

## 10.6. Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place: Consultation Outcomes and Preferred Concept

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### PURPOSE:

This report provides detail on the outcomes of the community consultation on proposed designs for the upgrade of Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place.

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

- Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place were constructed in the early 2000s and are now considered to be at the end of their functional life.

- At its meeting of 12 December 2022, Council endorsed a 90-day public exhibition and consultation period for the Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place concept designs.
- The key objective for upgrading these spaces is to create contemporary, inclusive public spaces, which align with the principles of 'Place Making.'
- The proposed improvements will enhance the visitor experience through increased soft landscaping and canopy tree cover, which increase activation and encourage outdoor dining to support local businesses.
- The outcome of the consultation indicates strong community support for upgrading these spaces, with a preference for Option 2 for Cremorne Plaza and Option 1 for Langley Place. However, Council has developed amended concept designs (Option 2A for Cremorne Plaza and Option 1A for Langley Place) to incorporate community feedback received for both concepts.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

- 1. THAT** Council notes the outcome of the community consultation undertaken for the concept designs for Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place.
- 2. THAT** Council endorse the amended concept design Option 1A for Cremorne Plaza to proceed to detailed design and documentation for future construction.
- 3. THAT** Council endorses the amended preferred concept design Option 2A for Langley Place to proceed to detailed design and documentation for future construction.
- 4. THAT** Council notes that funding for the construction of Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place will be sought through future capital works programs or grant funding opportunities as they become available.

## Background

At its meeting on the 17 August 2015, Council adopted the Neutral Bay and Cremorne Masterplan. All works within this Masterplan have largely been progressed, with the exception of Cremorne Plaza, Langley Place, and Young Street. The latter will be the subject of separate reports.

The scope of the proposed upgrades of Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place include:

- construction of paving and landscape treatments for existing plazas and footpaths;
- installation of new street furniture including chairs, bollards, and rubbish bins;
- construction of new gardens and landscape elements, including new trees;
- installation of decorative lighting elements;
- provision of safe bike access and parking; and
- improvement of street lighting, and installation of light poles throughout.

Both sites were designed and constructed in early 2000, and the public domain elements including paving, furniture, lighting, planting, and general arrangements are outdated, have reached the end of their useable life and are difficult to maintain.

At its meeting of 12 December 2022 Council endorsed a 90-day public exhibition and consultation period for concept design options for these sites.

## Report

The key objectives for the upgrading of Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place are to:

- create a contemporary, inclusive, and community driven public spaces with principles of “Place Making;”
- activate public open spaces to support local businesses and enable a night/day economy.
- improve the visitor experience to encourage more outdoor dining and increase visitor visit time;
- make Cremorne a destination, with a reputation for its unique urban character and the quality of its commercial activities;
- celebrate the history and heritage of Cremorne, including its art deco design elements and signature architecture;
- identify opportunities for public art installations, decorative lighting, and bespoke design elements to celebrate the iconic heritage architecture and institutions in the area such as the Hayden Orpheum;
- increase soft landscaping with decorative planting;
- increase North Sydney LGA’s tree canopy;
- improve accessibility for all users; and
- create a space in accordance with Council’s adopted *Public Domain Style Manual and Design Codes* to create flow with the recently upgraded streetscape adjacent areas, with “bespoke” design elements that celebrate Cremorne’s uniqueness.

A project-specific engagement approach was prepared to guide the promotion/notification of the proposed designs. Public exhibition and community consultation was completed in two

stages for each of the sites; 1) Preliminary Engagement; and 2) Public Exhibition and consultation on two concept design options.

### **1. Stage 1 - Preliminary Engagement:**

Preliminary engagement ran between 14 December 2022 to 31 January 2023, and feedback was sought using the following channels:

- consultation webpage – 856 visits;
- online feedback form – 120 responses for Cremorne Plaza and 43 responses for Langley Place
- on-site signage with QR code to promote the consultation webpage and raise awareness;
- promotion via Council’s E-newsletters;
- memo to Willoughby Bay, Brightmore, Parks, Harrison, Neutral, and Cremorne Point Precincts;
- post on Council’s social media;
- ad promoting the consultation in the Orpheum Variable sign in Military Road;
- drop-in information session at Cremorne Plaza - 13 January between 10:30am - 1:30pm; and
- drop-in information session at Langley Place - 17 January between 5:30pm - 8:30pm.

The outcomes of Stage 1 engagement, along with community feedback, were included into the Consultant’s design brief and the final concept design options for public exhibition. Further details of this consultation and the submissions received are included as attachments to this report.

Two concept design options for each site were developed following Preliminary Engagement and placed on public exhibition to gather further feedback from the community.

### **2. Stage 2 - Public Exhibition and consultation:**

The two concept designs were placed on public exhibition between 20 February to 3 April 2023 through the following channels:

- consultation webpage – 1,494 visits;
- 8,000 notification letters were distributed to letter boxes of businesses and residents in Cremorne;
- online feedback form – 147 responses;
- on-site signage with QR code to promote the consultation webpage and raise awareness;
- promotion via Council’s E-newsletters;
- post on Council’s social media;
- drop-in information sessions Langley Place 1 March 2023 between 2pm - 4pm;
- site walkthrough - with Council staff and design consultants, Wednesday 8 March 2023 at 4pm;
- design workshop held at Council Chambers on 22 March 2023 – 16 pre-registered attendees including 13 residents and 3 business owners; and
- drop-in information sessions at Cremorne Plaza - 27 March 2023 between 4pm - 6pm.

The feedback from the stage two engagement was considered and incorporated, where considered appropriate, into the preferred design concept options report. Further details of this stage of consultation, including complete submissions, are included as attachments to this report.

### **3. Cremorne Plaza - Preferred Concept Design Option 2A**

Public consultation indicated Option 2 as the preferred option. Further adjustments were then made to incorporate other community feedback, resulting in Option 2A.



*Image 1 – Artist's Impression of preferred concept design Cremorne Plaza (Military Road view)*



*Image 2 – Artist's Impression of preferred concept design Cremorne Plaza (Parraween Street top view)*

Full details of the design changes between Option 2 to 2A are attached to this report.

### **4. Langley Place - Preferred Concept Design Option 1A**

Public consultation indicated Option 1 as the preferred option. Further adjustments were then made to incorporate other community feedback, resulting in Option 1A.



Image 3 – Artist's Impression of preferred concept design Langley Place (Parraween Street view)



Image 4 – Artist's Impression of preferred concept design Langley Place (Parraween Street view)

Full details of the design changes between Option 1 to 1A have been attached to this report.

## Conclusion

Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place are the two remaining pockets of streetscape upgrades left to be implemented from the Neutral Bay and Cremorne Plaza. The completed designs will ensure a comprehensive and cohesive enhancement of these public open spaces.








## Financial/Resource Implications

There is currently an allocation of \$90,000 for consultancy costs for the Neutral Bay and Cremorne Masterplan within the 2023/24 Capital Works program to complete these designs, which will provide Council with 'shovel ready' designs for future capital works funding.

Existing internal resources will be engaged to oversee the completion of the detailed design stage to assist in reviewing the design progress and final design documentation.



**LEGEND**  
Attachment 10.6.1

-  NEW EVERGREEN TREES (12)
-  EXISTING PLANE TREES RETAINED WITH ADDITIONAL DECKING
-  NEW FEATURE PAVING
-  BIN (2)
-  NEW PLAZA SEATS
-  NEW BAR TABLES +STOOLS
-  EXISTING LEASE AREAS - REARRANGED
- 1** NEW NOISE BARRIER PLANT TRELLIS AGAINST MILITARY ROAD NOISE
- 2** NEW PLANT TRELLIS AGAINST EXISTING STAIRS WITH BIKE RACKS AND BIN
- 3** NEW DECKING WITH SEATING AROUND TRUNKS OF EXISTING PLANE TREES
- 4** FEATURE OVERSIZED POTS WITH FEATURE PLANTING
- 5** NEW PLANTER WITH PERIMETER SEATING AND CAFE TABLES
- 6** NEW ART DECO INSPIRED PERGOLAS WITH SHADE SAILS, PLANT TRELLISES AND PLAZA SEATS
- 7** NEW ART DECO INSPIRED PERGOLAS WITH BAR TABLES AND STOOLS
- 8** NEW SHADE STRUCTURE INCORPORATING RAISED SEATING WITH ARTIFICIAL TURF, PLAY ELEMENTS AND FEATURE LIGHTING
- 9** NEW MEDIUM SIZE EVERGREEN TREES IN LINEAR GARDENS WITH FEATURE UP LIGHTING
- 10** NEW TREES AT PARRAWEEN STREET ENTRY
- 11** STANDARD NORTH SYDNEY COUNCIL PAVING
- DF** DRINKING FOUNTAIN WITH DOG BOWL





Attachment 10.6.1

Series of pergolas inspired by art deco will be delineating spaces and provide colour interest with their climbers and offer various forms of seating including standard plaza seats as well as bar stools and tables.

Bar stools and tables will provide seating and dining spaces and will help to delineate cafe areas. Also great for laptops.

Madagascar Star Jasmine will be used on trellises in combination with Bouganvillea



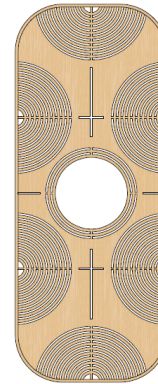
Broad canopy evergreen trees were selected such as Ivory Curl Tree (this one is growing on Parraween Street).



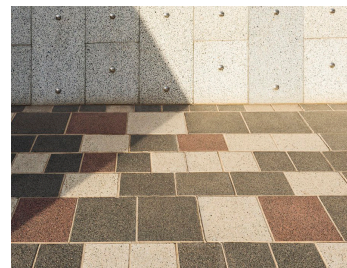
Pergolas will include sail fabrics for extra shade and a light coverage from rain.



Series of large pots will mark the main thoroughfare corridor and provide extra colour and interest.



Tree grate in art deco style



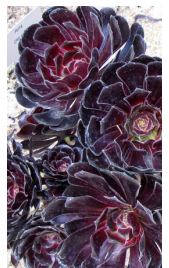
A number of paving patterns inspired by art deco will be used to define spaces



Art deco inspirations informed materials and concepts



Dry tolerant and succulent species will be selected consistent with art deco style









**CREMORNE PLAZA RENEWAL VIEW FROM NORTHERN BALCONY**





-  NEW TREES (2)
-  EXISTING TREES RETAINED & PROTECTED
-  NEW FEATURE PAVING
-  NEW BIN (2)
-  NEW PLAZA SEATS
-  'TREE GROVE' WITH ROCK STEPPING STONES AMONGST EXISTING TREES
- DF  DRINKING FOUNTAIN
-  NEW BIKE RACKS
-  NEW CAFE TABLES

- 1** NEW PEDESTRIAN ENTRY INCLUDING A SHORT 1:10 RAMP AND 1 STEP
- 2** NEW SIDE ENTRY INTO EXISTING CAFE OUTDOOR DINING AREA WITH 2 STEPS
- 3** EXISTING EUCALYPTUS TREE RETAINED AND GARDEN BED ENLARGED AND NEWLY PLANTED
- 4** NEW GARDEN BEDS WITH NEW TREES
- 5** NEW ART DECO PERGOLA WITH PLANT TRELLISES DELINEATING EXISTING OUTDOOR CAFE DINING
- 6** NEW ART DECO PERGOLA WITH 3 NEW PLAZA SEATS
- 7** NEW 2 STEPS WITH HANDRAIL
- 8** NEW BENCHES
- 9** WALK THROUGH NEW GARDEN UNDER EXISTING TREES
- 10** STANDARD NORTH SYDNEY COUNCIL PAVING
- 11** FEATURE PAVING IDENTIFYING MAIN ACCESS

NB. Existing Telstra phone booth to remain







**LANGLEY PLACE RENEWAL      VIEW FROM MILITARY ROAD**





Trellises will provide seasonal shade with the help of climbers



Individual plant pergolas will provide pleasant environment for seating and outdoor dining. Design language and materials will be consistent with Cremorne Plaza



Madagascar Star Jasmine will be used on trellises in combination with Bouganvillea



Planting will be consistent with Cremorne Plaza with shade tolerant species allocated for Tree Grove area at southern end.



View at 2 new steps from the lower cafe terrace into upper 'Tree Grove' corridor.



Pots and feature paving will help to delineate existing cafe outdoor dining and provide opportunity to plant climbers.



Side entry into cafe area will be improved with new set of steps. Garden bed around existing Eucalyptus tree will be enlarged.



Standard North Sydney seats with "art deco" armrests, consistent with Plaza.




Additional benches + cafe tables will provide connection with the Tree Grove area



Stepping stones will provide playful journey through Tree Grove of existing trees. Catenary lights will add interest and increase safety at night.

## Table of Specific Design Changes

### Cremorne Plaza (Option 2-2A)

Key Issue	Design Response
<b>Outdoor dining space</b>	The outdoor dining space will be maintained as is, respecting licensed areas for existing businesses. Removing levels and platforms will increase outdoor dining potential, benefiting current and new businesses. At the completion of the construction works businesses seeking to expand their licensed space will need to follow Council's outdoor dining license application process.
<b>Noise and wind barrier</b>	<p>Increased size of the proposed Trellis, which will also include 20mm thick Noise Barrier Acrylic providing sound proofing and protection from wind.</p> <p>Acoustic consultant was engaged to assess the proposed trellis wall in response to concerns regarding noise levels within Cremorne Plaza. The consultant's findings revealed that Military Road's high traffic volume generates significant noise, often exceeding 70dB(A).</p> <p>After thorough analysis, it was concluded that a noise wall with a minimum height of 3m will be effective in reducing plaza noise to acceptable levels to outdoor spaces (below 64dB(A)). For detailed information, refer to Attachment 4 <i>Acoustic Assessment - Proposed Noise Barrier</i>.</p>  <p><i>Image 3 - Artist's impression Trellis wall with solid panels</i></p>
<b>Water feature</b>	Responding to community feedback and maintenance concerns, the water feature has been removed. This adjustment creates space for additional landscaping, enhancing the overall aesthetic of the area.
<b>Tree and vegetation preferences</b>	<p>The landscaping design prioritises native vegetation over palm trees.</p> <p>12 new trees will be planted, contributing to the increased of the tree canopy area. To ensure landscaping optimal growth and sustained health, an integrated irrigation system will be incorporated into the detailed design to facilitate efficient maintenance.</p>

Trellises will include a mix of Madagascar Star Jasmine and Bougainvillea.



Image 4 - Planting reference images

Broad canopy evergreen trees such as Ivory Curl Tree (some of these species are already growing on Parraween Street).



Image 5 - Tree reference images

Dry tolerant and succulent species will be selected consistent with art deco style.

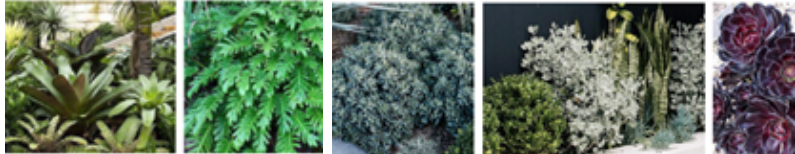


Image 6 - Planting reference images

**Weather shelter**

Three proposed structures are included in the preferred concept design:  
 Art Deco-inspired pergolas with plant trellises, and plaza seats. Pergolas will include sail fabrics for extra shade and a light coverage from rain.





*Image 7 - Outdoor seating with sail shading for sun, and light rain shelter*

Main shade structure incorporating seating with artificial turf, play elements, and feature lighting. It provides shelter and a space for passive recreation. Additionally, it serves as a buffer, minimising the view into Parraween Street, contributing to a more pleasant and visually appealing environment.



