

# Kadaltilla

## National Heritage Management Plan - Consultation on the Draft Plan

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**Board Meeting**

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## Purpose

The purpose of this report is to present the draft National Heritage Management Plan for the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout ([National Heritage Management Plan for the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout | Your Say Adelaide \(cityofadelaide.com.au\)](#)).

Kadaltilla will receive a presentation (Agenda item 5.2) on the draft National Heritage Management Plan (HMP) from Swanbury Penglase, the consultant team engaged by Council to lead the preparation of the draft, and will be provided with an opportunity to provide feedback on the National HMP before it is finalised.

The final National HMP incorporating feedback from Kadaltilla / Park Lands Authority (Kadaltilla) is scheduled to be presented to Council in June 2023.

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## Recommendation

That Kadaltilla / Park Lands Authority:

1. Kadaltilla provides the following advice on the draft National Heritage Management Plan for the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout and the current consultation process:
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# Implications

<p>Adelaide Park Lands Management Strategy 2015-2025</p>	<p><a href="#">Adelaide Park Lands Management Strategy 2015-2025</a></p> <p>Outcome – The Park Lands are valued as a National Heritage site worthy of World Heritage listing.</p> <p>STRATEGY 5.1 - Ensure the values of the National Heritage listing are protected and promoted</p> <p>Action 1 - Map and document all features of the Park Lands contributing to the values of the National Heritage listing and ensure their protection through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Incorporating these features in relevant Council strategies, plans and processes</li> <li>• Specifying appropriate tree planting and maintenance regimes in asset management plans</li> <li>• Development Plan policy protecting these features from development</li> <li>• Developing trigger mechanisms to ensure that actions defined by the EPBC Act are not undertaken without appropriate prior assessment of their impacts on the National Heritage values.</li> </ul>
<p>2020-2025 Strategic Plan</p>	<p><a href="#">Adelaide Park Lands Authority 2020-2025 Strategic Plan</a></p> <p>Strategic Plan Alignment – Environment</p> <p>2.1 Design, protect and enhance landscape values and design qualities.</p>
<p>Policy</p>	<p>The National Heritage Management Plan will develop policies for the ongoing management of the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout in support of the National Heritage Listing.</p>
<p>Consultation</p>	<p>Targeted consultation with stakeholders commenced on 28 February 2023 with written submissions due by 28 March 2023. The stakeholders include the Department for Environment and Water, Department for Infrastructure and Transport, Adelaide Park Lands Association, KYAC as well as lands managers including Universities, schools, Botanic Gardens, Adelaide Zoo, Cemeteries Authority. The submissions and our analysis will be presented back to Kadaltilla and Council.</p>
<p>Resource</p>	<p>Not as a result of this report</p>
<p>Risk / Legal / Legislative</p>	<p>The project is being delivered in accordance with the funding agreement with the Federal Government to prepare a National Heritage Management Plan for the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout by 30 June 2023.</p>
<p>Opportunities</p>	<p>To improve understanding of the National Heritage values of the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout and inform future development, decision making and management strategies for the place. Completion of the project supports the World Heritage Bid nomination.</p>
<p>City of Adelaide Budget Allocation</p>	<p>Not as a result of this report</p>
<p>Life of Project, Service, Initiative or (Expectancy of) Asset</p>	<p>Not as a result of this report</p>
<p>Ongoing Costs (eg maintenance cost)</p>	<p>The National Heritage Management Plan is required to be reviewed in 5 years by the <i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Commonwealth)</i>.</p>
<p>Other Funding Sources</p>	<p>The project is funded under the Federal Government's Australian Heritage Grants Program.</p>

## Discussion

1. The City of Adelaide secured Federal Government funding under the Australian Heritage Grants Program in April 2022 to prepare a National Heritage Management Plan (HMP) for the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout which is listed as a National Heritage Place.
2. Swanbury Penglase have been engaged by Council as the expert consultant team to develop the National HMP to improve understanding of the National Heritage values of the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout and inform future development, decision making and management strategies for the place.
3. The role of the National HMP is to provide clear direction, guidance and information for land managers to protect and manage heritage listed values of the National Heritage place. It is also a guide for day-to-day management and to assist in decision making by providing clear guidance to ensure no adverse impact on the heritage listed values.
4. The National HMP will:
  - 4.1. Provide policies for the ongoing management of the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout.
  - 4.2. Identify and articulate the values of the place and guide future decision-making for conservation, interpretation, and visitation.
  - 4.3. Aim to ensure the heritage values and the physical components to which they are linked are appropriately cared for.
5. During the development of the National HMP, Swanbury Penglase have consulted with key internal and external stakeholders. Further consultation is currently being undertaken with key stakeholders and land managers in the Park Lands including:
  - 5.1. Department for Environment and Water
  - 5.2. Department for Infrastructure and Transport
  - 5.3. Adelaide Park Lands Association
  - 5.4. Kurna Yerta Aboriginal Corporate (KYAC)
  - 5.5. Universities
  - 5.6. Schools
  - 5.7. Adelaide Botanic Gardens
  - 5.8. Adelaide Zoo
  - 5.9. Cemeteries Authority.
6. To progress the development of the National HMP to its final form the following steps will be undertaken:
  - 6.1. Stakeholder Consultation - 28 February to 28 March 2023 ([National Heritage Management Plan for the Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout | Your Say Adelaide \(cityofadelaide.com.au\)](#))
  - 6.2. Preliminary feedback engagement with Kadaltilla / Park Lands Authority (30 March 2023)
  - 6.3. Review key stakeholder feedback (April 2023)
  - 6.4. Drafting and finalisation of National HMP (March to May 2023)
  - 6.5. Final Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout HMP to Kadaltilla and Council (June 2023)
  - 6.6. Submit Adelaide Park Lands and City Layout HMP to the Commonwealth Government (June 2023).

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## Attachments

Nil