. Nine organisations and 53 individuals currently accessing the service.</p> <p>Memory care kits. Continue to provide kits that carers for people with memory loss can use to prompt conversation, spark memories, and encourage tactile motor skills.</p> <p>Meals on Wheels service. Continue to subsidise the catering for eligible residents through the City of Stirling Community Care ‘Community Food Services’ program. Eleven residents currently using the service in 2024.</p> <p>Auslan Course. 8-week course for community members who learn about deaf awareness, fingerspelling, counting and basic conversation topics.</p> <p>Beatty Park inclusive chat boards. Children of all abilities can use two communication boards while playing at Beatty Park Leisure Centre, installed in September 2024</p> <p>Multicultural Seniors Expo with Chung Wah and the Perth Asian Community Centre in April 2024. Around 300 seniors from multicultural backgrounds found out about services, activities and support available in the community from 18 stall holders.</p> <p>Harmony Week in March 2024. The City hosted a morning tea featuring students from Aranmore College telling stories of migrating to Australia and a performance by Latin musician Oscar Letelier. Attended by 35 people with halal morning tea provided by Food Almadi.</p> <p>Education Session Breast Screen WA. An informative education session covering a range of topics, including what is breast cancer, risk factors for breast cancer and how to be breast aware.</p>

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	<p>7.2 – Ensure meaningful engagement with our priority population groups that are at risk of or experiencing social exclusion and advocate for health equity within policies, programs, and services.</p>	<p>On Track</p>	<p>Aboriginal organisations and businesses. Relationships have been developed with the City to provide a deeper level of understanding through our Elders on the Boordiya (Bosses) Reference Group.</p> <p>LGTBQIA+ engagement. Workshops, events, and talks are delivered to the community around inclusiveness and diversity. The City also supports pride Month in November including Pride Flag raising ceremony, North Perth Common Lighting up for Pride; and Rainbow family picnic.</p> <p>Youth Disability Advocacy Network. The Library invited the Network to audit the library’s accessibility and provide recommendations. The Library has introduced quiet times in the library twice per week, provision of key information in alternative formats, enabling online services to be in accessible mode and updated the physical layout to improve accessibility.</p> <p>Wheelchair basketball. The City teamed up with Water Corporation for an event run by Rebound WA to mark the International Day of People with Disability. 50 employees from Vincent and Water Corp were taught basic skills and ran friendly games. Staff members took what they learned on the day back to work to help make Vincent a more a more accessible and inclusive place.</p>

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	7.3 - Provide support to organisations working with people experiencing socio-economic hardship including homelessness	On Track	<p>Partnership with The Y HQ. Eight Life Skill workshops and four Youth Squad events have been delivered to young people in the community.</p> <p>Engagement with Youth at Risk Network. Engage with the Youth at Risk Network and support the delivery of events in the City. This is a network of stakeholders that support young people who are marginalised and/or disengaged from mainstream community.</p> <p>Safe Perth City Initiative, Homelessness Working Group and Perth Inner City Group. Ongoing collaboration with the WA Government’s Office of Homelessness, WA Police Force, specialist homelessness services and other local governments to ensure a coordinated approach to managing rough sleeping, and improving welfare, safety and amenity outcomes.</p> <p>Participation in WA Alliance to End Homelessness (WAAEH) Sector Improvement Workshops with key cross-sector stakeholders.</p> <p>Commenced Associate Membership of Shelter WA. To support the delivery of affordable housing and homelessness services and to build capacity, advocacy, and collaboration in this space</p> <p>Nyoongar Outreach Services. Ongoing partnership agreement.</p> <p>Uniting WA’s Koort Boodja crisis accommodation service on Money Street. City of Vincent Social Club donated leftover food from their Christmas in July 2024 dinner.</p>