*Image 8 – Main shading structure with seating*

**Art-Deco Theme**

- A number of paving patterns inspired by art deco will be used to define spaces:



*Image 9 - Art deco patterns*

Art deco inspiration informed materials and concepts, including paving and furniture:



Image 10 - Art deco materials reference

Series of pergolas inspired by art deco to delineate spaces:



Image 11 – Pergolas’ reference

- Tree grate in art deco style:

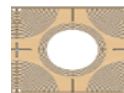







Image 12 – Tree grate example



<b>Outdoor public seating</b>	The preferred design option maximises outdoor public seating, providing a comfortable seating for over 170 people outside the designated dining space areas. Close to half of the seating offers sheltered space for sun and light rainy weather.
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### Langley Place (Option1 to 1A)

Key Issue	Design Response
<b>Outdoor dining space</b>	The outdoor dining space will be maintained as is, respecting licensed areas for existing businesses.

<p><b>Mixed of both options</b></p>	<p>Option 1 was the most favoured option, however consistent feedback received preferred the access proposed on Option 2 with for the Parraween Street-end, with fewer steps and shorter ramps. Preferred concept Design 1A, reflects this.</p>  <p><i>Image 15 - Langley Place Plan Option 1A (Mixed of both initial options)</i></p>
<p><b>Noise and wind barrier</b></p>	<p>The installation of a trellis/green wall buffer and noise barrier in Langley Place is still under consideration. Space availability on the Military Road end, with the existing mature trees, Telstra phone booth and Military Road footpath, makes challenging finding location for this wall.</p> <p>Despite the constraints, efforts will persist to explore and identify feasible location for the installation of this feature during the detailed design stage.</p>
<p><b>Consistency with Cremorne Plaza</b></p>	<p>Design theme and decorative features will be as per Cremorne Plaza. These 2 spaces will be connected through key detail elements such as planter boxes, finish materials and colour palette, furniture, and planting.</p>
<p><b>Tree and vegetation preferences</b></p>	<p>Increased landscape area with planting consistent with Cremorne Plaza with shade tolerant species allocated for Tree Grove area at southern end.</p>  <p><i>Image 16 - Planting reference images</i></p> <p>Trellises will include a mix of Madagascar Star Jasmine and Bougainvillea:</p>

	 <p data-bbox="715 501 1102 528"><i>Image 17 - Planting reference images</i></p>
<p data-bbox="223 533 432 562"><b>Art-Deco Theme</b></p>	<ul data-bbox="549 533 1370 607" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A number of paving patterns inspired by art deco will be used to define spaces:</li></ul>  <p data-bbox="762 934 1059 960"><i>Image 18 - Art deco patterns</i></p> <ul data-bbox="549 969 1370 1043" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Art deco-inspiration informed materials and concepts, including paving and furniture:</li></ul>  <p data-bbox="703 1368 1114 1395"><i>Image 19 - Art deco materials reference</i></p> <ul data-bbox="549 1442 1370 1509" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Series of pergolas inspired by art deco will be delineating spaces:</li></ul>

	 <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Image 20 – Pergolas</i></p>
<p><b>Lighting and Aesthetics</b></p>	<p>Pedestrian lighting will be upgraded to meet current standards and improve safety and ambiance. Additionally, decorative festoon lights will be installed in the tree grove to enhance ambiance and make the plaza more inviting. The proposed lighting will feature warm whites.</p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Image 21 – Proposed lighting</i></p>
<p><b>Drainage</b></p>	<p>Civil detailed design and proposed regraded levels in the plaza will focus on addressing drainage issues, particularly in the southern end and middle of the plaza.</p>

<b>Telstra existing phone booth</b>	<p>Telstra-owned and operated phone booth, under the Universal Service Obligation, is in place to provide the community equal access to communications. While avenues for potential removal exist, Council officers will engage in discussions with Telstra.</p> <p>For design purposes, it is assumed that the phone booth will remain in its current location. Any subsequent steps for removal, as outlined in The Telecommunications (Payphones) Determination 2022, will be subject to public consultation by Telstra.</p>
<b>Air conditioning</b>	<p>The air conditioning equipment, located on private property and outside council land, will have its appearance addressed with the owner. Additionally, any noise-related concerns will be treated as a formal complaint and managed accordingly.</p>

## Stage 1 Engagement Summary - Proposed upgrades for Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place

This attachment provides a summary of all activities undertaken during Stage 1 for the Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place upgrades community engagement, including survey, freestyle submissions, and drop-in sessions aimed at understanding community expectations. Additionally, this attachment summarises the feedback received.

### 1. Cremorne Plaza Preliminary Feedback Summary

#### 1.1. Online Feedback Form

Five open questions were asked in the Online Feedback form. The table below summarises the feedback received:

Question	Feedback summary
What is it you like about Cremorne Plaza as it is now?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Outdoor dining and Alfresco Atmosphere</li> <li>2. Family friendly environment</li> <li>3. Community Gathering space.</li> <li>4. Open space within a heavily trafficked area; trees and softscape.</li> <li>5. Accessibility from Military Road and Parraween Street</li> <li>6. Variety of businesses</li> </ol>
What changes would make it better?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Noise and traffic mitigation from Military Road</li> <li>2. Accessibility and inclusive design</li> <li>3. Additional/improve greenery. Increase tree canopy.</li> <li>4. Increase outdoor dining opportunities.</li> <li>5. Improve visual appeal with a contemporary design.</li> <li>6. Improve overall safety for families with children.</li> <li>7. Integration and connectivity, creating a thoroughfare without navigating through dining areas.</li> <li>8. Weather protection</li> <li>9. Council-led activation for community events</li> <li>10. Improved maintenance regimen</li> <li>11. Incorporate eco-friendly elements, such as solar-powered lights and green walls</li> </ol>
What key issue(s) would you like to see solved?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reduction of traffic noise from Military Road</li> <li>2. Improvement of the dated appearance</li> <li>3. Better access for people with disabilities</li> <li>4. Inclusion of a children's play area to encourage family-friendly activities.</li> <li>5. Removal of existing elevated terraces to increase space usage flexibility.</li> <li>6. Increase greenery, contemporary landscape, and tree canopy.</li> <li>7. Improvement of weather protection to allow plaza enjoyment on both sunny and rainy days.</li> <li>8. Activation including markets, live music, and evening events.</li> <li>9. Consistent maintenance plan</li> <li>10. Pest management to reduce the number of rats in the area.</li> <li>11. Better planning regulations to improve the quality of development in the area</li> </ol>
What three words would you use to describe	<p>The 10 most popular words to describe the aspiration for the space were:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Green</li> <li>2. Welcoming</li> </ol>

Question	Feedback summary
how you want the space to look and feel?	3. Family 4. Modern 5. Community 6. Clean 7. Safe 8. Open 9. Fresh 10. Attractive
Additional comments	1. Children’s play area: desire for a designated space for children to play, emphasising safety and fun. 2. Emphasis in the inclusion of a barrier to separate the plaza visually and acoustically from Military Road 3. Requests for universally accessible design 4. Uniformity and improvement in existing shopfronts 5. Emphasis on maintaining the local community feel and supporting local businesses. 6. Cleanliness and Presentation: importance of keeping the space clean and well-presented to address pest issues. 7. Strong support for outdoor dining areas for restaurants and a desire to maintain or increase these spaces. 8. Suggestions for more shade trees and partial roof areas for protection during rainy and sunny days 9. Requests for Council-led activations with community events, live music to make the space inviting and vibrant. 10. Preservation of Heritage and inclusion of art-deco elements to celebrate the suburb identity. 11. Support for keeping the space pet friendly. 12. More greenery, trees, and landscaping 13. Free parking periods to enhance visitor experience

Table 1 - Summary of Online feedback for Cremorne Plaza Stage 1 Engagement

## 1.2. Information Session

Consultants and Council staff met community members in a casual environment. The summary of the feedback collected is included in the table below:

Topic	Detail
Entertainment and Amenity	Consider speakers, water amenities, and a community noticeboard.
Outdoor Seating and Umbrellas	Maximize outdoor seating; encourage consistent umbrella use
Seating Diversity and Comfort	Include small tables for work, more seating, especially for the elderly
Lighting and Aesthetics	Enhance lighting with fairy lights. Connect with the Orpheum Theatre and Art Deco features of the area. Cremorne Plaza is considered outdated.
Child-Friendly Features	Support for the installation of child-friendly elements; consider a dedicated play area.
Greenery and Screening	Support green screens along Military Road and increase of the tree canopy



Topic	Detail
Parking Challenges	Dissatisfaction with metered parking. Call for increase the free parking time in Parraween Street

Table 2 - Summary of Information Session for Cremorne Plaza Stage 1 Engagement

### 1.3. Direct Mail Feedback

Free-form feedback submissions were received via email. The summary of the feedback received is provided in the table below:

Submitter	Summary
Cremorne Conservation Group	<p><b>Cremorne Plaza Option 2 preferred with the following recommendations:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keep and increase outdoor dining space.</li> <li>• The central 'aisle' provides a clear line of sight to Parraween Street and Paling Street, exposing parked cars, increasing noise, and creating a thoroughfare, potentially impacting restaurant ambiance.</li> <li>• Large sculptural structures over the pergola are considered out of character with heritage objectives.</li> <li>• Night lighting of the sculpture and bright upright lights are considered too modern and not fitting the theme.</li> <li>• Misting device in the sculpture is deemed an unnecessary expense.</li> <li>• Signage in/above the 'green wall' falls short of fulfilling specific design objectives</li> </ul>
Harrison Precinct Meeting 02/02/2023 23 attendees	<p>The following suggestions raised from the discussion at the meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green wall on Military Road</li> <li>• Improve lighting.</li> <li>• More seating</li> <li>• Improve wheelchair access.</li> <li>• Provide all-weather awning/pergola - current "tents" are not acceptable.</li> <li>• No need for children's play area</li> <li>• Incorporate art-deco themes</li> </ul>

Table 3 - Summary of Free form Submissions for Cremorne Plaza Stage 1 Engagement

## 2. Langley Place Preliminary Feedback Summary

### 2.1. Online Feedback Form

Five open questions were asked in the Online Feedback form. The table below summarises the feedback received:

Question	Feedback summary
What is it you like about Langley Place as it is now?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Existing coffee shop with outdoor seating</li> <li>2. Convenience of shortcut between Parraween Street and Military Road, easy access, and a corridor connecting different areas</li> <li>3. Appreciation for existing trees, particularly the mature gum tree in Parraween Street. Suggestions for more greenery and trees for aesthetic and visual buffering</li> </ol>

Question	Feedback summary
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Pedestrian-friendly access including the pedestrian crossing in Parraween Street</li> <li>5. Acknowledgment of Langley Place as a meeting point and focal point for the local community, offering an open space for community use</li> <li>6. Some respondents expressed wishes to have this space restored and mentioned that Langley Place was better in the 1980s and 1990s.</li> <li>7. Langley Place perceived as a wasted or dead space. Calls for improvements such as shade, greenery, lights, and art to enhance the area.</li> <li>8. Positive comments about Langley Place providing a quieter area away from busy Military Road, serving as a place of respite</li> </ol>
What changes would make it better?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Aesthetic and functional improvements with a refreshed and modernised look, upgraded paving with consistent materials, and improved landscaping, brighter shop fronts, and improved night lighting.</li> <li>2. Noise reduction measures such as soundproofed and wind breaker barrier along Military Road to improve amenity and reduce the wind-tunnel effect between Military Road and Parraween Street</li> <li>3. Inclusive design with level surfaces providing accessible space for people with limited mobility and families with prams, creating a Laneway feel to improve pedestrian experience.</li> <li>4. Additional greenery garden beds and trees to create a more inviting and comfortable atmosphere.</li> <li>5. Public seating areas with tables separate from outdoor dining areas.</li> <li>6. Requests for activation of the area with unique features such green walls and decorative lighting</li> <li>7. Address the impact of traffic noise from Military Road. Relocate exhaust air vents for better air quality</li> </ol>
What key issue(s) would you like to see solved?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Improve lighting to make the space brighter and more inviting.</li> <li>2. Open up the space to create more public seating, outdoor dining space, and to encourage community use.</li> <li>3. Make the plaza accessible for individuals with mobility challenges and families with prams.</li> <li>4. Improve maintenance regimen including cleaning up leaves, rubbish, and overgrown vegetation.</li> <li>5. Address wind-tunnel effects and reduce traffic noise from Military Road with the installation barriers and screens.</li> <li>6. Improve overall aesthetics, including the removal of outdated features and structures, and the installation of new materials to create a fresh, modern look.</li> <li>7. Introduce more plants, shrubs, and trees for shade and aesthetics. Removing unappealing plantings but keeping existing trees</li> <li>8. Consider activations with community events, activities, or features that make the space more enjoyable</li> </ol>
What three words would you use to describe how you want the space to look and feel?	<p>The 10 most popular words to describe the aspiration for the space were:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bright</li> <li>2. Open</li> <li>3. Welcoming</li> <li>4. Green</li> <li>5. Modern</li> <li>6. Clean</li> <li>7. Fresh</li> </ol>

Question	Feedback summary
	8. Inviting 9. Safe 10. Family-friendly
Additional comments	1. The space is seen as a prime spot for cafes, with a desire for more seating to create a waypoint between destinations. 2. Protect and extend outdoor dining areas. 3. The area lacks character and needs a complete makeover. 4. Business activation needed to encourage businesses to open onto the plaza to increase alfresco dining and attract more visitors. 5. Noise issues from businesses, e.g., air conditioning units need attention. 6. Focus on creating continuity in the area by replicating Cremorne Plaza and connecting the two areas. 7. Concerns about darkness and drabness - need for improved lighting and a lively atmosphere. 8. Appreciation for the lovely spot to sit in the northern sun during winter. 9. Maintain and improve footpath plantings along Parraween Street. 10. More user-friendly feedback form, particularly suitable for mobile use.

