

RHODES PENINSULA PLACE PLAN

Review 2022



The 2012 Rhodes Peninsula Place Plan outlined the community's vision for where the then community wanted the place to be in 5, 10 and 20 years.

In 2022, the time has come for the community to re-group to review this plan, to reflect the changing needs of a growing population, how to support the healthy adaptation to high density living and assist the community to continue to evolve into the future.



Background

The Rhodes Peninsula Place Plan was adopted by Council on 11 December 2012 following over 12 months of extensive community and stakeholder consultation.

This Plan was designed as a living document to support the changing needs of the community, to help guide strategies and inform planning in relation to the delivery of recreational opportunities and open space, cultural planning and public art, local economic development, place activation and events, community development initiatives, and Rhodes communication and engagement. This Plan also set out the principles for achieving the community aspirations, involving a partnership approach between government, community, non-government, and commercial stakeholders.

The 2012 Rhodes Peninsula Place Plan contributed towards building a strong sense of community within the Rhodes peninsula – as a place to live, work and enjoy. It worked toward making the Rhodes peninsula a healthy and vibrant place as it continues to grow and evolve.

To review the 2012 Rhodes Peninsula Place Plan and get involved in the 2022 review consultation, visit collaborate.canadabay.nsw.gov.au

What has been delivered?

Over the last 10-year span of this Plan, significant projects, programs, strategies, and plans have continued to build and deliver on the community vision set out in 2012. The below offers a snapshot of the broad range of work that has been delivered by key stakeholders including Council, community, developers, government and non-government agencies.

To view the 2019 highlights video of what has been delivered visit:

[Rhodes - Emerging from Plan to Place - YouTube](#)

Key Community Facilities:

- ✓ The Connection
- ✓ Bennelong Bridge
- ✓ Union Square
- ✓ Phoenix Park & Playground
- ✓ Foreshore Park & Playground
- ✓ Lewis Berger Park
- ✓ John Whitton Reserve
- ✓ Rhodes Community Garden and Hoskins Reserve Upgrade
- ✓ McIlwaine Park Playground Upgrade
- ✓ Peg Paterson Park & Playground
- ✓ Shoreline Dr Pedestrian Crossing
- ✓ Uhrs Point Launch Facility
- ✓ Rhodes Central Shopping Centre
- ✓ Foreshore Lighting Upgrade
- ✓ Dog off-leash parks
- ✓ Outdoor Fitness Stations

Community Activities & Programs:

- ✓ English Classes
- ✓ ParkRun
- ✓ Dragon Sports Australia
- ✓ Sea Scouts
- ✓ Play Groups
- ✓ Sustainability & Resource Recovery
- ✓ Community Choir
- ✓ Library programs (all ages and abilities)
- ✓ Car Share
- ✓ Bushcare
- ✓ Rhodes Community Garden
- ✓ BayBug
- ✓ Outdoor Fitness Programs
- ✓ Dance & Fitness Classes
- ✓ Volunteer litter clean-up group
- ✓ Tech Shed & 3D Print Club
- ✓ Neighbourhood Watch
- ✓ Church/Prayer groups
- ✓ Rhodes Social Readers Group
- ✓ Health Information Sessions

The Rhodes Precinct was rezoned by the NSW Government on 30 October 2021 following the finalisation of the Rhodes Place Strategy.
www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/Rhodes

Public Art:

- ✓ City DNA and Wired Space by Lu Xinjian
- ✓ Mullen Feast & Wangal Wall by Jason Wing
- ✓ Cartwheeling Youngster by Caroline Rothwell
- ✓ In Motion by Brooke Andrew
- ✓ History Train by Paper Moose
- ✓ POPP Table Tennis by Mulga The Artist
- ✓ More Than Just a Name by Olev Muska
- ✓ Aqueous by Emma Anna
- ✓ Cumulus by Stuart Green
- ✓ Wonderwalk by Particle
- ✓ Re-emergence by Mark Mclelland
- ✓ Flight to the North, and Back Again by Chrissie Ianssen
- ✓ While You are Here, Virtual Traces of Rhodes
- ✓ Electricity box murals by Matt McLarty
- ✓ Drinking fountain murals by Stephanie Peters
- ✓ Rider Boulevard tree light animation

Rhodes Communications:

- ✓ Good Living @Rhodes (triannual print)
- ✓ Monthly Rhodes enews (including editions in Korean and Simplified Chinese)
- ✓ Collaborate Canada Bay
- ✓ Rhodes Community Committee
- ✓ Rhodes Building Manager Network

Key Activations & Events:

- ✓ Rhodes Moon Festival
- ✓ VIVID ideas
- ✓ Spark Festival
- ✓ Human Robot Friendship Ball
- ✓ Beats & Eats (Dumpling DJ Nights)
- ✓ Lunar New Year
- ✓ Make Music Day
- ✓ Cultural Food & Guided Walking Tours
- ✓ Revel in Rhodes summer events
- ✓ Rhodes Community Safety Day

City of Canada Bay Strategies & Plans:

- ✓ Our Future 2036: Community Strategic Plan for the City of Canada Bay 2022
- ✓ City of Canada Bay Local Environmental Plan 2013
- ✓ Rhodes West Development Control Plan 2022
- ✓ Rhodes East Development Control Plan 2022
- ✓ Station Precinct Public Domain Plan
- ✓ Rhodes Peninsula Open Space, Plan of Management 2015
- ✓ Environment Strategy 2020
- ✓ Resource Recovery & Waste Strategy 2021
- ✓ Urban Tree Canopy Strategy 2019
- ✓ Canada Bay Biodiversity Framework & Action Plan 2019
- ✓ Emissions Reduction Action Plan 2020
- ✓ Social Infrastructure (Community) Strategy & Action Plan 2019
- ✓ Social Infrastructure (Open Space & Recreation) Strategy & Action Plan 2019
- ✓ Dogs in Public Places Strategy 2019
- ✓ Homebush Bay Wayfinding Circuit Strategy & Masterplan 2019
- ✓ Parramatta River Catchment Group Master Plan
- ✓ Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan 2020-2024
- ✓ Let's All Play Strategy 2019
- ✓ Canada Bay Local Movement Strategy 2019
- ✓ Rising to the Challenge of 2019 City of Canada Bay Economic Development Response