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<p>Festivals and Events</p>	<p>8.1 - Deliver and promote festivals and events that encourage community connections, reduce social isolation and cultural barriers.</p>	<p>On Track</p>	<p>Host and approval of international events such as the FIFA Women’s World Cup, HSBC World Rugby Sevens, Foo Fighters Concert. Collaborating with external stakeholders including World Rugby and Rugby WA to ensure all relevant health and building approvals were assessed to mitigate potential risks associated with food safety, structures, amplified noise, crowd safety and emergency management.</p> <p>Community Events. The Health Services team completed the assessment and approval of significant community events, including the Provedores Markets, Arty Farty Christmas Party, Mount Hawthorn Christmas Carols, Little Italy Festival, Allstars Charity Game, St Patricks Day Festival, North Perth Primary School 125-year anniversary and the Gladstone Street Christmas Markets.</p> <p>Citizenship Ceremonies. Delivered four events welcoming 202 new Australian Citizens.</p> <p>Festival and Event Sponsorship. 17 events were sponsored and delivered in Vincent last financial year, with these events being free for all community to attend encouraging community connections. 22 applications for Event Funding approved this financial year, which will see a range of events take place across the City encouraging community connection and social well-being.</p> <p>First ‘Rainbow Picnic’ event. This event will be delivered in Hyde Park in November 2024 to celebrate PrideFest 2024. The family friendly event will encourage all residents, families, and friends to attend.</p> <p>Young Makers Market. Held in Dec 2023 at the North Perth Town Hall and April 2024 at Multicultural Gardens, with over 80 stallholders at each event.</p>

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<p>Sporting clubs, community groups and non-government organisations</p>	<p>9.1 - Build the capacity of local clubs, groups, and organisations to deliver health and wellbeing activities and encourage participation of priority population groups including females in sport</p>	<p>On Track</p>	<p>Club development and support. The Coordinator Sport and Recreation continues to communicate with all clubs, acts as an internal point of contact for all clubs within the City, and continues to promote sporting club programmes across networks, and through a quarterly newsletter</p> <p>Female Participation in Sports Grant. Funding provided to City of Perth Swimming Club to empower female athletes by enhancing training opportunities (running out of Beatty Park).</p> <p>KidSport vouchers. There were 156 vouchers handed out in 2023/24 to support priority population groups play a range of sports in different clubs. This program aims to reduce barriers to get more children in the local community playing sport and growing local clubs.</p> <p>Community and sporting groups waiver of fees. The City supported community groups, organisations, and schools to use our hireable spaces in our halls, community centre, parks, and sporting grounds. There have been 71 bookings that have received between 25% to 100% fee waivers.</p>

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City Buildings and facilities	10.1 – Incorporate public health principles including Healthy Active by Design into City plans and strategies to influence the planning, and development of the built environment	On Track	<p>Undertake Local Planning Strategy and Scheme Review in 2024. Including elevating the importance of public health in the Strategy.</p> <p>Progressing Town Centre Planning Frameworks in North Perth, Mt Hawthorn, William Street and Beaufort Street. These will include objectives relating to a Connected and Healthy Community.</p> <p>New Local Planning Frameworks for North Claisebrook and the Pickle District. Developed using the guidance of the State's precinct design guide and the Residential Design Codes volume 2. The plans were also prepared with reference to the Public Health Plan in the context reports.</p>