Table 4 - Summary of Online feedback for Langley Place Stage 1 Engagement

## 2.2. Information Session

Consultants and Council staff met community members in a casual environment. The summary of the feedback collected is included in the table below:

Topic	Detail
Amenities and Maintenance	Filtered water station with a dog bowl. Improved maintenance and cleaning regimen Green screening to Military Road Install more seating in Parraween Street
Aesthetics	Aesthetic and functional improvements to attract businesses and visitors. Colourful flowering plants
Lighting and Aesthetics	Consideration for upstairs residences. Minimise light spill. Fairy lights on trees
Activation	Focus on improving Parraween Street to attract more business. Activate the area and attract retail businesses
Functionality	Slip-resistant pavers for the sloped site. Additional seating near the Orpheum entry
General	Create a vibrant, inviting, and user-friendly public space. Questioning the need for refurbishment, and potential impact on rates Concerns about darkness and empty shops

Table 5 - Summary of Information Session for Langley Place Stage 1 Engagement

## 2.3. Direct mail feedback

Free-form feedback submissions were received via email. The summary of the feedback received is provided below:

Submitter	Summary
Cremorne Conservation Group	<p><b>Langley Place Option 1 preferred with the following recommendations:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proposed concrete seating is considered uncomfortable.</li> <li>• Remove the concrete seats on Military Road footpath due to potential obstruction to passing pedestrians.</li> <li>• Proposed inclusion of a 'green wall' to separate the plaza from the busy intersection of Military Road and Spofforth Street, and to include naming/wayfinding identifying the space as Langley Place.</li> <li>• Absence of any signage indicating it is 'Langley Place.'</li> <li>• Proposed additions include fairy lights on plaza trees for an inviting evening atmosphere.</li> <li>• Suggested addition of dining tables/chairs to the podium level for take-away meals</li> </ul>
Harrison Precinct Meeting 02/02/2023 23 attendees	<p>The following suggestions raised from the discussion at the meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green wall on Military Road</li> <li>• Improved lighting</li> <li>• More seating</li> <li>• Improved wheelchair access</li> <li>• Provide all-weather awning/pergola - current "tents" are not acceptable.</li> <li>• No need for children's play area</li> <li>• Incorporate art-deco themes</li> </ul>

*Table 6 - Summary of Free form Submissions for Langley Place Stage 1 Engagement*

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Submitters	What is it you like about Cremorne Plaza as it is now?	What changes would make it better?	What key issue(s) would you like to see solved?	What three words would you use to describe how you want the space to look and feel?	Detail any other comments here.
1	Not crowded, it has character.	A water fountain to mask the noise from military road and a drinking station	No issues	Look old and with character as everything else has been destroyed by bad regulation and no respect for character. All building look the same, the same concrete box.	
2	Close to home. Sunny spot. Mostly away from traffic noise. Great restaurants	More usable space for cafes and restaurants. Shaded areas. More accessible (lots of steps and edges are not user friendly) better protection from Military Road (eg sound barrier/greenery like St Leonard's have on their wall on PAC	Accessibility. Ease of use for restaurants and cafes to utilise the space	Inviting, clean, green	Somewhere for kids to play would be ideal
3	Gathering place for the local community. Alfresco dining and slightly away from Military Rd noise	Sound / visual barrier from military road. Levelling of the area (too many steps and ramps). Better planting / landscaping	Isolating from Military Rd whilst leaving open access to paraween	Family. Casual. Gathering	Some sort of barrier to both visually and acoustically isolate the space from military Rd would be awesome. Maybe something like the 'st Leonard's' signage and planting structure at Mitchell st but in art deco style. Cremorne is lost between NB and Mosman
4	Ability to sit in the open air and enjoy a meal	No bikes and scooters allowed	Lack of supervision by parents. When parents are dining at the pizza restaurant children sojif not be allowed to run between tables and to disrupt diners at other restaurants in other parts if the	Attractive, welcoming, spacious	
5	Trees	Upgrade tiles and paint walls .Some form of noise filter at Military road end	Current multi level design with steps leads to limited use	Modern ,Green , practical	Steps and levels not walker or wheelchair friendly. Centre raised area under-utilised. trees and shade good but garden strip on western side needs revision
6	Family friendly, nice restaurant options	Complete refresh of exterior space. New landscaping, lighting and modern shop frontages.	It looks old. Shop front and lighting upgrade, paving redone, better seating, better accessibility access.	Modern, family friendly	It would be nice to see uniformity in the shop front spaces. We love going to eat but it's a bit tacky.
7	Outside dining areas	More parking	Parking problem	Green, safe, Village	
8	Love the restaurants and open-air environment.	Would be great if live music could be permitted, especially in the evenings.	What three words would you use to describe how	Open, community, Green	Our family have been coming to Cremorne Plaza for many years and we love the local community feel of it. Our kids have worked in the restaurants at Cremorne Plaza and have gotten to know a lot of locals as a
9	Outdoor seating for cafes and restaurants.	Important to maintain the level of public area. Outdoor seating is great but should not take over the whole area	Noise from Military Rd is an issue.		
10	Restaurants & relaxed atmosphere	It's needs retailing/cleaning & a small kids, play area. fencing along both sides of the road	Cleaning it up. It feels so dirty & rundown. Should be a great alfresco dining space	Clean, family friendly & relaxed	One level would also be better to use.

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11	Open space, seating areas for restaurant patrons, trees, bench seating which is frequently used by the elderly, room for children to play.	More planting, awnings to eliminate need for ugly plastic marquee outside the Chinese restaurant and make the areas outside the restaurants and cafes more weatherproof	Better play area for children.	Green, vibrant, inclusive	
12	Family atmosphere and good restaurant options	Better seating arrangements	The middle part is wasted. Seating to encourage restaurant usage would be beneficial	Family social community	I would definitely not like to see large chain or fast food restaurants there.
13	The restaurants that open out onto the plaza and the family friendly environment	Make the space above street level more usable		Same feel, updated look	
14	Open space and location	Revamped cafes, new landscaping, more seating etc	Currently it appears outdated, old and rundown. Needs a massive revamp with new restaurants and cafes	Modern, new, refreshed	
15	Well located and a good dimensions with some shade and plants. The step up areas provide many places to sit. Reasonable selection of plaza friendly business around the perimeter	Better use of the space, more colour and texture and some more seating that is not reserved for restaurant patrons. A gentle water feature could add to the look and ambience.	The extent of the raised areas obstruct freer movement of people across the plaza forcing them to mainly move around the perimeter	Space, colour, welcoming.	It's important to ensure that there are a variety of plaza friendly businesses and shops are not vacant for long periods. Consider what could be done to aesthetically and functionally integrate the very bland and uninviting upper levels.
16	In some ways it's alright City place	Install the fountain help of grass area. Hup the atmosphere			
17	Family oriented space for locals to enjoy outdoor eating. Low rise surroundings in quiet heritage street.	Less noise and pollution exposure to military road. Improved landscaping and shared spaces. More outdoor eating. Weather cover, more trees, Sunday afternoon acoustic music	Military road exposure; landscaping,	Modern, fresh, family/friends	This area is an important community area that must be enhanced to keep
18	I like the open space for children to play while their parents finish eating. Also like variety of restaurants, hairdresser, wine bar etc	Perhaps fewer levels, a central feature like a bubbling, non spraying water display, perhaps matching sheltered outdoor seating, LED lighting	A bit awkward to walk through from bus stop	Family- friendly, inviting, comfortable	A pretty floral display and seating might make it usable outside restaurant hours.
19	The ability to dine outside	There are too many rats. Very off putting. Reduce the ground cover density.	Dat problem. Better use of area. One level possibly. Some trees for shade.	Alfresco, shady and social	Support the local restaurants with usable space.
20	Outdoor dining	Remove the shrubs and ground cover. Only keep trees. Plagued with rats and cockroaches. Be good if there was a sound barrier from Military Road	Pest control. Cannot sit there without rats coming out. It's horrendous!	Treed, level. Fountain	A water feature could dull the road noise
21	The shade & beautiful trees	Needs to be 1 level with ample seating	Coverage for when it rains	Relaxed, open, attractive	Needs to be clean & well presented.
22	Food, place of gathering, safe space for young children	Remove stairs, they make it very difficult for prams and I constantly see young children fall, only give leases to food or bar offerings, put screens up on military road end, use whole space for tables lights overhead	Increased variety of food/ wine bar. Flat for easy access, increased seating, block military road noise	Gather friend family. A place for gather where friends and family can enjoy a meal and drink, where it is safe for all ages	

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23	The trees, and public sitting areas	More plants, more areas where you can sit and socialise (maybe able to drink and eat separate to the restaurants as well)	Public bathroom	Warm, community space	
24	The current restaurants, public tables are great	More bars and night life. The bottleshop is fantastic but needs a liquor license to serve drinks. Live music on Saturday nights. Or markets	The second floor is being wasted. Great space for shops / cafes/ bars.	Trendy , variety , Green	The space is great but could be utilized much better
25	The terraces outdoor	More greens / plants	More bins	Safe, welcoming and enjoyable	
26	Good community meeting space	Public toilets available, live music on Friday/Saturday night, host local mini community markets for local businesses	Not enough seating	Green, welcoming, modern	It could be a great community space to support local businesses and for people to meet for mini events
27	Open space with great variety of food and half hour free parking	Greener space for people to Congregate, but not a child centered playground.	Less concrete, traffic noise if possible, face lift of shop fronts, night shopping markets and Xmas market allowed	Community, variety, softened	
28	One of the few public open spaces in the north east precinct of Cremorne	Any public seating ...at least 4 benches with backs on them.2 in the summer shade, 2 for winter sun	Seating please,	User friendly open	Perhaps a partial roof area for rainy days
29	Great byo dining options, family friendly, alfresco dining.	Addition of a wine bar perhaps upstairs. Shelter for bad weather, fences or planting for safety and serenity from military road (our kids like to play whilst we have dinner and there is nowhere safe to do this).	See previous.	Cosmopolitan urban oasis	Thanks for upgrading, it's such a great dining spot but it really needs it!
30	Middle space and restaurant layout that it surround its	Bigger flat fake grass in the center for kids , better restaurants	Better restaurants, one big flat outdoor space and or a water fountain	Kid friendly, light brighter	Very old, minimal comfortable outdoor seating
31	Outdoor spaces, access to restaurants and thriving small businesses	More secure for little children. So much room for error with cars on military surrounds streets. More designated spaces for			
32	Pedestrian only, cafes and outdoor dining and cafes	Shield from military road traffic	More attractive seating	Airy, seating,	Try to shield from military road traffic
33	Restaurants and cafes				
34	it provides a few eateries and retail spaces.	the plaza need refurbishment so it can have more spaces for the retailers to accommodate the density of population		new, modern and spacious	
35	Brings the Community together.	A huge face-lift is necessary. Nice planter boxes and maybe a water feature.	It's looking tired and dirty.	Relaxing, vibrant and no rats.	Rats lurking at night need to disappear.
36	I like the planted trees, restaurants with outdoor casual seating - it is a comfortable place for the local community to meet and with a green canopy	Make it all one level. More greener to "hide" Military Road. Garden better designed.	More greener - well designed and placed..	Treed, open and welcoming!	? distinct palces for the restaurants formed by the garden

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37	Village-y atmosphere. Accessibility	The Plaza needs to be modernised with a new horticultural landscape and, if possible one level.	Appearance, accessibility	Contemporary, visually appealing	Cremorne has long been the forgotten suburb. Council is to be congratulated for, at last, focussing on the Plaza and the urgent need to update it.
38	Outdoor dining, places to sit and relax, fragrance from the jasmine when it flowers	Refresh paving and paint, also I'm not sure what the purpose of the raised area in the centre is, this could be improved by either leveling (less bottlenecks when children riding scooters and pedestrians). Maybe add a couple of tables and chairs in this area.	When the plaza is busy the walking paths can be congested but the centre area is not used.	Open, clean, relaxed	
39	Open space food and dining area among low rise apartments.	More noise and view screening (trees/shrubs?) of Military Road	Screening and less hard surfaces which are slippery when wet.	A space to linger over coffee with a book in the sunshine.	Thank you for the opportunity to comment.
40	Good meeting place with sun, and excellent local community vibe	Noise barrier (dense, medium size NON DECIDUOUS scrubs near Military Rd). Lower centre raised portion to same level with new pavers same as in front of 59-61 Parraween St and other newer buildings. This garden bed nearest Parraween St to be	As per Margaret S suggestion, the area in the centre should have a reasonable amount of protection from weather elements	Friendly, community comfortable	It supports the local businesses
41	the open space, the restaurants that line the plaza & the greenery - we eat there at least once a week	It is extremely tired, dirty & uncared for - the paving is dirty & crazed & the concrete steps to the top level are not attractive - don't think it needs changes of levels - some restaurants also need to update tables & chairs	redo greenery so rats cannot live there - make it a QUIET place - some parents allow their children to run wild, yelling around the area whilst they stay inside the quiet restaurant & overall make it a pleasant place to sit & eat or have a chat & coffee	Clean, tidy and fresh	the pavement along Military Rd from the Plaza is cleaned by the vehicle that sweeps up rubbish (not regularly)- this does not go fully to the edge of the shops and it is obvious. people regularly vomit on the footpath and it is not cleaned up!!!
42	Natural feel of trees and green space. Combined with the lightning created over holiday times with the fairy lights. Open space	Add more green/vegetation or natural aussie species.	Military rd sound affecting the space.	Green, urban, open	I do enjoy the change of level with the step. But can see the challenges with having the variation
43	The central area wherein kids can play	Better lighting and more kid friendly fencing/barriers etc	Children accidentally run onto Parraween street while playing and running in the plaza	Lively Child-friendly better-lit	
44	Sun-lit year round, plenty of seating for restaurants.	the raised area in the middle of the plaza is an anomaly and creates no tangible benefit. Makes moving from one side of plaza to other uneasy.		open, sunny, windbreak-from Military rd.	
45	I like that it had a central area between the restaurants that kids can play	I would add more central seating for people who might want to get food from a couple of places. I would also add some play areas for kids as this is very much a family zone ca	The fences to protect kids from getting too close to the road	Family, fun, food	



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46	The square being open which allows parents to keep an eye on their children. Like the ramp for little ones to play on. They love the hand rail too	Modernist and clean up with some new plants and planters. A lack of paint (something a little sophisticated) with fairy lights. Does not have to be ridiculously expensive	Needs an upgrade and modernizing. Also the trees in the square and on Military Road were infected last year. I received an email saying the council would be spraying in spring 2022. Was that done?	Sophisticated (colour greys and black/cream), fun/dreamy (fairy lights),greenery	Nothing to change just modernize and hopefully the landlords will open their wallets and do the same to their shop fronts. Another idea is the restaurant upstairs.... I took my grandchildren to <del>the restaurant which is a delightful place</del>
47	Food outlets, outside dining, seating to sit in sun	Glass see through panels between Military Rd and plaza for noise reduction, only food outlets on street level	Noise, more seats for sitting in sunshine	Vibrant Clean Pleasant	Food outlets should be prioritised. Noise reduction frMilitary Rd necessary
48	outdoor dining and family feel	More protection from the military road traffic and expansion into parraween street. A secure children's play/climbing area - a lot of families dine out in this plaza and the children love running around, but being so close to busy roads its not very safe	Traffic noise/pollution from military road and a secure play area or climbing area for children - go to this plaza at 6pm on a sunny evening to see the many children that run around this plaza, very close to parraween st and military rd	Family-friendly outdoor dining - much as it now, but with more protection from military road noise and pollution, secure space for kids to play, and more seating/dining, especially for fratellis!	Please don't feel this space with a sculpture or obstruct views from the dining areas with clutter. The reason most people go to this plaza between 4pm to 8pm is so they can enjoy a meal outside while watching their kids play
49	It's a great meeting place for the community. Good dining options with outdoor seating. Kids are able to play and have fun	Better outdoor dining facilities. Plantings. Some good places for people to sit and relax with shade.	The various levels and better use of space.	Relaxed, inviting, modern	
50	Open, airy sunny.	Replace the broken tiles. Pressure clean the area annually. Install some screening at Military Rd end with plantings on the screens	broken tiles	Clean, safe, inviting	Keep the middle area mainly free for children to play.
51	Outdoor dining and space for families to relax. Trees and landscaping make a park-like feel, with an 'Avenue' running through the middle, planting beds on either side.	More sheltering with plants or noise barriers from Military Road.		Social, plaza, green	
52	Beautiful outdoor seating for restaurants under a leafy green setting.	A little more differentiator between military road and the plaza	None - the plaza is actually really nice as is. More greenery and just a tidy up.	communal, green, entertaining	Please keep outdoor seating for restaurants, its our favourite part of the plaza.
53	Family restaurants with outside seating and area for children to play/run	More restaurants, coffee shop, and ice cream options. Better seating and shade and planting/screening off Military Road to create more privacy, serenity and safety.	Shade and screening from Military Road	Lane Cove Canopy	
54	Not much. The quality of outlets in the Plaza has declined. I used to visit their regularly. It's tired, a drive by zone and the calibre of store/restaurant etc. has dropped. It reflects the strip of Military Rd that it fronts on	It needs to be refreshed, brightened, landscaped and be a place you would want to visit to sit and share a coffee or something.			

