



TOWN OF  
VICTORIA PARK



Urban Forest Implementation  
Working Group  
Agenda – 20 September 2021



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## 1 Opening

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Meeting open:

### **Acknowledgement of country**

*Ngany kaaditj Noongar moort keny kaadak nidja Wadjak Noongar boodja. Ngany kaaditj nidja Noongar birdiya – koora, ye-ye, boorda, baalapiny moorditj Noongar kaaditjin, moort, wer boodja ye-ye.*

I acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land and respect past, present and emerging leaders, their continuing cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land, which continues to be important today.

## **2 Attendance**

### **UFS Implementation Group Members**

Ben Whitehouse  
Heather Johnstone

Rowena Skinner  
Emma Monk  
Ngaire Howard  
Nadia D'Hart

### **Councillors**

Cr Luana Lisandro  
Cr Ronhhda Potter  
Cr Vicki Potter

### **ToVP Representatives**

Natalie Martin-Goode (Chief Community Planner)  
David Doy (Manager Place Planning)  
Pierre Quesnel (Senior Place Leader, Urban Forest)  
Gregor Wilson (Manager Infrastructure Operations)  
Penny Fletcher (Parks Technical Officer)

### **Meeting secretary**

Shelly Woods (Executive Assistant, Chief Community Planner)

### **Presenters**

### **Observers**

### **Apologies**

### **3 Presentations**

Nil

## 4 Items for discussion

### 4.1.1 Urban Forest Project Proposal - Cockatoo Corner Micro Park (Millen PS)

<b>Reporting officer</b>	Pierre Quesnel
<b>Attachments</b>	UFS Project Proposal - Cockatoo Corner - Millen PS [4.1.1.1 - 13 pages]

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### Discussion points

- Project costs
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- Place impact
- UFS targets
- Environmental services
- Health outcomes

### Strategic outcomes

Environment	
Strategic outcome	Intended public value outcome or impact
EN07 - Increased vegetation and tree canopy.	Proposal for tree planting and vegetation increase on near Millen Primary School.

### Next steps

To be determined.

### Further information

See attached – Urban Forest project proposal – Cockatoo Corner Micro Park (Millen PS).

4.1.2 Urban Forest Project Proposal - Albany Hwy Greening - Westminster Street

<b>Reporting officer</b>	Pierre Quesnel
<b>Attachments</b>	Project Proposal - Albany Hwy Greening - Westminster St [4.1.2.1 - 8 pages]

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## 5 General business

## 6 Actions from previous meetings

Action	Responsible Officer	Status / Comments	Closed Date
Present 2022 Planting Season tree tags, letters and information to UFS IWG for review.	PQ + AH	Required before PS22	
Review UFS Implementation Action Plan with the UFS IWG.	PQ	Open	
<p>Bird waterer mini study be conducted to guide appropriate locations for future installations.</p> <p>Study to analyse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current bird waterer locations (ensure town wide spread)</li> <li>• Bird waterer need (close to habitat and lack of standing water)</li> <li>• Water connection availability.</li> </ul>	PQ	Open	
Next stage of Rutland Avenue presented at UFS IWG meeting	PQ	Open – still in development by ops team	Open
PQ to investigate volunteer grove as recognition of service and volunteering associated with the UFS.	PQ	Proposed delay until after planting season 2021.	Open

## 7 Close