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	10.2 - Provide and promote welcoming and accessible facilities to encourage greater utilisation by our community and priority population groups	On Track	<p>Litis Stadium. Funding secured to construct a new multi-sports change room facility (including female-friendly change room) and clubroom upgrade which will help grow a thriving community hub used for sporting clubs, local community groups and residents. The upgrades will help increase female participation in sport. Work now underway.</p> <p>Birdwood Square Changing Facility Upgrade: Vincent delivered a public toilet and changing room facility upgrade to service reserve users and community. The changing rooms and storage facility will service the usage by Highgate Primary School and local sporting clubs and a new playground is set to revitalise the area.</p> <p>Beatty Park Leisure Centre membership. Wide variety of membership and access options for the community. Membership is at 5007 with 1,292,164 visits during 2023/2024, a 9.3% increase on the previous year.</p> <p>Beatty Park Classes. A wide range of group classes that contribute to increased physical activity and mental health and wellbeing. Around 130 classes per week that include aqua, yoga, HIIT, functional training, strength, and cardio classes.</p> <p>Beatty Park Swim School delivers lessons to approximately 3000 students weekly with 239 more children enrolled in the Swim School than at the same stage last year. This has included Angelfish Program for people with disability; Foyer Oxford subsidised lessons; Displaced Refugee Program; Aranmore Catholic College CALD Program and Heart Beat Club.</p> <p>Beatty Park Awards. Winner at WA Aquatic Recreation Industry Watch Around Water for Marketing and Promotion; Winner at WA Aquatic Recreation Industry Technical Operator; Regional winner and National winner at Australian Swim Schools Association Swim Teacher of the Year; Regional winner and National winner at Australian Swim Schools Association Inclusive Swimming Award and Highly commented at Australian Swim Schools Association Swim School of the Year.</p> <p>62 bookable City facilities. For community and sporting groups to access. Seven indoor facilities including pavilions and halls, four Vincent community centre rooms, 11 sportsgrounds, 38 passive parks and reserves, Leederville skate park and basketball courts.</p> <p>Library Service. 7,459 active memberships which is an 18% increase since last year and a 20% increase in program attendance, 123,575 visitors to the library with 190,262 loans for the year.</p>

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Active Transport	11.1 - Develop a wayfinding strategy and promote programs to improve walkability of the City.	On Track	<p>Wayfinding Signage Plan. This plan will guide how the City implements signage and wayfinding over the next ten years. It will help connect Vincent residents and visitors with town centres, public transport, and local facilities. Wayfinding signage will be installed in the City’s town centres to improve pedestrian movement through these high pedestrian environments and two popular active transport links (Bulwer Street and Scarborough Beach Road).</p> <p>No smoking and no vaping messaging included on wayfinding signage where size allows.</p>
	11.2 - Deliver programs and events that promote active transport to support the community to be more physically active.	On Track	<p>Ride to Work Day in October 2023. Assisted in WALGA Ride to Work Day by providing two of the City of Vincent e-bikes.</p> <p>Super Sunday and Tuesday Surveys. Annual surveys conducted to understand active travel patterns of our residents for future decision-making.</p> <p>12-month E-Scooter Share Scheme. Launched the e-scooter shared scheme that promoted more active travel, as identified by nine-month evaluation survey. Over 73,300 e-scooter trips have been recorded in Vincent, averaging 396 e-scooters across the City's transport network. Around 36,650 less car trips have been recorded over the trial period.</p> <p>Successful in advocacy on road safety – Receiving State Government support to drop the speed limit from 50km/h to 40km/h on all our local and access roads. Signage installed in collaboration with Main Roads WA on our local roads, replaced more than 700 signs.</p>
Town Centres	12.1 - Deliver active spaces within our town centres to increase community connection	On Track	<p>Activation of Shortcut Lane. Vincent delivered the Shortcut Lane Pop-Up Event Series in the View Street and Rosemount Hotel Car Parks. This included nine free events over May 2024. Events consisted of Outdoor Cinemas, Food Truck Nights, Community Market, and a Thrift Market.</p> <p>Little Italy Festival in June 2024. Transforming a carpark behind the Italian Club into an attractive Italian Plaza.</p> <p>Awarded 27 Business Enhancement Grants across Vincent. Businesses have reported increased use of spaces and reduction in graffiti.</p> <p>Vibrant Public Spaces Policy. Continuing to implement the Policy and increase community connection through public spaces including parklets, eatlets, pop-up parklets, pop-up eatlets and street furniture.</p>