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55	Vegetation softens the space, dampens noise from road; al fresco seating for restaurants.	More vegetation to screen out main road; incorporation of desire paths as it is currently difficult to traverse the area diagonally.	Noise from Traffic	Natural; warm; enjoyable	
56	Open space	More seating, plants, small trees, planter boxes	Dullness & lighting. It's not inspiring to visit	Light green inviting	
57	Outdoor dining	Buffer to road with planting - as lots of kids and there is a lot of traffic on parraween st	What is the point of the raised area - it cuts off a lot of usable space	Green, atmosphere, interesting	Please keep the outdoor dining
58	Outdoor seating, trees providing shade, lots of shops	More native greenery and outdoor dining, seating. Military road is AWFUL, I've actually stopped going to these types of areas because the traffic and pollution is so off putting. So I think a bigger picture solution is to massively reduce traffic	To reduce traffic I would to see no parking allowed on military road and the bus lanes to be in use 24/7 to encourage more public transport use. The traffic, noise and pollution ruins the whole experience of the area	Lively (from cafes) peaceful (need to remove traffic!) green	I think the push for more greenery and less traffic is a pretty consistent one across Sydney so any bit helps!
59	The bagel shop is a great new addition. Everything else feels so tired and desperate for an update. There's also lots of rats in the bushes. The garbage behind the pizza shop is a huge problem. Can we get that fixed as part of this?	I would love to see more clean space. The shrubs are dirty and have rats. The chairs are gross. Clean seating areas would help. We need to attract better tenants who have cool shops and cafes to make the area feel more alive.	Better retailers. Cleaner space. Some grass.	Sleek. Modern. Trendy.	The shops in the plaza all seem too comfortable and don't help make the area feel modern. We need an injection of life to build the atmosphere.
60	Green space with outdoor dining	More plants and sitting options.		Green relaxed food	
61	I love that its a communal dining space and the great restaurants that surround it. Its a great spot to meet up and socialise.	Its quite dated and the flooring can get quite slippery when wet. More general seating/tables would be good and a nicer garden/trees that would provide some shade or shelter from rain	Needs an update its very 80's, more useable space through the middle for dining, updated garden, updated appropriate flooring, extension of undercover areas for all season dining	modern, practical, good capacity	Its such a great spot with great restaurants it just needs updating and more room to navigate the expanding seating areas, more practical use of space.
62	It provides a good and possibly attractive break in a busy commercial corridor.	It's current makes it a dirty and unattractive space where there is no separation between restaurant seating and thoroughfare. Children and overflow from and together with people waiting for seating and take-away food adds to the	Broken and dirty tiles removed, sun and weather protection added, regular cleaning, better screening from the Military Road traffic, better quality restaurants.	Clean, attractive, verdant	Overcrowding and people waiting at fabulous Frattelli's is a problem for pedestrians in Parraween Street and small children playing is a trip hazard. Better lighting and improved design would be a benefit
63	Pedestrianised, cafes	Safe children play area, more cafes	Safer for children	Fun, safe, green	
64	The number of shops, cafes or restaurants means you can walk around to decide what to have for dinner.	The middle area is under utilities, could you add a simple playground to bring families in. One that was gated to allow normal walking traffic through	A bubbler and even a public toilet. Like the self cleaning ones at Bradfield Park.	Greenery, family friendly, clean	It's a nice space but more can be done.
65	Nice atmosphere	More cut off from traffic. Better lighting. More open. More seating		Open welcoming modern	

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66	Open dining spaces that allow for children & dogs	A screen from the traffic on Military Rd	Exposure to street traffic & noise	Open-air, green (trees & gardens), communal	This could be a lovely 'meeting place' for the community. I'd like to linger there more when we grab a coffee, meal or use the businesses around there. It's a bit of a thoroughfare at the moment but has enormous potential. Green trees & outdoor
67	The restaurants, how family friendly it is	Kids play area		Safe, green, family friendly	
68	Leisure space for the community. Trees and garden beds	Garden beds redesigned so people (children) cannot run through them and destroy. More large trees. Replace all the tiling and seating	Encourage more good restaurants and coffee shops. Replace the plastic tent with better all weather dining that isn't so ugly. Regular maintenance of paths and gardens. Encourage owners of buildings to improve their facades	Green Inviting Community hub	
69	great local resturants and centrally located	It needs to be refreshed and cleaned up. The bin area around the back is terrible and <del>navers etc are dirty</del>	Be more weather proof	clean fresh modern	you need to be able to use the space even when it is raining, the plastic temporary tents needs to go
70	It is very vibrant with a mix of restaurants, cafes and a wine bar. Outdoor dining is a key feature	Screening of Military Rd. New pavement and garden beds. If possible, eliminate the raised section and put it all on one level. Some sections with sun or rain cover would be good	Noise from Military Rd. Screening would help	Vibrant. Tidy. Well-shaded	
71	The alfresco dining options and community feel it has (with a great buzz) when the plaza is full at night. Love the fairly lighting in the trees.	Wet weather options - better coverage for when it rains.	Make it easier to keep the areas clean.	contemporary, inviting and communal	The more inviting the space is made the more it will be used - which will translate to more income for the businesses in the area. It needs to be a place that people are drawn to and the residence in the area can
72	The restaurants.	Upgrade of the environment t so I don't feel like I am eating in the gutter	Landscaping and consistent outdoor eating areas.	Natural, contemporary, clean	
73	It is a lovely spot to sit down for free and relax or catch your breath	More shaded free benches to sit down and more shade trees generally	The in shaded areas get hot in summer.	Leave as is!!!	All it needs are some more shade trees. It is said to be difficult to clean by Council, how can that be, it's a tiny area and one or two men with brooms should clean it in no time.
74	Cremorne has limited public spaces up near Military rd & this one close to shops & restaurants is well used.	A roof or covered area & some "shielding" from the noise of Military Rd & also better paving & seating	"Shielding" from noise of Military Rd & also preventing kids from running out near traffic.	Green, open, versatile.	This space could & should be able to be used for community events. Live music would be great!
75	I love the outdoor eating spaces and the mix of businesses	All venues with outdoor shelter and heat pump heating option, so can still enjoy outdoor space in bad weather	Upstairs access and eating at more venues, move hairdresser upstairs	Green and inviting	No kids scooters, skateboards, bikes etc. allows all to access and play safely.

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76	It's a great spot for families with kids to meet in the evenings early. Kids play while parents enjoy a meal. Lots of people run into each other so it was once very social	Fence it so kids cant run into military road	More green space, more shade, safer for kids around the road.	Safe, green, Italian piazza	Military road is an accident waiting to happen.
77	outdoor seating for restaurants	modernise, repair damage, painting, landscaping	looks run down & neglected, shops are not well maintained, shops are small and some aren't suitable for a hospitality precinct, parking needs to be improved (need more)	Modern, exciting, atmospheric	looks worn out, needs a significant upgrade
78	Accessible from military road and paraween street. A nice variety of restaurants. Outdoor eating options. Some greenery. Different levels.	Some sound proofing or panelling to reduce traffic noise. Ambient and low level lighting that adds to the dining experience. Modern furniture. More landscaping and wooden panelling in the centre to reduce the hard surfaces. Shade and rain protection	Give plaza a more modern design that can be used in all weathers	Alfresco, Haven, urban-garden	It would be great if some of the visual noise large signage and posters could be removed or cleaned.
79	Outdoor casual alfresco dining, dog friendly, natural light, casual community feel	Better balance seating & gardens, narrow the garden beds particularly parra end. Modern greenery, casual seating benches & walls like along parra. Flexible weather protection, mostly all open but some sun/rain protection	Noise from military road. Seating for restaurants nth and communal. Usable in all weather. Activation on top levels. Level out the middle section all one level	Sunny, green, relaxed	Less red tape on DA's and liquor licensing. Johnnys was the turning point for reinventing the plaza. No smoking zone
80	i like it has 2 chairs that i can sit, when im waiting for my kids getting off the child care center	can pls add a table? so that i may work for a while when i use my laptop, so far, only chair is ready...	nothing	family, cozy, convenient	nothing
81	It's open	Facelift	More space and clean	Clean, fresh open	The demographic in the area is older people, if u add a playground that has screening kids while ppl are trying to have a relaxing dinner, this is what would stop me going to the restaurants and has in the past
82	The community feel and the vibrancy. It's a widely used space and we know people from all areas of Sydney that come to the restaurants here.	Increased privacy from Military Road and more kids playing area (or more equipment for kids to play on, such as stepping stones, logs or cubby house).	Noise from Military Road, need more of an enclosed safe area for kids to play.	Community, green and support local business	We love and enjoy all the local businesses and they should be supported by local council to keep thriving, everyone loves the vibe this space brings to community and would love to see this enhanced. It would be great to have some music too
83	Open. Family friendly	More shade, midernuse	Shade	Green, welcoming, family friendly	This upgrade should also keep businesses in mind and designed to increase their clientele.
84	Public seating, shaded areas, open areas for young children to run around and outdoor seating at the local restaurants	Removal of some of the concrete walls they have around		Community, Lush, Secure	

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85	Easy parking	More seating and better coffee shop	Nothing major, just refreshed, place looks old and tired	Fresh, contemporary and efficient use of space	Please don't change parking for the worse!
86	Can walk through to military road, can sit on some benches and steps.	Better outdoor seating. Better restaurants and cafes. Most are very old, run down and subpar when it comes to what they offer.	Upgraded shops and restaurants	Fresh, green and open	Please do not tear anything down we need to preserve heritage
87	Safe place for kids to play within the plaza whilst dining. Highly visible at all times.	More ably shades areas for kids playing and dining.	Plaza shops beatification.	Green Safe Fresh	
88	Its set back from military road and on the paraween street side is highly social and ambient. Height level differences in the middle make a nice feature for kids to play on and adults to sit on while waiting for takeaway.	more sound barriers between the plaza and military road (the bus and truck noise is interminable) - but close to military road so as to not steal space from diners and kids	the policing of the small bars in the area (they should be able to serve french-style small bar alcohol without being harassed).	the same as it currently does. I actually dont think its tired and outdated. What you guys have been replacing old infrastructure with is cheap, nasty and looks the same as the rest of 'new' sydney. Its actually gross. Couldn't you just leave it	
89	The variety of restaurants and the the outdoor dining with children playing there in the evenings. It brings a real life to the plaza	All one level for pedestrians on ground level. Some tables for eating at that are central eg the ability to get takeaway from different places with friends and share? Maybe that would create an unwelcome	The upper level shops get a bit lost - can't really see what's up there	Friendly, relaxing, family	
90	lots of amenities (restaurants, cafes and shops) in one place	more green space and opportunities for children to play while allowing for dining and socialising outside. The second level needs better access and more space (could be an extended area over the square with lots of greenery and lift access	as above limited open space for children, limited greenery and limited overall space	dining, socialising playnig for children with lots of greenery	
91	Hub of restaurants	More public seating. Less steps. More greenwry	More public seating	Safe. Welcoming. Green	
92	It's a pleasing open air area to sit and eat away from the noise and grime of military rd	Make the area one level and open it up a bit. The levels and plantings close the area in.	It's attraction. Most restaurants fail, especially the one on the first floor at the front of the western side. Allow off street parking between McDonald's and exagym to help revitalise the whole area at night	Attractive, welcoming beautiful	The centre area of levels and tall grasses means the only walk though area is through the restaurant outdoor seating area. I don't like walking through there because of that
93	that it is an open public area in what is now a completely built in part of Military Rd in Cremorne	main thing that definitely needs removing and upgrading are the ugly plastic coverings now over the Cafe and Chinese restaurant	a more contemporary permeant ascetic transparent covering over the eateries	safe, contemporary, green with more plantings	
94	Open area with a variety of street dining option	Improved sun protection, trees	Greater sun protection, greater variety of dining options - currently only spicy, foreign food or takeaway	Open, shaded, sanctuary	

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95	Love the outdoor pedestrian only space. The business there seems to be good for all parties	Greater pedestrian access and areas. We still need parking but it must become more accessible	The pedestrian crossings in the area are dangerous	Safe friendly clean	
96	Cremorne Plaza is a pleasant green space, regrettably very rare in the Cremorne area, surrounded by cafes and restaurants which provides an oasis for locals to enjoy.	A simple update to and refreshment of the space is all that is required. The current configuration is excellent and does not require change.	The gardens need maintenance - both immediate and on an ongoing basis.	Peaceful, green, user friendly.	
97	The variety of cafes	(1) A green or waterfall wall to Military Rd (2) Remove raised area- ie single level			
98	It's a local hub lovely to have a group of restaurants that when use outdoors/ indoors	A sound wall/ green at both streets to stop traffic sounds and for aesthetic value planter boxes need some better managed	Greening and seating	More green appeal	
99	I only use Cremorne Plaza as a walk through to Military Road from Parraween though I used to dine there.	More inviting, better lighting and possibility some method of noise mitigation from Military Road for outdoor dining	Lighter and brighter and more parking availability.	Updated, destination, shopping	
100	It's relaxed and friendly and free form. It has a wonderful vibe	More space to eat outdoors	Nil	Friendly, fun, welcoming	Please keep pet friendly
101	Leafy, lights, local	Public mural	Traffic noise, promotion of top floor businesses	Welcoming, creative, buzzy	
102	Outdoor seating options for dining	More shaded areas, more seating		Green, open, inclusive	
103	Open area	Green picnic area for babies and children interactive area	Woobling tiles	Open, welcoming, green	
104	I love the buzz of all the outdoor eating areas, it has a real vibe to it at night, especially in summer. I does seem "cut in half" though, with the unsympathetic planting.	The middle garden area needs to be levelled out to make it easier to walk from one side to the other. The centre needs trees for shade with seating underneath. It would be great for the restaurants to be able to spread out over the whole space at	Accessibility, room for restaurants to spread out and complementary trees and green gardens. Is there room for a play area for diners with small children?	Welcoming, buzzy, beautiful	The centre part is wrong and needs to be levelled and planted with beautiful trees and shrubs (not ugly natives that go straggly). It needs to be planned to open up the whole plaza as a pleasant place to sit as well as space for the diners. It is unique
105	It's a pleasant gathering area open and relaxed	more green space trees, shrubs and grass. designated areas outside each eating establishment with easy navigation for patrons and people walking through or choosing to sit in the Plaza and not dining	steps up and down removed with the Plaza all on one level for easy access for senior citizens and disabled people	Relaxed haven an escape from the hustle and bustle of Cremorne	More natural no chrome/shiny fixtures and fittings
106	Shade in the sunny days because all of the threes	Some benches to sit during the day	Too dark at night	Like an oasis	Maybe water for people jogging and walking their dogs
107	An open space with trees that breaks up the relentless military road strip.	More green and more seating.	Some of the garden beds have been denuded and the changing levels are probably unnecessary.	Green open welcoming	

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108	Great space for restaurants and cafes. Good parking.	Alcohol license across the space so you can sit down on vacant tables in the middle and order takeaway from the restaurants. Festoon lights across the area to make it look nicer at night. Something to deter people from the noise or military road.		Weekend wind down	
109	An open space	More plants. More conversation areas.	Steps need attention. Seats.	Warm inviting community	
110	It is a rare parcel of open space in a heavily trafficked area. The trees are great.	Fewer levels. Garden beds are good if a bit unkempt but smaller beds could achieve a similar effect and allow a bit more actual open space. Prefer that the plantings have less scent as the current scent can be overwhelming in flow.	Like to see the space less disparate and more connected.	Open, relaxing, brighter.	Adjoining open air eating facilities add greatly to the atmosphere. Traffic noise can be intrusive.
111	Plenty of people use it	A soundproof wall replacing the existing fence on the Military Rd side would be very beneficial	Improved reliable lighting.	Green, useful, practical	
112	Skatepark please	Skatepark places	Add skatepark	Kids want skating	New skatepark
113	The openness.	Have a direct pedestrian thoroughfare without having to navigate through coffee tables.	Removal on steps, and regularly sweeping of leaves.	Welcoming, green, easy to walk through.	
114	That it is public space and that there is outdoor dining.	I would like to see it all one level. Better gardens... more colourful. Better outdoor dining shade for rain/shade instead of the tents. Some solar power light bulbs hung across the plaza would be nice.	I guess just a general upgrade.	Pretty, diverse, full of life.	
115	Its arrangement and urban street aesthetics are good as they are. Plants and trees look good too. It's active early evening	Upstairs shops- encourage hospitality venues, bars and eateries open till late. - give licences for night venues open till late, activation until later hours. music etc.		As it is but active longer	
116	Outdoor dining, escape from military road, where children can play or you can push a pram. Always people around morning or nighttime	More food options, better garden design to facilitate more outdoor tables while still allowing space for children to play and pedestrians	Unnecessary split levels up and down that don't help. Greater allocation of space to outdoor dining, more permanent fixtures to allow all weather dining	European piazza	Bigger green screen or hedging to block military road both for noise and sight
117	The recent works have been great in maintaining open space.	The buildings that surround are tired and dilapidated but the offerings are good. Maybe a little less open to military road would be good. The raised section in the middle doesn't seem to have a purpose. Maybe a playground or fountain?	Buildings surrounding the plaza be upgraded.	Cosmopolitan, friendly, communal	Metered parking is also a detriment to the area. There could be a 1.5hr free period or something in lieu of the 15mins.

