

Community Consultation Summary

Blue Gum Park/Kurangga (Park 20) – Commercial Lease to TreeClimb SA Pty Ltd for a lease term exceeding 5 years

Overview

Community consultation was undertaken between 9 February and 3 March 2026 on the draft Key Lease Terms:

A total of 92 submissions were received during the consultation period.

535 visitors.

Quantitative Results

Support for Proposed Lease

- 92.39% supported Council progressing with a lease not exceeding 10 years
- 4.35% did not support the proposal
- 3.26% were unsure

Qualitative Feedback – Key Themes

Key Themes of Support

- Strong support for the continued leasing of Park 20 for the current use to TreeClimb.
- Recognition of the value of this low-impact use that encourages physical activity for adults and children.
- Good for children as it teaches balance and confidence.
- Bring people and families to the Park Lands
- Add value by creating a safe space for families and children. Passive surveillance for walkers.
- Wonderful use of the natural environment.
- Positive feedback on service quality, care for the site and environment.
- Makes the area around the bike track more usable with a toilet and café.

Key Themes of Concern

- A requirement to look after tree health and contribute to Parkland revegetation efforts.
- Damage to the natural environment.
- No additional buildings for commercial purposes.