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Safer communities	13.1 - Implement the Safer Vincent Plan to improve community safety outcomes	On Track	<p>Community Safety information is on display at the library. With over 100 resources already taken on a variety of topics, including crime prevention, graffiti, homelessness, Neighbourhood Watch, and reporting.</p> <p>Pool safety social media campaign. Posted over the summer months to remind residents to ensure their pool safety barriers are in place and well-maintained.</p> <p>Safety for Seniors presentation in August 2024. Facilitated at the library with over 22 members of the local community, aged between 56 and 89 years attending.</p> <p>Renewed partnerships with Constable Care Foundation and Nyoongar Outreach Services.</p>

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	13.2 - Support and partner with external stakeholders to deliver programs to seniors including reducing injuries associated with falls	On Track	<p>Move Improve Remove Workshop with Injury Matters. Seniors learned tips and strategies for preventing falls and how to build balance and strength.</p> <p>Seniors Week 2023. Activities included Morning Melodies with Aranmore Catholic College music students, A Man Called Otto movie at Luna Cinema and Energywise Exercise Session.</p> <p>Healthy Hearing Checks in September 2023 and March 2024. A Hearing Bus was organised with Hearing Australia. 16 residents were screened and given the opportunity to have a full hearing assessment with trained clinicians.</p> <p>Seniors cooking and nutrition education sessions in October 2023 with Foodbank were held for Seniors to provide nutritional cooking ideas.</p> <p>Stroke Safe Talk. Fighting Stroke Together workshop. Attendees learnt what a stroke is and how to recognise the signs of a stroke, what to do if someone is having a stroke and how to prevent a stroke.</p> <p>Safety for Seniors Presentation. Provided information on personal, home and vehicle security, reporting crime and suspicious activity and current crime prevention programs.</p> <p>Beatty Park supporting Seniors. Ongoing classes include chair yoga, Pilates, Energywise, Off peak and discounted gym memberships for seniors</p> <p>Seniors Recreation Council. Partnered with the Seniors Recreation Council to deliver a Liveliighter Activity, Information Day, and Seniors Tech Expo.</p> <p>Seniors Needs Assessment in May 2024. Conducted to gain a better understanding of our older residents needs and wants around ageing well in our community so that in turn, it can help with planning future events, services, and activities for them.</p>

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Priority Area	Deliverable	Status	What have we achieved?
Greening the community	14.1 - Increase the number of trees and green spaces to support the health and wellbeing of our community.	On Track	<p>Greening Plan Projects. 300 new trees planted in parks and reserves, streetscapes, and residential verges as well as Water Sensitive Urban Design improvements to Macedonia Place carpark. Street Tree Mapping to ensure effective management of our urban forest. Trees create more liveable neighbourhoods and reduces the urban heat island effect, which supports the health and wellbeing of our community.</p> <p>Native Plant Sale. Held in April and August 2024 at North Perth Common. Approximately 7000 native plants sold at subsidised prices to residents with 1,157 registrations to the event.</p> <p>Parks Replanting Program. Over 4,000 native plants planted in garden areas within parks, reserves and streetscapes.</p> <p>Adopt a Verge Program assisted 79 residents to convert turfed or weedy verges into waterwise native gardens.</p> <p>Environmental Grants are available of up to \$2,000 per project, to assist and encourage schools and community groups to undertake environmental projects within Vincent. Two successful grant applications in the past 12 months.</p> <p>Annual Greening Vincent Garden Competition. The 2023 Garden competition had a total of 64 entries over five categories of Best Front Or Back Garden, Best Small Space Garden, Best Vincent Verge, and Best Waterwise Native Garden. The most popular category this year was Best Front or Back Garden with 22 entries.</p> <p>National Tree Day. Community planting event on 24 July 2024 at Blackford Street Reserve. 120 student volunteers helped in planting over 400 plants.</p>