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118	Popular community gathering spot for ALL age groups; A dining destination; Umbrellas outside restaurants give protection against elements;	Visible link between design/signage and art deco Orpheum theatre; Tree fairy lights/ criss-cross overhead lighting; Living green wall between Military Road and Plaza; Increase seating - but NOT concrete blocks; Pot plants; Water fountain for bottles/dogs	Central platform replaced with winding path from Military Rd to Parraween St pedestrian crossing; Provision for restaurants and cafes on Level 1; Wider balconies to allow outdoor seating on L1	Village-vibe; friendly; modern	Retain tall trees - replace 'scrappy' shrubs with palms; Introduce flowering plants/hanging pots; No sculptures which take up space and No misting devices – both require maintenance;
119	It feels open and quiet from the Parraween Street end with it's extra width (compared to the Military Rd) end and low footpath wall which is good for sitting on in the sun especially in winter. There is also good space to walk through even with the tables	More seating for non dining use especially in sunny positions in the winter months at the quieter northern end. Noise proof the southern end. Have all one level with landscaped pathing and public seating.	clean comfortable public seating in the sunshine - one level and plantings setting outdoor table borders - consistent non-ugly weather screens	friendly, green, sunny	I enjoy taking my tea into the space and find the seating too uncomfortable and too windy with the southerlies.
120	People do come together, however, it can be get organised	Maybe not so many ups and downs with steps for it to be a flatter area	The steps and the sterility of the space	Inviting Community and Greener	
121	Community/gastronomique vibes after works hours. Friday and Saturday nights the plaza is pumping, very popular tenants including Fratellis, Fang Dumpling House and Liquor Land around the corner. BYO beer foodcourt, very continental.	Have better acoustic screening from Military Road, also the plaza can be somewhat of a wind tunnel on the wrong days. More seating	More public seating - in the middle,	Späti, gathering place	configure for sunday morning markets could be good too
122	It is one of the few local eatery strips that encourages / accommodates families allowing children to play in a relatively safe space.	The Plaza is focused on food. Consider how it could have a unique proposition. The trade is dominated by families. Consider how to make it safer and more relaxing for families to eat there (fenced off area, better visibility, etc.)	Safe spaces for kids to play whilst parents finish meals and socialise.	Open, safe, family-friendly	The two proposed options appear to miss a great opportunity to truly set this space apart from others in the area. I suspect the designers did not visit the plaza during peak trading hours to understand what the locals love about it.
123	Pedestrian refuge. Far better than another street.	More seating. Removal of power lines.		Modern. Peaceful.	
124	The London Plane trees that provide shade and greenery (Military Rd end). Activation provided from surrounding cafes/ restaurants.	Single level space without the awkward changes in level. More informal seating - perhaps integrated as low seating walls to separate spaces. More character and interest. Additional shade both trees and structures.	Increased sight lines from Military Rd and Parraween St both to increase visual connection and surveillance (CPTED). Currently the raised planter at the Parraween St ends obstructs sight lines, in addition to the random walls at Military Rd	Modern Green Flexible	Incorporation of public art to provide character and interest (buildings are very dated and subtract from the look and feel of the space). Perhaps public art integrated as custom shade structures or in pavement with graphics that reflect the local area.
125	Small community feel, outdoor restaurant seating	Remove the Jasmine (not pleasant for allergy sufferers), better designed areas to just sit and relax in shade. Keep the outdoor restaurant seating. Plant shrubs so they provide a barrier from noisy Military Road.	Address the rats, more lighting at night especially when restaurants close, modernise	Community, inviting, joyful	



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126	Walking distance from home able to get a coffee and access to cafes.	Cremorne Plaza is looking very tired/outdated, a renovation and remove commercial offices and introduce more bars and cafes. Also try incorporate a family friendly enviroment perhaps something for kids.	Needs a refurbishment and more cafes/restaurants and or stores.	Modern, green, well lit.	So much potential, particularly with new structures being built in the adjacent street,
127	Valuable open space. Adequate mix of business and public space leads to regular use by residents and visitors. Reasonable lighting and greenery although opportunities for improvement exist.	Construct green screen to isolate plaza from Military Road traffic noise and associated pollutants. Incorporate as much greenery as possible. Encourage pedestrian safety by encouraging use of crossing at Parraween St. Ensure adequate public seating.	Traffic noise and pollutant reduction preferably through use of greenery. Children safety as parents enjoy restaurant services and may become distracted.	Inviting, green and safe.	Measures to reduce noise from restaurants' patrons at night would be beneficial to local residents.
128	The open air setting, ability to walk through. The various shops with outdoor dining	The area being on one level with increasing trees for shade. The different levels are not child friendly, oral or wheelchair friendly	Access and shade in summer	Accessible attractive welcoming	Aesthetically pleasing
129	a refuge from Military rd	better paving that does not crack under street sweepers	proper delineation of outdoor eating areas	clean safe accessible	Level pedestrian crossing at Paling street
130	The vibrant, buzz of Frattellis. Outdoor dining.	More like a vibrant Italian piazza. Modern, trendy lighting- fairy lights/underlighting. More trees/greenery. Green wall along Military Rd.	Remove raised central area. Tired and delapidated scubby plantings.	Vibrant Italian piazza.	Total upgrade to make it a vibrant, outdoor 'Italianesque' eating destination. DON'T PUT IN A PLAYGROUND.
131	having a good sitting space to sit in. Trees.	I like to see that they can revamp and install the fountain.	I like to see that they can revamp and install the fountain. Help me with in harmony	Help me with in harmony. Make it easier for tthe Need Space	Make it inspiring also atmosphere
132	That I can sit and order then eat while kids play. Also the only place in Cremorne junction area to enjoy a coffee in an open space rather than inside or on a road.	Convert all shops into restaurant or bars or places with a vibe and buzz. Move dentist and hairdresser. Maybe a small playground?	Gate or similar to stop kids running into military road. Possibly a taller fence on military road so can't access. Make parraween pedestrian first.	Open, relaxed, family buzz	
133	Communal spirit. Good space for families and children in particular. Good range of restaurants that are not overpriced.	Upgrade of flooring and facades of all premises. A fountain or wate feature would be good. Better garden beds and lighting	The area is in general need of upgrade as it looks quite outdated and dirty.	Contemporary, communal and clean.	Na
134	Open space	More eatery's and nicer building materials	Better design for outdoor eating	Open, welcoming,green visual barrier to military road	No
135	I like the areas that have open air dining/drinking but with partial covers from rain	Additional outdoor dining (with covers)	Continue to allow dogs in the outdoor dining areas	open and inviting	
136	choice of restaurants	There needs to be a way of protecting diners from the sound and view of traffic in Military Road	Noise from traffic.A barrier built to provide sound insulation.	inviting, stylish, calm space	Some architectural updating and improvements to shop fronts

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137	The variety of restaurants, outdoor dining, the "village" feel and a meeting spot for the community.	All one level, modernised exterior of the buildings, pot plants instead of gardens which attract rats, more covered dining, astroturf grass for kids to play on, keep/add fairy lights for ambience.	Rats, overgrown gardens, old paint/signage	Modern, ambient, clean	Maintain dog and child friendly
138	Community atmosphere with well loved restaurants and cafes. A meeting place for friends and families. Neighbours greeting each other and their dogs	More seating for existing restaurants, extend the zoning for such restaurants. Garden improvements to include native trees and bushes. Community herb/veggie garden with connecting. Dog run here.	Rats, gardening and general maintenance of the area	Warm, welcoming, clean	The space does not warrant kids play equipment
139	One or two of the restaurants / cafes and the attempt at greenery. Not much else as it is an eye sore in relation to age and design.	Redesign it and update the look of it as it is so outdated right now.	Can you make it for restaurants only? It would be great to get a bustling restaurant / cafe scene going here as there's already some nice ones. Limit the non-restaurant / cafes to upstairs. Lots of greenery and no room for kids to play (hazard at the mo).	Modern. Green. Bustling.	Lots of seating for those waiting for food / coffees. Stop the parents and kids using it as a playground as it's a hazard right now.
140	Choice of restaurants, outdoor seating options	Provision of additional seating that is not attached to any of the restaurants. Additional shade trees	Standardisation of outdoor seating covers by the restaurant owners	green, safe, community feel	
141	Restaurants	I want to all same of outdoor shed or undercover or umbrella in all of restaurant outdoor dinning. It will be very helpful to all of visitors and owners.	Good quality	Comfortable	Please make good outdoor eating system
142	The area itself is a great community advantage	It desperately needs to be cleaned up. The two white domed plastic areas are an eyesore. It is sad the the losers or land lords of the various restaurants don't make their shopfronts more attractive. The	Remove the white domed plastic tents.	Inviting, comfortable and communal	So pleased to have this area, but really needs an upgrade
143	The Plaza is the hub of our local community. It has utility for all ages, with a diverse range of food and beverage options. Therefore, it is busy more often than not. It is our Village Green. Despite the proximity to a major arterial.	Increase greenery. Engage the upper storeys of the adjacent buildings, as this would further enhance the community feel. Grow significant screening at the southern end to mitigate pollution (noise, air) and wind tunnel.	Blocking out Military Road. Increasing green cover. Maximise accessibility. Further enable its use as a community hub.	Heart of Cremorne.	

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1	Nothing. It's a bit of a wasted space.	Usable space. The planters are messy and add nothing to the amenity. It is not an inviting space.	It's currently a dark and unusable space. Open up the space for seating or outdoor cafe. Paving is old and unattractive.	Light. Open. Welcoming.	It's a prime spot for cafes although there is only one cafe that can currently access it. Some nice seating might make it somewhat of a waypoint between destinations.
2	Link between Parraween st and Military Rd	Some form of noise filter at Military Rd end.			
3	Nothing	Refresh, landscaping, brighter shop fronts,	Wind tunnel stopped, it just looks dirty and uninviting	Modern, green, family	
4	There isnt anything specific that I like apart from Siborg cafe	Make a child friendly area so parents and grandparents like me can relax and enjoy a coffee while children have their own space.	Siborg cafe not spilling table and chairs across the walkway steps	Umbrellas, flower beds and some grass cordoned off to the main roads	No
5	Sonora cafe seats outside	Block military road and southerly winds	Wind tunnel	Modern, protected, peaceful	Currently this area is not conducive to enjoyment. There is limited ability to enjoy the winter sun due to overshadowing and terracing near Parraween st. It needs to be flatter at the sunny end with more protection from
6	It's a meeting place and a focal point for the local community in an area where there are very few such spaces.	Something to alleviate the wind tunnel effect between military road and partaken street. Something to shield some of the military road traffic noise	See above - wind and traffic noise.	Open, inviting, clean	It's critical the local coffee shop (Siborg) not lose its outdoor dining area - in fact, making more space available to it would be ideal.
7	Outside seating at coffee shop	More level surfaces. Disabled ramps not steps. Use natural stone not ceramic tiles as they get smashed up.	More level usable space. A tree or two.		
8	Open space and outdoor eating	Level it out.	Accessibility	Treed, level, flowers	Watch out with planters. Don't want to encourage rats like Cremorne Plaza
9	Very little, an eye sore.	One level, removal of trees,	Removal of cracked & broken paving.	Welcoming, clean, fresh	Needs a complete makeup, does not make a good impression to visitors.
10	Accessibility	More trees and more public sitting areas (maybe to have food and wine separate to the restaurants)	More plants	Inviting community space	
11	Nothing. There is only space	A greater selection of small restaurants/ hole in the wall bars are desperately needed.	Lack of night life / less outdated cafes. Appeal to a younger demographic	Trendy, fun, fulfilling	The space lacks character. The one cafe is but a pit stop between roads.
12	It has a few eateries and a cafe.	open up more spaces.		Bright, modern and spacious	
13	The outdoor access for the cafe	Greenery and design	Less of a thoroughfare look and more of a community place.	Pleasing, integrated, Light	
14	Trees, outdoor cafe seating	Fix paving and add some seats so people don't need to sit on the raised garden beds. Plants in garden beds could be refreshed	Uneven paving	Relaxed, inviting, peaceful	
15	A convenient cut through.	Creation of more of a 'laneway' space with colour plus screening of noise and view of Military Road.	Screening and sunshine. The arcade in the west side is overshadowed and dank.	Lively laneway.	Thank you for the opportunity to comment.
16	it has a good coffee shop	Very, very tired and dirty - the paving is bright and the steps are chipped	the paving redone and the ivy tidied and cleaned up	Clean, tidy and welcoming	

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17	There is nothing. I like about Langley Place, as it is now.	The existing trees with their constant dumping of bark and branches make it difficult to enjoy. There is no flow from the darks spaces to each side. The stepping and paving is inconsistent	The key issues I'd like to see solved are the limited amenity and the overall unappealing state of the space.	Pleasant, green and uncluttered.	None.
18	Is a good shortcut to military rd. From paraween	More lighting/natural light options. It is a bit dark and gloomy.	Lighting, maybe some flat zones for the coffee/restaurants to have level benches.	Light, spacious, eye catching features(tree, water feature)	
19	Nothing	Wind break from Military Rd, remove loud airconditioning exhaust from directly onto Langley place.	It is a wind tunnel, very little sun during day and particularly little in winter	windbreak off mainroad.	
20	Nothing really	It's dark and there isn't really much to it. I thought it was just a passage way	Make it into something that is welcoming and useful considering the cremorne early childhood centre is across the road	Family, fun, safe	
21	Dumpling restaurant (best in Sydney!), liquor store nearby for BYO		Facade of building looking very old	Fresh, bright, green	
22	Sunny, Cafe	More seating, new seats, pavers upgraded	Seating, possible scrofrom Military Rd	Bright Inviting Busy	Comfortable seating a must, Banning of smoking
23	It is a public lane	More sun, removal of brick light towers, relocation of steps and ramp to allow better use for outdoor dining	Location of steps and ramp, awnings deprive area of sunlight	Open, bright and sunny	Need to provide incentive for business owners to open onto the plaza and activate the plaza
24	Some outdoor dining. Some places to sit.	It's too dark. It's not used as a community space. It's not inviting. It needs plantings, lighter tiles, access for less mobile people, seating.	It's not inviting at all. It's not really used by the community. It is used more as a thoroughfare. There's no real access except through outdoor dining from Parraween Street. When I had a broken foot it was really difficult to access	Lighter. Accessible. Modern	This is such an under-utilised area. If done well it could reinvigorate the shops etc there.
25	Great cafe	Replace broken tiles. Clean the tiles. Screening at Military Rd end to cut noise and wind tunnel effect. Plantings on the screens	Replace all broken tiles bricks and steps. Dangerous at the moment.	Clean, safe, inviting	The noise from the MRI machine at the radiology practice is pretty awful when it is in use. I am very surprised it was ever approved. It affects patrons at the cafe
26	The mature tree on the Parraween St side provides nice grounding of the plaza. On the Military Road side, the existing trees shelter some of the noise and visual impact of Military Rd. Lastly, the outdoor dining gives it life during the day.	There is too much pavement, especially on the less used eastern side. Adding more planting or grass to the less used east side of the plaza would help. New pavers to match the newer style. Improved night lighting.	Drainage problems exist on the footpath outside the closed pizza shop in 2 Langley Ave.	Green, peaceful, welcoming to people during the day. He	Air Conditioning units installed in the awning of 2 Macpherson, facing Langley Place, are quite loud on a hot day and take away from enjoyment of the plaza. I'd also add that outdoor dining at night would be disruptive to the residents above.
27	Nothing, it is not a nice area	Increasing light; reducing wind; increase of non-light-blocking vegetation	Increase in Natural light	Inviting; lush; temperate	
28	Coffee shop	The group of small trees is great but the large tree creates an awful mess that is never cleaned up. Can it be replaced with another large tree that provides good shade but does not drop so much bark. We need general seating not just edges of the garden.	Regular maintenance so that gardens are weeded, bark and branches cleaned up. Empty shop is leased to attract more people to the area.	Green. Inviting. Contemporary	Delighted that our local community will be improved. It has been rather sad to see such neglected spaces

