

## LYSAGHT PARK PROPOSED UPGRADE

The City of Canada Bay is committed to providing quality facilities that encourage our community to participate in an active, social and healthy lifestyle.

From 1 May to 28 May 2018, Council will be undertaking community consultation on proposed installation of sports field lighting and usage at Lysaght Park.

### Proposed Installation of Sports Field Lighting

The City of Canada Bay comprises a highly active community, and is fortunate to have facilities that enable sports participation. As our population continues to grow, so do participants in local sporting clubs. In fact, we already cannot meet existing demand for participation in football and our sports fields are under extreme pressure.

Based on recommendations of the *City of Canada Bay Recreation and Facilities Strategy* and a review of existing supply and demand, Council is considering the installation of sports field lighting at Lysaght Park, to meet the growing demand of sports participation in the community and extending current time of use.

#### What Lights Are Being Proposed?

The proposal involves the installation of four sports field lighting poles at the corners of Lysaght Park, consistent

with existing light poles at other sports fields including Five Dock Park and Campbell Park.

The proposed lighting will enable weeknight training, scheduled for Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays between 5pm – 9pm.

As with all sports fields, following installation, Council will undertake light spillage measurements every two years to ensure fixtures remain aligned as per original lighting plans.

#### What activities are currently undertaken at Lysaght Park?

Lysaght Park is available for community passive use including off-leash dog walking, and since 2015 the park has been used by sporting groups from 8am – 1pm.

The proposed installation of lighting will not change the current community use of the park.

#### Proposed Variation to Hours of Use

Lysaght Park is currently used on Saturdays from 8am – 1pm. To meet growing community and sporting needs, it is proposed that Lysaght Park be available for sporting use as follows:

- Tuesday to Thursday 5pm – 9pm
- Saturday and Sunday 8am – 6pm

## Community Consultation

The City of Canada Bay invites you to provide feedback on the proposed works at Lysaght Park from Tuesday 1 May – Monday 28 May 2018.

### Online Engagement (Including Reference Documentation):

<https://canadabay.engagementhub.com.au>

### Community Listening Posts (Face-to-Face Consultations):

- Chiswick Community Centre: Wednesday, 9 May  
6pm – 7.30pm
- Lysaght Park: Saturday, 19 May 11am – 12:30pm

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Figure 1: Proposed Sportsfield Lighting at Lysaght Park.