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Priority Area	Deliverable	Status	What have we achieved?
Parks, reserves, and other open spaces	15.1 - Deliver active and passive parks, playgrounds and additional public open spaces for all ages and abilities to enjoy.	On Track	<p>Robertson Park Development Plan. Vincent delivered a new entrance zone for the tennis centre, four multisport courts, a tennis hit-up wall, and a basketball halfcourt. The upgrades have expanded the usable space and caters for all ages and abilities, with a new opportunity for shared use by netball and other sports. The construction for Stage 1B will begin in the first quarter of 2025 and will involve the conversion of 12 synthetic turf tennis courts to acrylic hardcourts, with upgraded fencing and floodlighting for the tennis centre.</p> <p>Banks Reserve Maste Plan. A new 'interpretation node' viewing platform has been constructed on the foreshore, providing a space for passive recreation. New picnic shelters and table settings encourage visitation.</p> <p>Britannia Reserve. Leverage improvements to lighting at Britannia Reserve to allow up four different sporting clubs from different sporting codes to train at once.</p> <p>Mt Hawthorn Skate Space. Vincent delivered a skate park that caters towards younger and beginner skaters, incorporating a range of small-scale elements. With accompanying landscaping to make it an engaging and welcoming space for all users and families. This was completed in September 2024.</p> <p>Charels Veryard Reserve Irrigation Renewal to ensure irrigation systems water efficient and fit for purpose.</p> <p>Braithwaite Park Exercise Equipment Renewal designed specifically for toddlers.</p> <p>Hyde Park Amenity Upgrades including installation of four new barbeques in public open spaces and one accessible barbeque</p>
	15.2 - Incorporate Healthy Active by Design principles to enhance parks, reserves, and other public open spaces	On Track	<p>Healthy Active by Design principles. Continuing to consider principles when developing Master Plans and Development Plans for public open space (see 15.1).</p>
	15.3 - Partner with organisations to develop and implement sun protection strategies	On Track	<p>Cancer Council UV Monitor. Installation of the monitor at Beatty Park Leisure Centre to provide accurate, real-time UV data to the community. The monitor displays educational messaging to encourage sun protective behaviours according to the UV level.</p> <p>SunSmart messaging. Vincent is part of an advisory committee with Cancer Council WA and Telethon Kids Institute to support the 'SunSmart messaging for WA young people' project.</p>

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Priority Area	Deliverable	Status	What have we achieved?
Climate Change	16.1 – Encourage, empower, and support the community to make choices that consider the health and environmental impacts of climate change.	On Track	Enhanced Environment Strategy and Sustainability Framework development. Progressing with the development of an Enhanced Environment Strategy and a Sustainability Framework. This will aid in operationalizing sustainability and increasing the City’s understanding of the risks of climate change. The City will also develop a Climate Action Plan. Community consultation for theme development has been completed and document drafting is underway.

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Priority Area	Deliverable	Status	What have we achieved?
Environmental Health	17.1 - Deliver quality environmental health services and programs to improve public health outcomes. (change deliverable to include impact on Public Health Act)	On Track	<p>Environmental Health Customer Service Requests. Health Services team investigated and resolved 589 customer service requests, with Noise Pollution, Air Pollution, Waste and Hazardous Materials (asbestos) the most common concerns addressed. The team completed 259 regulatory inspections of food business, skin penetration businesses, lodging houses and public buildings in 2023/24.</p> <p>Sampling Programs. Examined the food safety of chicken products from food businesses such as delis, lunch bars, fast food chains and petrol stations, to help formulate future interventions to reduce campylobacteriosis cases. Examined microbial detections at skin penetration businesses testing for evidence of Pseudomonas, Coagulase-positive Staphylococcus, yeasts, and moulds.</p> <p>Food business compliance. Health Services served three Prohibition Orders on food businesses, in accordance with the <i>Food Act 2008</i>, to mitigate imminent risks to public health. Other compliance actions including 41 improvement notices issued in 2023/24.</p> <p>Monthly sampling aquatic facilities. Routine water sampling across more than 35 sites to assess the chemical and microbiological suitability of aquatic facilities such as swimming pools and spas in the City.</p>
	17.2 - Support and encourage our local businesses to provide safe and healthy food environments to our community.	On Track	<p>New Food Business Applications. Environmental Health Officers received, processed, and approved 102 new food business applications in 2023/24.</p> <p>Small business friendly approvals program. Giving health advice to over 58 Business applications and contributed to advice on the Business Enhancement Grants provided 21 successful candidates in 2023/24.</p> <p>Food handler training. Changes to the Food Standards Code required food businesses to undertake a level of food handler training. The City provided 1,144 Food business staff access to free Food Handler training in 2023/24.</p>