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29	It is nicely shared and the major section is set well back from Military Rd	It needs a modernization with new paving and garden beds. More public seating as well	It is a bit grimy and basically needs a modernization	Vibrant. Peaceful. Well shaded	
30	Good corridor between military rd and laneway to GERARD ST	Some soundproofing to Military Rd, some public seats...there are none. More space, less concrete/ tiled barriers within the area and less steps	Seating	Open ,comfortable friendly	
31	Shaded, quiet from Military Rd noise	Upgrade to landscaping including more plants and more eating areas.	Pavement	Natural, Contemporary, Clean	
32	Open community area	Complete renovation, modern, uncluttered, inviting	Cover, to preclude plastic!		
33	It's a convenient shortcut to military road	Some seats, nice trees and more plants	There are steps when entering from paraween st. They are very awkward	Bright, open, relaxed	
34	Not much. It's the main place women from the early childhood centre go so if it was more suited to babies and prams that would be good. Needs shade. Needs greenery. Lights. Art	It's a weird thoroughfare. It's not clear where the path is and where the cafe seating is	Open it up, make it brighter and lighter. Make the path clear and the cafe area clear.	Family friendly, cafe culture	It's a dead space. Half the issue is the mix in business. Cafes need to be together. Health and beauty businesses separate
35	It's an area of respite away from the busy military road, and yet so centrally accessible	Bars and restaurants with strong focus on alfresco dining	More inviting presentation and more dedicated seating.	Light, airy, vibrant	Focus on making it a mini arcade with boutique shops and alfresco gastronomic dining
36	That it is pedestrianised	Steps are broken. More garden beds and public seating	Steps are broken	Welcoming. Safe. Green	
37	A quieter area off Military Road	More street dining options and more shade	More shrubs and trees to provide shade and shield traffic noise from Military Road	Shaded, quiet, haven	
38	Pedestrian crossing and pedestrian free zone	The pedestrian crossings can be improved for access. Modernise the drainage and update the pedestrian areas with better lighting. Outdoor spaces are available for business	Pedestrian crossings on Gerard Street is dangerous and discou	Safe clean friendly	Langley Avenue access across Gerard Street is dangerous
39	Only Siborg Cafe and the large tree. The rest of the area is dismal and a waste of space.	(1) A green or waterfall wall along Military Rd side. (2) If the undercover area on the eastern side is a public area it could in part be used for community activities such as boules			
40	The present restaurant is a convenient and popular meeting place for locals	This is a very neglected soulless plaza it could do with some " greening in the form of screens walls pits and his sadly beglected	All of Thea I've also steps are irregular and dangerous for an older population	Inviting user friendly	
41	Convenient shortcut between Paraween and Military Rd, cyborg cafe, planting	Removal of exhaust air vents, activation of blank facades, extend outdoor dining	continuous noise from ground level air exhaust/ventilation fans and screens on east side; confusion of levels ramps and steps: blank facade to pathology centre	Noisy, confused, unwelcoming	

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42	Nothing, it is ugly, hard to navigate and generally pedestrian unfriendly. There could be a great space for dining if planned properly.	Make the steps easier to navigate and open up the middle, it is currently two footpaths basically. It looks ugly and unfriendly; it could be lovely. The paving is horrible too, makes it look very dated. Currently, it just looks unloved.	Make it pedestrian friendly, open up the centre, add nice greenery and trees for shade, space for a cafe. You could replicate Cremorne Plaza to make it look very special. Both open spaces are close to the cinema and could be booming if done properly.	Open, welcoming, buzzy	This is such a neglected space, it could be done so well. Why not replicate Cremorne Plaza there to create continuity to the area. The cinema brings people in, good spaces and food options will make them stay. Make evening parking more time friendly to
43	Not much	Cleaner & brighter and fresher	Make it lighter, the area under the trees is always messy and like a jungle, create a proper flower bed, re pave with light colours, get rid of the walls that the skateboarder's use so there is no way skateboarders can use the space add lights,	Clean bright modern & inviting	Provide a feedback form designed for mobile, this form is impossible to fill in on mobile
44	Trees between the buildings to keep privacy space	The stairs can be replaced to the slope. The slope area is used by cafe during daytime.	Visible the street name. Langley Place/Avenue sometimes cannot be found by delivery people	Relax and green	
45	Good access through to military road.	Needs seating and to be more open.	Different levels and unnecessarily large raised garden beds.	Open, light, safe	It's very dark and drab.opposite the baby health centre it could be a lively meeting place.
46	Nothing, it's a dead space.	Hawker style mini lane. Festoon lighting, liquor license, remove the trees to have seating down the middle.	New tenants on ground floor of the area to make it more lively and a place to go.	Hawker style lane.	
47	It's quiet off military rd	Update and provide more retail / hospitality	Encourage dining and hospitality	Modern, green, cool	
48	Open space for community use	Essential design feature is an effective sound barrier wall to shield the plaza from Military Rd. This should also act as a barrier to prevent young children running in this direction. This will enable parents to relax.	Cleverer and more user friendly way of addressing the paving elevation difference	Clean, quiet and green	It would be nice to have some children's play items
49	Nothing, it was better in the 1980s and 1990s.	More grass, greenery, garden beds	Leaves and rubbish to be cleaned up regularly	Inviting, well lit, free from obstructions	It should be level, not have steps as it does now. Previously it was level, there were no steps.
50	Easy to park/access. Coffee shop.	Relocate the carpark exhaust that discharges onto the cafe area. Clean up and maintain the paving/vegetation or have trees that don't drop so many leaves. It would be nice to see a business that was open instead of closed shopfronts.	Maintenance	Relaxing inviting clean	In winter it is a lovely spot to sit in the northern sun. It would be a shame to lose that.
51	There's very little to like except about the current Langley Place – Siborg cafe is the single drawcard	Open tree canopy to the sky; Replace trees with palms and flowering pot plants to let in sunlight. Tall green wall to cut view of Military Rd traffic; Night lighting to create an inviting space; Tables with bench seating for take-aways; A bottle fountain	Convert a dingy space into a light airy area; Make it easier to walk through the plaza	Tropical; welcoming; light-filled	Definitely install overhead lighting; NO playground area as this is planned for the Council car park opposite – children create a lot of noise which would impact on the peaceful enjoyment of those residents who live above the plaza

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52	beautiful gum stand at northern end and ground cover there. wide space at sunny northern end	native plantings throughout and as ground cover under gum stand with pathing through it. Watering for plantings in overhang areas. Public seating in northern area. Wind and noise break from Military Rd	Ugly scraggly dead plantings, space to enjoy not just walk through of for the cafe tables.	safe, open, native	please include the footpath plantings along this stretch of Parraween street. They are now dirt spaces and ugly attracting rubbish.
53	Not much.	Needs brightening up. More sun if possible. Light.			
54	Open space in an otherwise highly built up area. Provides ready thoroughfare.	Enhance visual appeal for space. Improve lighting. Ensure user safety.	Lighting and visual appeal.	Light, open and green.	
55	It is a mixed use precinct with a lovely cafe	Unnecessary wasted space with raised, grassy hedge like plots - can use chairs or open up the space more	But more colour. Very drab. Also too many unnecessary wasted space with ugly shrubbery	Open, colour and functional	
56	Yes and no	Yes	Cleanliness, lots of cracks	More plants please	
57	Siborg coffee shop.	Green wall on Military Rd side. Comfortable seating. Create an Italian style piazza feel. Modern, trendy lighting. NO CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND. Replace trees and scrubby plantings with lush tropical palms, tropical plantings and big planter pots. Make level	It's a dark, dingy walk through area that's not inviting.	Inviting, attractive, piazza.	Lets Parraween St down, needs a total rethink and overhaul to make it more attractive and user friendly.
58	Very little. The only reason to go there is the cafe	Outdoor seating apart from the cafe; make it a meeting place for local	It feels dark and damp	Light, warm, inviting	The paving feels unsafe. The gardens looks neglected
59	Nothing	Remove pay phone and garden, exercise machines?	Waste of space. Lots of apartments so keep developments to minimal noise	Modern, clean, productive	
60	Its convenience to Military Rd and Cremorne Shopping Centre.				
61	Trees and the shade and habitat they provide, particularly the large eucalypt. I also think the layout/design works with direct access through the Place for pedestrians and other areas for sitting. I visit Siborg cafe and use the outdoor seating area	Fix / replace the broken tiles	Is lighting at night time an issue?	Shaded, green, safe	I strongly prefer the use of local provenance native species however deciduous non native spp may be appropriate allowing winter sun
62	Very little	New tiling is required . All the steps on Parraween side are a problem.. Deciduous trees that only droop once a year. I love gum trees but when nobody cleans up the leaves it is very untidy	Tiling and various levels on Parraween st end	Inviting, comfortable, communal	Have never found this area very inviting !
63	Very little. It's existence is a good thing, as it connects Military Road with Parraween Street but in its present form it is unattractive and therefore is hardly used. A wasted opportunity.	It's a dark wind tunnel bounded by two tall, ordinary buildings and a major arterial road intersection. Grow significant screening at the southern end to mitigate pollution (noise, air) and the wind tunnel. Maximise light and increase greenery.	Its reason for being. It has very little to attract human engagement. Businesses struggle because of this - a vicious circle. Build/grow out the south and develop to the north. Grass may even be possible - that would be a luxurious attraction.	Light, relaxing, desirable.	LP is an unloved orphan. It needs nurturing, love & some self belief. We MUST get it right this time. Plus the neighbours need to help - the massively noisy aircon unit of the building to the east also discourages people. A solution is needed.

## Stage 2 Public Exhibition and Consultation Summary - Proposed upgrades for Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place

This attachment provides a summary of all activities undertaken during the Public Exhibition and Consultation - Stage 2 for the Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place upgrades engagement, including detailed survey, freestyle submissions, and workshops aimed at understanding community expectations in regards the two concept options exhibited for each site. Additionally, this attachment summarises the feedback received.

### 1. Online Feedback Form

The online feedback form, hosted on North Sydney Council's Your Say site, provided the public with two design options for each area, asking them to select their preferred option as well as short free form feedback as to the designs, together with any other general feedback. The results are collated and summarised below. Analysis was conducted in-house.

#### 1.1 About the Respondents

The following table summarises the respondents' relationship to the Cremorne. The majority of feedback received was from participants who live in the Cremorne area (94%). 59 respondents own a property, and nine work in the Cremorne area.

Interaction with the area	No.
I live in the Cremorne area	76
I live in the Cremorne area; I own a property in Cremorne	51
I live in the Cremorne area, I own/operate a business in Cremorne, I own a property in Cremorne	2
I live in the Cremorne area; I work in Cremorne	1
I live in the Cremorne area, I work in Cremorne, I own a property in Cremorne	6
I live in the Cremorne area, I work in Cremorne, I own/operate a business in Cremorne	1
I work in Cremorne	1
I own/operate a business in Cremorne	1
I own a property in Cremorne	3
I study in Cremorne	0
I visit Cremorne (visitor)	3
<b>Total responses</b>	<b>145</b>

*Table 1 – Summary of respondents' relationship to Cremorne*

#### 1.2 Cremorne Plaza - Preferred Option

Do you have a preferred concept design option for the Cremorne Plaza upgrade works?



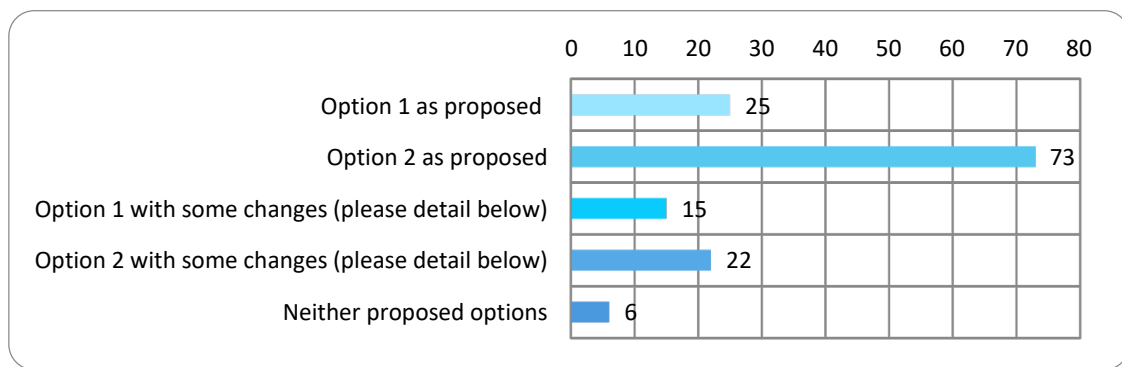


Figure 1 – Cremorne Plaza – preferred option responses summary.

The online survey allowed respondents the opportunity to select:

- Option 1 as proposed.
- Option 1 with some changes.
- Option 2 as proposed.
- Option 2 with some changes; or
- Neither of the proposed options

Three Respondents selected multiple options, however 48% of respondents selected “Option 2 as proposed”, showing a clear preference in the community. “Option 2 with some changes” was also selected more than “Option 1 with some changes”. 4% of respondents (six people) did not like either proposed option, or 6% (nine people) did not select a preferred option.

### 1.3 Cremorne Plaza - Further Feedback on Option 1

When asked for further feedback on Option 1, many of the respondents were in favour of ensuring that the area encourages outdoor dining and is accessible. Some respondents were concerned about raised garden beds encroaching on Fratelli Fresh's outdoor space.

There were mixed opinions on the water feature, with some disliking it due to potential challenges for parents, while others wanted its extension, and/or sought clarity on sustainability. Suggestions for alternatives included a "bush-type passive play area" or sensory garden.

The choice of trees was also another element of the design to which respondents provided further feedback. There was feedback that the current trees should be retained, but multiple respondents requested that native trees/bush be used instead of palm trees. Another responded added that Council needs to ensure that the maintenance is manageable, citing the corner of Brightmore Street and Bennelong Road where plants are not being looked after adequately, and as a result, dying.

The pergola was another element of Option 1 to which respondents provided further feedback, asking that it be weatherproof, and that lights be added to “make it fun at night”.

#### 1.4 Cremorne Plaza - Further Feedback on Option 2

Similar additional feedback was received for Option 2 as for Option 1. Two respondents brought up the pedestrian walkway, suggesting that it go through the middle of the plaza.

The water feature was contentious in Option 2, with five respondents stating that they didn't want a water play area. However, many appreciated the open space nature of the design, with suggestions of incorporating astroturf and another children's play area (such as a "fairy forest or mini racetrack"), and/or children's play equipment in the design. Additional seating for Option 2 was requested by three respondents.

The choice of trees in Option 2 was also an element that received plenty of feedback. Many respondents commented that they do not want palm trees but would prefer native trees instead. Some respondents suggested bougainvillea, similar to the one already on the site. One respondent suggested placing "a series of angled high growing plant walls along Military Road end to break the southerly wind."

The trellis was another feature of Option 2 which was liked by respondents commented. Two people called for it to be larger while another requested that it be designed so that children cannot climb it.

Paving feedback include the request for more grit in the paving along Military Road to ensure it doesn't become slippery when wet. Another respondent suggested feature pavers rather than plain pavers, while another stated it should blend in with the design of Parraween Street and Paling Street.

Three respondents stated that more shelter was needed, and one suggested that the restaurant awnings be consistent with those on Willoughby Road, Crows Nest.

