Kadaltilla
Adelaide Park Lands Authority

Adelaide Park Lands Biodiversity Digital Reporting Framework

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Purpose of Workshop

The purpose of the workshop is to demonstrate the digital reporting framework for the Adelaide Park Lands Biodiversity Survey.

The Kadaltilla / Adelaide Park Lands Authority (Kadaltilla) received the Adelaide Park Lands Biodiversity Survey Report at its meeting on 27 June 2024 ([Link 1](#)). At the meeting, Kadaltilla noted a digital reporting framework for publicly communicating the findings of the biodiversity survey was in development and would be presented to Kadaltilla by September 2024.

The Adelaide Park Lands Biodiversity Survey Report provides an updated evidence base for plant and animal species, vegetation communities, and habitats found in the Adelaide Park Lands and establishes a new baseline for the ongoing monitoring and reporting of biodiversity in the Adelaide Park Lands.

The digital reporting framework includes data on species, management observations, research insights, field mapping and remote sensing. Accessed via the City of Adelaide website, the digital reporting framework allows users to engage with biodiversity information in the Adelaide Park Lands.

The database that supports the digital reporting framework will be regularly updated through data sharing between the City of Adelaide, State and national biodiversity databases and various citizen science platforms (eg FrogWatch, Bird Count, iNaturalist).

The digital reporting framework supports evidence-based decision making and public reporting of biodiversity in the Adelaide Park Lands.

The digital reporting framework has been designed to align with the requirements of the Kadaltilla Strategic Plan 2023-2028 and Adelaide Park Lands Management Strategy. It also supports reporting on the City of Adelaide Strategic Plan 2024-2028 and the City of Adelaide Integrated Climate Strategy 2030.

Key Question

1. What are Board Members' views on the digital reporting framework including data, relevance, readability and use by the community?

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