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Priority Area	Deliverable	Status	What have we achieved?
	17.3 - Monitor, investigate and report current and emerging trends in communicable diseases.	On Track	<p>Mosquito management. Performed routine monitoring of mosquito larvae in tidal areas along the Swan River, and in other low lying / at risk areas across the City. As and where needed, the team applied larvicide to interrupt breeding cycles, and reduce mosquito numbers.</p> <p>Monitor communicable and foodborne disease. Reports received from Department of Health to ensure the City is aware of any Health Alerts including mosquito outbreaks and STI's and BBV's in our community. Health Services are also part of the Local Health Authority Analytical Committee and the Food & Environmental Monitoring & Sampling group that take part in sampling schemes of trending environmental, or food borne illnesses.</p> <p>Creation of the Environmental Health Inner City Group in 2024. Vincent created a group of Environmental Health Professionals from Vincent, Perth, Subiaco, Victoria Park, and South Perth to host meeting on a biannual basis.</p>
	17.4 - Increase the City's understanding to assess the risks of climate change to environmental health.	On Track	<p>Award for Climate Change & Resilience at the National Planning Institute of Australia Awards. This award recognises the City's environmentally sustainable design initiatives in the Built Form Policy to deliver sustainably designed homes across Vincent.</p> <p>Achieved 10-year Gold Waterwise Council in 2024. Gold Waterwise Council status shows that Vincent demonstrates significant contribution towards developing waterwise communities and best practice water management and has a best practice waterwise verge policy, a water management team and a waterwise-endorsed aquatic centre in Beatty Park.</p> <p>Mainstreaming Environmentally Sustainable Design in WA Event in March 2024. This event was a collaboration between the City, Perth Design Week, and the Local Government Planners Association. The session explored best practice examples in WA around how sustainable design can be embedded in the design process and local planning framework.</p> <p>Launch of GreenTrack in January 2024. A suite of initiatives to incentivise Environmentally Sustainable Design in Single House and Grouped Dwelling developments.</p>

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	17.5 - Review and improve the City's frameworks to respond to environmental health risks such as urban and environmental noise, asbestos and food safety to reduce their impact on human health.	On Track	<p>Public Event Assessment for Foo Fighters. Assessed and approved the major concert event at HBF Park – Foo Fighters, in November 2024. The team assessed crowd and noise management to ensure the safety of attendees and neighbourhood amenity.</p> <p>Public Event Assessment for World Rugby Seven's Tournament at HBF Park. The City delivered Public Event Assessments to assess and mitigate potential risks associated with food safety, structures, amplified noise, crowd safety and emergency management. Twelve men's and twelve women's teams competed across the weekend.</p> <p>Introduction of new legislation including, Food Safety Standards 3.2.2A to improve food safety and help food businesses to manage food safety risks preventing the food-borne illnesses, outbreaks, and reputational damage. The City has provided advice and advertising to local businesses in relation to the new Food Safety Standards from the Department of Health. The Health team has developed a content specific webpage and has improved awareness through social media campaigns.</p> <p>Introduction of stage 5 of the Public Health Act 2016 is a significant milestone for local government enforcement agencies as health planning, policies and environmental health regulations replace the Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1911.</p> <p>Acoustic Reports. The City stringently assess acoustic reports supporting planning referrals and help in implementing the best outcomes in relation to noise pollution.</p> <p>Draft National Asbestos Strategic Plan. Submission from Vincent relating to Phase 3 of the Plan.</p> <p>Asbestos Awareness Training delivered for relevant employees</p> <p>RAC Air Health Initiative. Two new air quality monitors were installed in 2024 with a total of four monitors now in Vincent. The biggest threat to Perth's air quality is prescribed burning. The second is vehicle emissions worsened by urban sprawl, traffic, and school drop offs.</p>