#### 1.5 Cremorne Plaza - Neither Option – further detail suggestions/feedback

Of the six respondents who selected neither proposed option, the suggestions/feedback varied. Three respondents wanted the plaza left as is, with one stating that it was upgraded a few years ago, and another saying it was a "waste of money."

Other feedback for this option included:

- the design failed in its "execution of genuine/authentic art deco character;"
- the design lacked a "sense of innovation and place;"
- screening from Military Road would reduce visibility and close in the space.
- lighting colours should match those used at the Orpheum.
- Concerns over what is public space and private business area.
- "Too complicated and seems to be striving to achieve too much in a small space."

1.6 Cremorne Plaza - Additional comments about your preferred option

The online submission form also sought additional comments on the options. These were reviewed by Council staff and added to the amended design.

For detailed feedback refer separate attachment called Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place - Feedback form Consultation Submissions summary.

1.7 Langley Place – preferred option

Do you have a preferred concept design option for the Langley Place upgrade works?

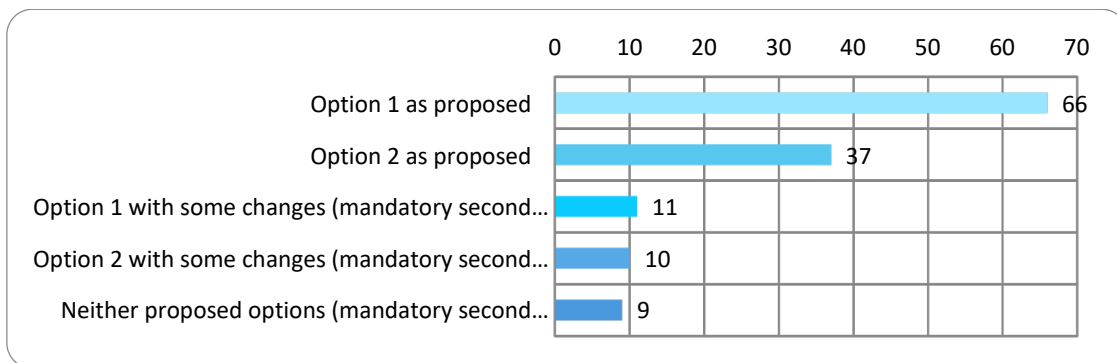


Figure 2 – Langley Place – preferred option responses summary.

The online survey allowed respondents the opportunity to select:

- Option 1 as proposed.
- Option 1 with some changes.
- Option 2 as proposed.
- Option 2 with some changes; or
- Neither of the proposed options

Two selected multiple options but with 44% of respondents selecting “Option 1 as proposed” there is a clear preference in the community. Both options “with some changes” were selected the same number of times.

6% of respondents (nine people) did not like either proposed option, or 12% (19) who did not select a preferred option.

1.8 Langley Place - Further Feedback on Option 1

Ten respondents provided further feedback on Option 1 in the online survey. The lighting of the lane was the most mentioned, with five respondents providing feedback. It was suggested that fairy lights or festoon lights be incorporated into the design. While one respondent did not like the coloured lighting, another suggested using the same neon light colours as the Orpheum.

The need for natural light was also pointed out, with one responded asking that the design try to incorporate more, while another advised that sitting in the sun was their main use of the lane.

Screening from Military Road was mentioned by one respondent, and the screening of the building air conditioning units, either by fencing or bushes, was raised by two people.

From the ten responses there was also a desire to maintain the art deco style and to retain the trees that are already there. Some other suggestions included:

- artwork.
- fewer stairs.
- Council activation to attract people or businesses to the area.
- sustainability practices for the site and works.
- incorporating the rocky wall from Option 2 into Option 1.
- more seating.
- removing the railing.
- repaint and retain the current planters; and
- patterning and colouring the paving.

#### 1.9 Langley Place - Further Feedback on Option 2

Nine respondents provided further feedback and suggestions for Option 2.

One common piece of feedback was to remove the steps in the design. This was due to the desire to deter skateboarders, but also to make the fire exit near Siborg Café safer.

The installation of a barrier or trellis at Military Road was also a common suggestion, to make the space safer, stop the lane becoming a wind tunnel, and to reduce noise from the road.

One of the existing businesses in the lane was concerned about the seating arrangement impacting on their entrance, and the use of coloured lighting at night impacting on their ability to work, as they are designers and require a “natural and neutral light colour.”

Other suggestions included:

- more shelter from the weather.
- more trees.
- more grit in the paving to prevent it being slippery when wet.
- having pots to match those in Cremorne Plaza, for continuity.
- changing the shape of the bike racks so they don't get used as trolley bays.

#### 1.10 Langley Place - Neither Option – detail suggestions/feedback

Two of the nine respondents weren't interested in the location, while another three saw the project as being a waste of money as the site doesn't have potential and/or was updated a

few years ago and so is “fine.” Another respondent thought the designs were impractical with no direct walkway, while another couldn’t see much difference between the two options.

Other suggestions/feedback included:

- stepping stones create a trip hazard.
- removal of the Telstra phone box.
- removal of the bike racks.
- replacement of the “clump of trees at the Military Rd end”.

#### 1.11 Langley Place - Additional comments about your preferred option

The online submission form also sought additional comments on the Options. These were reviewed by Council staff and added to the amended design.

For detailed feedback refer separate attachment called Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place - Feedback form Consultation Submissions summary.

## 2. Design Workshop Session

Consultants and Council staff held a workshop session at the Council Chambers on 22 March 2023, with 16 pre-registered attendees including 13 residents and three business owners. The highlights and background of the concept design was presented to the attendees, and a group activity among randomly formed groups was undertaken to collect general feedback. The feedback collected is summarised in the tables below:

### 2.1 Cremorne Plaza

The table below summarises the feedback received during the Design Workshop for Cremorne Plaza.

Topic	Comments and feedback
Preferred option	Option 2 preferred with amendments including the removal of the water feature. Option B with the trellis preferred
Screening	Improve trellis wall effectiveness to provide wind protection and noise mitigation. Include vegetation to have a green wall appearance. Suggestion to light up trellis on both sides
Landscaping	Avoid the use of astro turf. Include native trees rather than palm trees. Increase greenery and garden beds, with native species, to soften the space. Use garden beds to define outdoor dining areas – to reduce hard surfaces, soften the plaza design.
Outdoor dining	Emphasise and expand the outdoor dining area, as it attracts people to the plaza. Concerns about the existing dining umbrellas and their uniformity Potential funding through a levy Define the outdoor dining areas
Maintenance and cleaning	Concerns about Council’s capacity to maintain the proposed changes

Seating Diversity and Comfort	Include benches with trellis structures overhead for a combination of seating and aesthetic appeal. Prioritise casual seating options to create a relaxed and inviting atmosphere
Lighting and Aesthetics	Integrate night lighting elements for both functionality and ambiance during evening hours
Design and Theme	Maintain the Art Deco theme as a consistent design element for a cohesive and distinctive look. Retain and increase the provision of weather-protected areas to enhance usability in various weather conditions. Emphasise the circular symmetry from Option 2 for visual balance. Reuse, recycle, and reincorporate existing elements to the design of the new plaza, or relocate in other areas of Cremorne. Collection of rainwater on site for maintenance and/or a future water feature

Table 2 - Summary of Feedback from Design Workshop session Cremorne Plaza

## 2.2 Langley Place

The table below summarises the feedback received during the Design Workshop for Langley Place.

Topic	Comments and feedback
Preferred option	Option 1 preferred as the base design, with requests to incorporate elements of Option 2 - specifically the access steps and arrangement at Parraween Street
Screening	Introduce a visual barrier along Military Road such as a fence or planting bed, to enhance aesthetics, and possibly mitigate noise or visual disturbances. Include a trellis wall similar to the one proposed in Cremorne Plaza to provide wind protection and noise mitigation. Install trellis structures along existing businesses
Landscaping	Enhance the greenery by increasing landscaping elements to promote a more natural and visually appealing atmosphere. Minimise paved areas to strike a better balance with green spaces
Outdoor dining	Eliminate trellises around existing dining areas, to open up the space and provide a more open-air dining experience. Introduce weather-proof pergolas to offer shelter during adverse weather conditions, ensuring usability year-round
Seating Diversity and Comfort	Support for the "funky" seating proposed for Option 1
Lighting and Aesthetics	Improve overall lighting for night-time use, ensuring safety, and contributing to a vibrant and welcoming atmosphere after dark. Upgrade under canopy lighting to enhance visibility and create a more aesthetically pleasing ambiance. Advise against using colour-changing or colourful lights. Highlight the concern that coloured lights may affect nearby businesses during nighttime hours
Drainage	Emphasise the need for attention to drainage issues, particularly the risk of flooding at the southern end and the middle of the plaza.
Design and Theme	Eliminate the Telstra phone booth for a cleaner, more streamlined appearance.

Topic	Comments and feedback
	<p>Mixed feedback re the landscaping under the existing trees. Some supported the inclusion of decking or stepping stones in this space, while others requested the removal of these features and the installation of greenery.</p> <p>Consider the needs of people using the area with animals.</p> <p>Include Corten steel planters, and a drinking fountain.</p> <p>Express a preference for curved and winding paths to break away from straight lines, and to add visual interest</p>
General	<p>Make the area a no-smoking zone for improved public health and comfort.</p> <p>Check air conditioning compliance for existing businesses to ensure adherence to regulations and standards</p>

Table 3 - Summary of Feedback from Design Workshop session Langley Place

### 3. Direct mail feedback

Free-form feedback submissions were received via email. The summary of the feedback received in the table below:

Submitter	Summary
Submitter Name withheld	<p>The current state of Cremorne Plaza, once a short street on the north side of Military Road, raises concerns regarding its use, amenities, and proposed refurbishment. Key points highlighted in the submission include:</p> <p>Existing Layout Issues: The Plaza is divided with a diagonal walkway, reducing usable public space. Some leased areas hinder public access, and enclosed spaces limit all-weather use. Lack of sheltered seating areas for various weather conditions.</p> <p>Proposed options feedback: Neither proposed option adequately addresses existing shortcomings. Design objectives focused on summer use and ignored year-round Plaza usage. Ineffectiveness of the proposed green barrier against pollution and cold winds. Insufficient consideration for the leeward side of a major road and local demographics.</p> <p>Local Demographics and Aging Population: The Plaza serves a local demographic, and its refurbishment should align with the aging population. Anticipated increase in the median age due to proposed seniors' living developments. Design recommendations include a level, non-slip environment with ample seating suitable for various weather conditions. Limited open space in nearby residential buildings emphasizes the value of Cremorne Plaza as an attractive public space.</p> <p>Recommended design considerations: Emphasizes a beautifully landscaped, casual meeting space protected from street noise and pollution. Advocates for well-lit areas after dark for pedestrian safety. Suggests declaring non-leased areas as Alcohol Prohibited Areas to deter late-night drinking.</p> <p>This submission calls for a reconsideration of landscape design options, with diverse concerns raised regarding accessibility, demographic shifts, safety, and the unique value Cremorne Plaza could offer to the local community.</p>

Parks Precinct Meeting 15/02/2023 19 attendees	During the Parks Precinct Meeting it was considered that Council was seeking feedback for the Upgrade plans for Cremorne Plaza and Langley Place. Highlighting that Submissions were to be received until Monday 3, April 2023.
Willoughby Bay Precinct Meeting 09/02/2023 18 attendees	During the Willoughby Bay Precinct Meeting – precinct members supported the idea of a presentations by the designers/community workshops. Precinct representatives were invited to be involved in the design workshop and the site walkthrough.
Willoughby Bay Precinct Meeting 09/03/2023 14 attendees	<p><i>The following motions were carried and voted (unanimously) as part of the meeting and received as feedback:</i></p> <p><i>Langley Place Motion: THAT the Precinct fully supports Langley Place Upgrade - Option 2 at the Siborg (Parraween Street) end and Option 1 at the Military Road end.</i></p> <p><i>Motion 2: 1. THAT the Precinct has a slight preference with the Cremorne Plaza Upgrade for Option 2.</i>  <i>2. THAT Precinct is concerned that the temporary shade structures with wind/rain blinds (“tents”) erected by business lessees will seriously detract from the proposed upgrade and urges Council to approach the relevant businesses to seek a contribution towards replacing the tents with permanent structures designed to complement the upgrade.</i></p> <p><i>Motion 3: THAT Precinct thanks Council for the excellent community engagement on this project.</i></p>
Brightmore Precinct Meeting 08/03/2023 20 attendees	<p><i>Design concepts are now up on the North Sydney website with feedback on the two options being sought before 3 April.</i></p> <p><i>An on-site drop-in information session was held earlier this week, with a Design Workshop to be held on 22 March between (4pm and 6pm) and another drop-in information session to be held on-site on 27 March between (4pm and 6pm).</i></p>
Cremorne Streetscape Committee 14/03/2023 6 attendees	<p><i>During the Cremorne Streetscape committee meeting held on March 14, 2023, attendees expressed their support for the upgrade works, additionally 2 attendees provided the following feedback.</i></p> <p><b><i>Cremorne Plaza:</i></b> <i>Option 2 (Option B for the trellis) preferred, with a focus on the importance of low maintenance, comfortable seating, addressing potential issues with water fountains, and incorporating features such as an event space and a rotating artist section. Attendees also provided suggestions for improving lighting in Option 2, expressing a preference for more ambient light, and directed illumination from the tops of poles towards the ground.</i></p> <p><b><i>Langley Place:</i></b> <i>Preference for Option 2 at the Parraween Street end, and Option 1 at Military Road end. Positive aspects highlighted included the preferred paving features over stepping stones, a desire for a green trellis with a green wall in community areas, and a preference for the paving designs in Option 1.</i></p>

Table 4 - Summary of Free form Submissions during Public exhibition



#### 4. Drop-in Information Session

Consultants and Council staff met community members in a casual environment. The summary of the feedback collected is included in the table below:

Site	Detail
Cremorne Plaza	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Positive response to Option 2 barstool furniture</li> <li>• Suggestion to optimize access through the middle to avoid disruptions to restaurant areas.</li> <li>• Concerns about designs being perceived as busy.</li> <li>• Consideration to reassess the fountain's placement to prevent children and pedestrians from getting wet accidentally.</li> <li>• Emphasis on the need for maintenance planning, including regular cleaning of plaza features.</li> <li>• General support for a green screen along Military Road</li> <li>• Request for noise mitigation along Military Road, with a preference for a green wall by some participants.</li> <li>• Desire for more imaginative play around the Fratelli Fresh restaurant</li> <li>• Recommendation to consider a table-top intersection for the Parraween Street crossing</li> </ul>
Langley Place	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Concerns about project being a waste of Council budget.</li> <li>• Request for a green wall on Military Road</li> <li>• Desire for a soundproof wall on Military Road but acknowledged costs challenges.</li> <li>• Positive support for Option 2's access to Parraween Street</li> <li>• Suggestion to maintain consistency in furniture and streetscape style with Cremorne Plaza</li> </ul>

