

## 11. BOARD SUBMISSION ON THE QEII PARK CONCEPT PLAN

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### PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is for the Board to consider issues to raise for inclusion in its submission to Council on the QEII Park Concept Plan.

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. The Board considered the original concept plan at its meeting on 4 May 2005. At that meeting the Board made the following resolutions:

#### "BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That, in acknowledging QEII Park as a metropolitan facility, the Council also acknowledges that it has a huge impact on the local community.
2. That submissions on the proposed concept plan be sought through the special consultative process, because of the significant changes proposed regarding the use of the park.
3. That the Council acknowledge the commitment and work that has been carried out in QEII Park by the community since 1973.
4. That Ascot Green be designated as a reserve under the Reserves Act 1977.
5. That the Council note that the Board proposes to make a submission requesting that provision be included in the LTCCP for an upgraded entranceway to QEII Park off Travis Road, with adequate traffic management considered as part of the entranceway.
6. That the Council note that the Board:
  - Does not support the provision of sports residential accommodation within QEII Park.
  - Supports the retention of the roadway between "O" and "P" as shown on the proposed concept plan.
  - Does not support the proposed new roadway from Ascot Avenue.
  - Supports the retention of the crèche in immediate proximity to the main stadium and facilities at QEII.
  - Requests that officers ensure the existing traffic management plan includes clean-up services for neighbouring streets after events at QEII Park.
  - Requests the provision of adequate on-site parking to meet the future growth anticipated by the concept plan."
3. The Council subsequently agreed to adopt a special consultative process for the concept plan and has called for submissions. Submission close on 8 July 2005.
4. The Board may wish to consider incorporating some of the above recommendations into its submission to Council. It may also wish to consider any feedback received from the public at the QEII Park Concept Plan public meeting held on 21 June 2005.
5. The Board consider this issue at a Board seminar meeting on 29 June 2005 and the attached draft submission reflects the discussion at that meeting.

### FINANCIAL AND LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

6. There are no financial or legal considerations with respect to the Board making a submission.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Board approve the draft submission attached as its submission to Council on the QEII Park Concept Plan.

### CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATION

That the abovementioned recommendation be adopted.