



Cor Infinitus

I N F I N I T E C O U R A G E

Memorial Proposal

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RSL
South Australia
Northern Territory
Broken Hill

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Background

Cor Infinitus was established to provide dignity and respect to the families of those that have served Australia, either through the profession of arms or emergency services, and have died by suicide.

Cor Infinitus provides public acknowledgment for the loss suffered by families and loved ones and provides them with a tangible place of reflection, comfort, and remembrance. Cor Infinitus is also dedicated to breaking down the stigma associated with mental illness challenges and suicide.

The work that Cor Infinitus carries out is unique and according to a recent study by the Medical and Emergency Services Health Australia into suicide postvention, identified Cor Infinitus as the only organisation in Australia providing this type of support for to families bereaved by suicide.

www.corinfinitus.org

The Symbols



The symbols are watercolour to represent the compassion and care required for the families in such a tragic event. The infinity loop is gold to represent that the individual was and still is valued by all those around them. However, the symbol is torn and frayed to represent the internal turmoil that could not be overcome.

The emergency services symbol has a sprig of Golden Wattle woven through its centre symbolizing that the community is still with them.

A symbol of unity, Australia's national floral emblem displays the national colours of green and gold when in flower. It is ideally suited to withstand Australia's droughts, winds and bushfires.

The resilience of wattle is said to represent the spirit of the Australian people.

The veterans' symbol has a sprig of Rosemary woven through the centre symbolising that the military is still with them.

Messages of Hope

Your parent

If you were here today, there would be one less date that brought me to tears.

Your partner

I still wish you were here, every single day. Holding you in the light.

Your child

I miss you every day. I still need you.

Your mate

A 'mate' is a bond thicker than blood and there's no shame in getting help or telling me that you're hurting.

A survivor

That desire to end your life is a moment in time. Life is too precious, it really does get better.

Project Brief

The RSL are proposing to install a *Cor Infinitus* memorial within close proximity of the Torrens Parade Ground to create a space to enable conversations with veterans about mental illness and suicide.

The memorial will consist of:

1. A memorial and plaque with a consistent national message.
2. A bench seat to facilitate conversation overlooking the memorial.

The memorials do not represent any individual person, era, or circumstance. They are anonymous and owned by all families bereaved by veteran suicide.

The creation and presence of a memorial will promote conversation around mental health, wellbeing and suicide prevention through messaging of hope and help as real words from real families bereaved by suicide to promote help-seeking.