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Alcohol and Smoking	18.1 - Develop partnerships with the community, organisations, and licenced premises to reduce the risk of antisocial behaviour and alcohol related harm in the community.	On Track	<p>Alcohol Action Plan. Perth, Vincent and Subiaco Local Drug Action Group delivered four workshops over 2024 with the Mental Health Commission and 19 stakeholders to develop measurable objectives and actions to help reduce alcohol related harm. These included:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Extend the reach of existing alcohol education campaigns and community safety campaigns; 2. Promote alcohol free events and activities; 3. Utilising local health and community safety data to inform Local Government strategies, plans and policies; and 4. Increase the adoption of harm minimisation strategies at licenced sporting clubs. <p>Renewed Community Partnership for 2024/25 with the Constable Care Foundation to deliver harm prevention programs for children, young people, families, schools and community services.</p> <p>Alcohol and Drug Round Table was run for the Claisebrook / Highgate Precinct in August 2024. Over 10 local cross-sector organisations with significant interest in future collaboration and a further meeting planned for early 2025. Key outcomes included promoting services, promoting safe disposal options, staff training and community education workshops.</p> <p>North Perth and West Perth Community Safety Forum in August 2024. Opportunity to connect with the City of Vincent, WA Police Force, Department of Communities, Neighbourhood Watch WA at this event aimed to foster dialogue, collaboration and to enhance safety in the suburbs of North Perth and West Perth.</p>
	18.2 - Support the implementation of alcohol and or smoke free environments including festivals, events, activities and or clubs	On Track	<p>Festival and Event Sponsorship/Funding Agreement. Public Health considerations included in Agreement for event organisers to provide healthier food and drink options, low and no alcoholic beverage options, smoke and vape free events, support smart travel initiatives and provide sunshade and sunscreen.</p> <p>Smoke Free Events. Events that took place in town centres, Vincent facilities and parks were all smoke-free events. Provided resources to event organisers on how to include smoke and alcohol-free event information on socials.</p> <p>Event Sponsorship. Events with a strong focus on alcohol were no approved through Event Sponsorship process.</p>
	18.3 - Incorporate public health principles into applications involving the sale and supply of alcohol.	On Track	<p>Liquor Licence Policy and Alcohol Management Policy to be reviewed in 2024/25 and to incorporate public health considerations.</p> <p>Liquor Licence Objection. The City sent an objection to the Director of Liquor Licencing for</p>

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			a proposed Liquor Store. Used Public Health considerations to object to the store including the density, size, and location of a venue.
Emergency Management	19.1 - Lead the development of innovative approaches to care for the health and wellbeing of the community when responding to and recovering from emergencies	On Track	<p>Emergency Management Risk Workshops. Workshops held to assess hazards of rail crash, road crash, chemical spills, and heat waves. Evaluation of risks statements to be included in the City’s risk register.</p> <p>Internal Emergency Management exercises. Evacuation at City buildings including the Depot, Recreation Centre, Community Centre, Administration Building, and Beatty Park Leisure Centre.</p> <p>AWARE grant training and Welfare Centre training through Western Central LEMC.</p> <p>Development of Risk Management Matrixes.</p> <p>Council adopted the Western Central Local Emergency Management Arrangements 2024.</p>
Screening and Immunisation	20.1 - Promote screening and immunisation campaigns to local residents around childhood immunisations, flu vaccination and screening (e.g. cervical cancer).	On Track	<p>Social media promotion. Screening and immunisations campaigns promoted via City’s social media channels throughout the year.</p> <p>Tetanus and Hepatitis A and B vaccinations organised for relevant employees.</p>