Funding

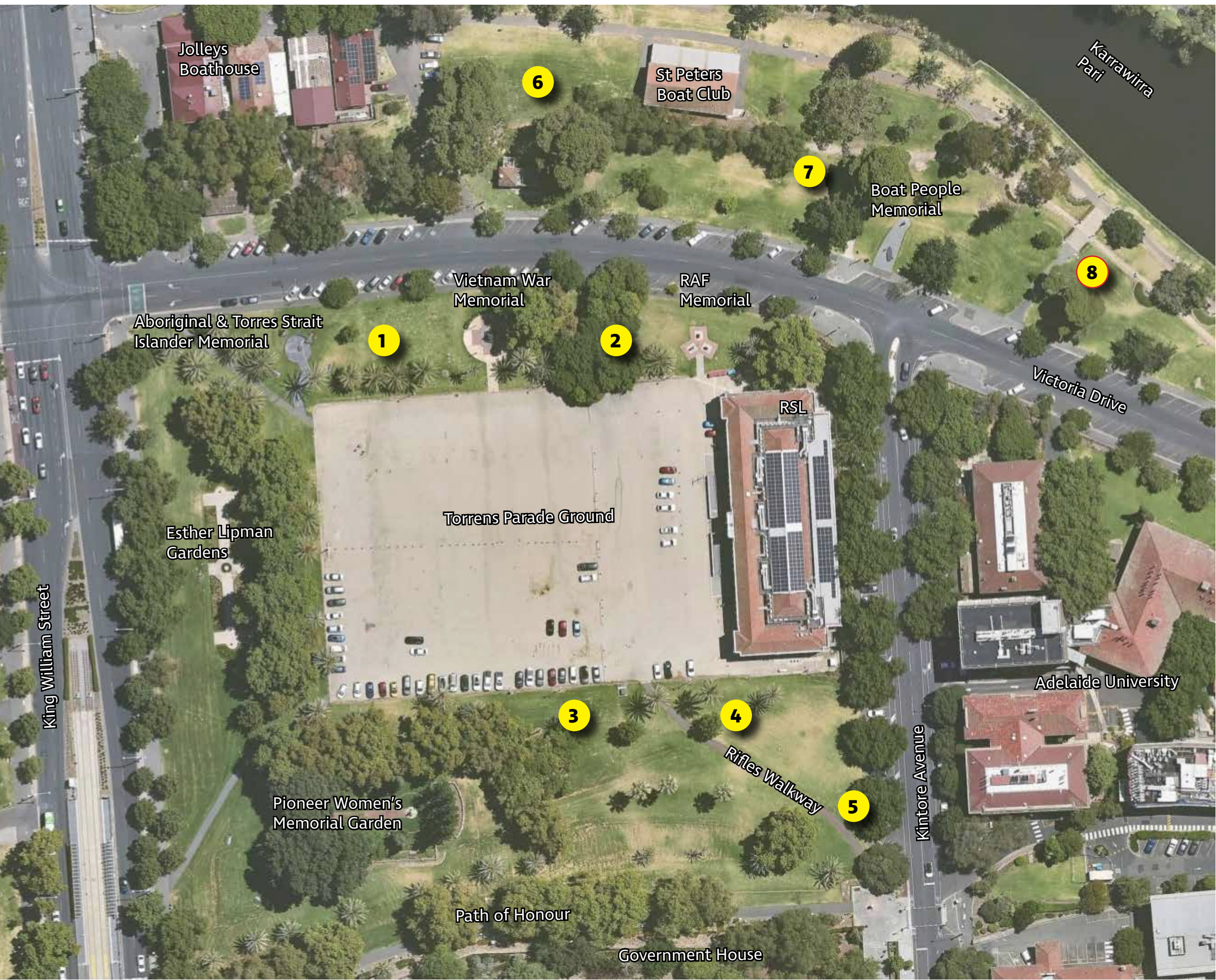
The memorial will be wholly funded by the RSL. Community contributions are welcome and tax deductible donations can be made via the website at www.corinfinitus.org

Timeframe

Pending approval of the location and fabrication of the memorial, installation is intended to be in 2026-27.

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Location Review



LOCATIONS

1. Parade Ground North West
2. Parade Ground North East
3. Parade Ground South West
4. Parade Ground South East
5. Kintore Avenue
6. Jolleys Lawn
7. River Lawn
8. River Stairs

LOCATION REVIEW NOTES

1,2,3,4 Parade Ground Sites
It is not considered appropriate for any new memorials on the northern or southern side of the Parade Ground due to the extent of existing memorials and the future Korean War Memorial.

5. Kintore Avenue
A space adjacent Kintore Avenue is not appropriate due to the existing termination of the Anzac Centenary Walk axis by the Dardanelles memorial.

6. Jolleys Lawn
Busy space with high levels of adjacent community activity.

7. River Lawn
Elevated lawn space with views of the river although close to the existing Boat People memorial.

8 River Stairs
Proposed location with existing pedestrian access, space for a memorial and seat and views of the river corridor.

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Precedent Review



Ashgrove



Copper Coast



Currumbin



Darwin



Doyalson



Kuranda



Pine Rivers



Townsville

Cor Infinitus memorials have been installed throughout Australia and have received clinical oversight from Open Arms, Mates4Mates and the North Queensland Primary Health Network to ensure they are as psychologically safe as possible.

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Proposed Location - Riverbank, Victoria Drive