*Table 5 - Summary of Feedback from Drop-in information sessions*

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1	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
2											Please re bitumen Langley Ave north of Langley Place as it has pot holes and patches everywhere and make Langley Ave a shared car and pedestrian place to reduce car speed in Langley Ave
3	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					As much shade as possible please.
4	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
5	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
6	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Some grassed area or more grassed area in the centre			Option 1 as proposed				I prefer option 1 with less steps	
7	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
8	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Suggest option 2 incorporating boganvillias and wide garden bed			Option 2 as proposed					Suggest that a fountain is incorporated or historical centrepieces similar to plaza opposite Mosman council.
9	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
10	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
11	Option 1 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
12	Option 2 as proposed				I hope businesses can utilise some of the space for open air dining.	Option 1 as proposed					After they are initially built observe how the space is being used and adapt it more. I.e. where are people sitting, children playing, people eating lunch etc
13	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Page 3 of the detailed plans for option 1 envisages a raised garden bed (at 8 and 5) on the western side of the plaza. It appears to encroach on the space currently used by fratellis outdoor tables. Fratelli's effectively 'makes' the atmosphere in Cremorne Plaza and is a friday night destination for many families in the area. If the upgrade were to remove ANY of their outdoor tables, it would render the plaza less attractive as a destination, not more. Garden bed at 8 and 5 should be scaled down. The design also fails to recognise how many people sit and wait for takeaway pizzas at present. I believe Garden bed 8 and 5 should be scaled down to smaller rounded seating (less intrusive, but allow for parents of young children and takeaway customers to sit and wait). The water play area is a great idea, but appears to be very small in relation to how many children are often playing in that space on early summer evenings. Consider increasing the size and scale and/or providing an additional small scale bush-type passive play area (I'd note that alot of kids end up playing in the current garden with herb plantings. They do alot of really cool imaginative play and it'd be great to see that continue).			Like the water play, the trellis, the additional central seating and the line of sight to the end of the plaza. Don't like the raise garden bed and seating at 8 and 5. Would be ideal to have better sound baffling to Military road. "Psychological barriers" don't overcome pure noise pollution when people are trying to speak (ie that is pure nonsense).	Option 1 as proposed				Facilitate the specialist bottle shop on the eastern side to have a small bar license. Fix it up. He's been in limbo for years.	
14	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
15	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Please do not put in a water play area. All Of the kids who love going to fangs and fratellis will always be running into the water and getting wet which will turn us all off from going there for dinner. It's such a fun place already a water play or fountain will really ruin it!				Option 2 as proposed					
16	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
17	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
18	Option 1 as proposed				I like the suggested bougainvillea in the drawings that would bring colour and life to the space. And I like that the design overall doesn't feel like another cookie-cutter space. Option 2 reminded me of World Square in Chinatown, or any number of other recent civil developments. Option 1 felt like something fresh though.	Option 2 as proposed				I think Option 2 flows better. From Paraveen St the steps up (vs. the single higher step in option 1) feel more inviting, and overall the space felt easier to traverse. I like the chosen inspiration and materials for these options as well.	Colourful plantings would be much appreciated please!
19	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
20	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					

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21					No water play area						More enclosures to protect kids from the busy roads
22	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
23	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
24	Option 2 as proposed				Trees needed or more sun protection with screens installed	Option 2 as proposed					
25	Option 1 as proposed				No water feature, please. Kids will get wet and cold	Option 1 as proposed					
26	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		The Plaza needs higher screening from Military Road There are 7 restaurants in the Plaza and all have outdoor seating which passing pedestrians walk through so it would be more sensible to have the passing pedestrians walk through the centre of the plaza rather than through the seating As the restaurants are very busy with many children milling around it would be safer to separate the seating from the pedestrians More shade covering would also be an advantage								
27	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					Shade and greenery prioritised, noise reduction from military road
28	Option 2 as proposed				Option 2 appears to have More shade	Option 1 as proposed			The entry way from Paraween is More open and likely to draw more people in to use the space. Less stairs make for easier access for prams, wheelchairs etc	Encourage outdoor dining, ensure as much greenery as possible between the cafes. Langley is particularly devoid of softening attributes and needs more plants	
29	Option 2 as proposed				Very important to have good shade, good landscaping and plenty of seating	Option 2 as proposed			Shade and landscaping important		
30	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
31	Option 2 as proposed				The amenity looks much improved and it looks as though there are more permanent areas for outside dining.	Option 1 as proposed			Either option would be an improvement on this dark uninviting space. Not sure if the wisdom in upgrading as it is very dark and noisy being so close to the Intersection.	Acoustic panels to dull noise from Military Road	
32	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
33	Neither proposed options			Leave as is							
34	Option 2 as proposed				I like that it seems to be a place you can meet at night- well lit and open. I hope adequate shade and seating options will be included for functional day use.	Option 1 as proposed			I'm not a user of Langley place. Only based off design choices.	Adequate shade and seating, bins and recycling to be included, a space for children to play.	
35	Option 2 as proposed				Soft lighting	Option 1 as proposed			Soft lighting	Self watering systems for the garden areas Regular maintenance of the gardens, including regular cleaning of bark etc from gum trees. Currently not cleaned much, as a result the area looks run down. BUT good for you with this beautification projects x 2 Thanks a lot to the team	
36	Neither proposed options			Cremorne Plaza is fine as it is -- it was 'upgraded' just a few years ago. Please do not waste ratepayer dollars on pointless projects which nobody asked for. I would prefer it if you save the money instead, or better still reduce the rates that we pay. In my street, Sutherland Street, the council recently wasted a couple of \$ million removing the roundabouts, installing a cycle lane that nobody wanted, and replanting the gardens which now block the sight-lines which just makes it dangerous for motorists. That end of Sutherland Street is now a hodgepodge of parked cars, the remaining traffic lanes are too narrow to safely drive along, and you cannot see intersecting traffic at the corners of Young St, Ben Boyde Rd and Park Ave. It was better and safer before.		Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			Langley Place is fine as it is -- it was 'upgraded' just a few years ago. Please do not waste ratepayer dollars on pointless projects which nobody asked for. I would prefer it if you save the money instead, or better still reduce the rates that we pay.	Reduce our rates and stop making pointless changes	
37	Option 2 as proposed				Better outdoor setting for restaurants with everyone having the same outdoor covers so it looks uniform. Both are great concepts and will improve the area and drive more people to eat and linger here	Option 2 as proposed			Both options look great, it will really improve this dead space and make it more useable	Keep improving them :)	
38	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
39	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
40	Option 2 as proposed				I prefer more trees and seating space	Option 1 as proposed			I prefer less stairs	Seating to relax and vegetation	

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41	Option 1 as proposed				We need to ensure that the restaurants etc in the plaza retain (even increase) their outside footprints so as to be able to place tables outside - tables that belong to each venue, can be configured for small/larger groups, can take bookings etc. While water features are great, they can lead to becoming dirty very quickly, blowing in the wind (the plaza is a funnel), etc.						Consideration should be given to unifying the facades of the abutting restaurants/shops in order to carry the design elements throughout.
42	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	No water features, needs to be all level and a clear thoroughfare. Its already annoying to try and weave through there with all the tables, raised platforms and screaming children.			Like the art deco concept and more lighting would be good	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			Another set up that is impractical. People want to be able to walk through these plazas in a straight line without having to weave between benches and cafe seating. Having stepping stones in the gardens are just asking for someone to fall and sue.	Better lighting is definitely needed and less slippery tiles.	Make them easy to walk through! Not everyone wants to sit around, some people use these plazas to cut through from Parraween to Military.
43	Option 1 as proposed				Have few steps and include trees	Option 1 as proposed					Shield the areas from traffic noise on military road
44	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
45	Option 2 as proposed				Prefer more shade & seating, less garden beds, more open space	Option 1 as proposed				Prefer less steps for people with prams	
46	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		There should be more coverage to protect users during inclement weather. See the design of the Lane cove Plaza.			Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		There should be more coverage to protect users during inclement weather. See the design of the Lane Cove Plaza.			Provide for use in adverse weather and ensure through the planning process that suitable tenants occupy the available shops.
47	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
48	Option 2 as proposed				While I like the option of the trellis screening Military Road in Option 1, I think that it potentially presents as a security risk at night when the restaurants are closed as it reduces visibility and it could impede through-way accessibility from/to Parraween St. Overall, Option 2 is attractive, green and provides much needed additional seating and shade. Like the art deco references too to link to the Orpheum's architecture. Support the proposal to retain (at a minimum) current outdoor dining areas for in-situ restaurants and cafes.	Option 1 as proposed				Option 1 provides greater accessibility.	Trees! More trees! We are losing canopy at an alarming rate across the council area due to development. Consider bee-attracting native plantings.
49	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		I like this option as it seems to offer more useable space and provides more of a tree canopy but I would prefer trees to palm trees		I feel it needs a sculpture to unify the design	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Add some art work on the walls as the area is very dead when the coffee shop is closed				Maybe there could be a competition between local urban designers to get their ideas and then select the best
50	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		I love the trellis (option B) at the Military end from option 1 that gives some visual and noise protection from Military road. I do also like the water play area from option 1 more, especially with the fun sculptures to go with it. Hard to integrate into the option 2 concept I know. Very great outcomes both of the options. Well done		I prefer the seating and shade options in Options 2						
51	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
52	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
53	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
54	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
55	Option 2 as proposed				Like the additional seating and shaded areas	Option 1 as proposed					

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56						Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			I walk through Langley Place almost every day. I am pleased that the brick towers are removed in both plans, and I like the attempt at night-time lighting in Option 2.  But would like to see (a) The removal of the Telstra phone box. Can Telstra tell us how often it has been used in the last 12 months? These days these phone boxes are a node for Testra Air, and there must be a more compact solution? (b) the removal of the 3 "bars" near the phone box. These simply act as a depository for abandoned IGA shopping trolleys (c) the replacement of the clump of trees at the Military Rd end. The overhang of the building canopies already gives a dark and dingy aspect and the tree canopy makes it worse. Can these be replaced with dense low/mid level planting which lets in light but screens the sight, sound and exhaust of vehicles on Military Rd? (d) a discussion with the owner of the building occupied by Castlereagh Imaging. The windows of the property are nothing more than advertising hoardings. Photos of "Old Cremorne" perhaps?		
57	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
58	Option 2 as proposed				Option 2 has more trees and appears to prioritise outdoor seating	Option 2 as proposed				Much more interesting	
59	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
60	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					add water fountains
61	Option 2 as proposed				Option 2 has better use of the space.	Option 1 as proposed				Option 1 has a cleaner look	
62	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
63	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Include dedicated area for playing activities for children (not a playground! Why not transform the natural elements in a sensory garden)				Option 2 as proposed					
64	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
65	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Reduce the plants and greenery to a level that council can maintain unlike current areas in Cremorne where plants are in place like corner Brightmore St and Benelong Rd where the plants after about 3 months of not being maintained are dying and look very bad.				Option 1 as proposed				Reduce the plants and greenery to a level that council can maintain unlike current areas in Cremorne where plants are in place like corner Brightmore St and Benelong Rd where the plants after about 3 months of not being maintained are dying and look very bad.	
66	Option 1 as proposed				Good areas for socialising. Allows through-flow of pedestrian traffic to shops on Military Road.	Option 1 as proposed				Better access for wheeled items (baby prams, strollers, etc) to open areas and for through-traffic of wheeled items.	
67	Option 2 as proposed				More shade	Option 1 as proposed				Better accessibility	Make sure there's enough seating formal and informal
68	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below), Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)	Personally I love water features but not interactive ones designed for kids to play in. They just encourage noisy children which disturbs the peace of everyone else using the shared area.	I dislike the striped pots. Water feature should not be for kids to play in. Artificial turf could be ugly		Love the idea of lots of trees and plants, green areas, places to sit, art deco design features. Nice festoon and fairy lights (not bright led strips) So long as it is a mostly peaceful shared space not one swarming with kids so adults can't also enjoy it. So often these places seem popular but the truth is non parents avoid them. That's what playgrounds are for and there's plenty of them around. You only have to look at the turf'd space at the military end of young street which could have been so much nicer and inclusive.						
69	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
70	Option 2 as proposed				More trees and greenery to encourage biodiversity would be good. Anything that could lower the noise of the cars from Military Road is welcomed	Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		More trees and greenery to encourage biodiversity would be good.			
71	Option 2 as proposed				I like the shade areas to sit	Option 2 as proposed					Plant small trees where ever possible
72	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
73	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	No no water feature! Stressful with young kids. Also thm they start slipping around with wet feet and slippery concrete. All parents hate these water features!!!				Option 1 as proposed					

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74	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		I prefer the seating and the layout in the option however the palm trees and central shaded sitting piece looks extremely similar to many beach cores. I think this area needs trees and large plants with lots of foliage similar to existing		I least like the tree suggestions and the central covered seating element. I think this can be better designed or become the water feature from option 1.	Option 2 as proposed					The more seating the better as well as grass or plants. almost to make it a small park to sit in an have coffee and food. I think this would add a lot of value to the area
75						Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		We are in Shop 3 in Langley Place. We are very concerned that the proposed seating directly outside in alignment of our entrance doors raises the issues of noise and smoking. We would also like raise the design of coloured lights being used as these are very distracting in our work place . Our shop has full window frontage onto this area and the chosen lighting will have severe affect of our ability to operate at night which we do. We rely on natural and neutral light colour as we are designers and present colour schemes to clients.		We are also severly affected by the water issues currently in Langley Place and have been flooded as a result. Can we please ensure the new design resolves these issues .	
76	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Native trees planted rather than palm trees		appears to have more public seating space for families and more landscape options for kids to explore	Option 1 as proposed				More simple and uncluttered design with some good public seating. Option 2 has too many hand barriers (I assume due to DDA requirements for that design)	
77	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Please make sure the existing beautiful tree in the centre of the plaza (maybe it's an Elm or Zelkova) is retained. It adds an elegant feature unlike the otherwise boring Plane trees, which being established and resistant to pollution are the least worst option for roadside trees. Keep the Gymea Lillies and New Zealand Flax, Star Jasmine ground covers etc. Love the Plaza as it is, don't mess up its village green atmosphere.			An accessible public toilet would be a welcome option.	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			I think it's a lost cause, too dark and like a wind tunnel.		Keep them as natural as possible. Don't need statues, sculptures, water features etc etc.
78	Option 2 as proposed				No water features - this becomes a source of noise and safety with kids getting into water play. Seen this at Mosman and manly. Distracts from a public spa e that is enjoyable for all.	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Less stairs is best			Less stairs means more space and greater accessibility	Coverage during wet weather. Table to read / work
79	Option 1 as proposed				Option 1 looks more "open and screens Military Rd better	Option 1 as proposed					
80					Both options look suitable however strongly opposed to the bar seating. As an older resident who frequents this area - we find it very difficult to sit on bar seats.						Both options are a vast improvement on current space. Happy with either option the sooner the better.
81	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
82	Option 2 as proposed				Option 2 looks more interesting and modern, I particularly like the seating plans and lighting						Could you possibly add charging points for mobile devices? Maybe install digital screen/s so information can be displayed and/or sporting/ cultural event broadcasts can be shown?
83	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed				I hope that no drinking and skateboarding is allowed will be kept at this area same as now.	Maybe to add camera to make sure it is a safe place.
84	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Remove the INTERACTIVE & TACTILE WATER PLAY ELEMENT. When we go there today with my kids to have a coffee or a bite to eat at dinner the last thing I want to worry about is my kids getting wet and a change or clothes. This is a terrible idea, better off making a grassed area for the kids to play on. If you go there today, kids are running around whilst parents are sitting down eating. Add fairy /ponton lights to make it inviting at night  This design idea is a bad one and should be removed.  Look at lane cove redevelopment where there is large open space, kids play area and seating for parents		Least like water play. Have open grasses or kids play area with lots of tables and seating for parents to relax, enjoy cafe and dinner. Make sure cover is there to sit when it rains	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Add fairy lights...it will draw people there				If you want people to use the space, have Open spaces, kid friendly to play, adult seating so they can relax whilst kids play and not get wet. Coverage for when it rains. Lots of trees and seats
85	Option 2 as proposed				I hope there will be nice spaces for people who are there by (with) themselves, including at the cafes and restaurants. The seats need to be comfortable, not just benches, encouraging people to stay and be part of the community.	Option 1 as proposed				Same as per Cremorne Plaza - I hope there will be nice spaces for people who are there by (with) themselves, including at the cafes and restaurants. The seats need to be comfortable, not just benches, encouraging people to stay and be part of the community.	Leveraging off the Orpheum (which we are so privileged to have and which must be heritage listed) and having a relationship between the two plazas is a great idea.
86	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		More garden. No or reduced water feature .Children friendly.larger trellis with verticle wires. Paving features - not plain!								

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87	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		I like the idea of informal garden 'rooms' in Design 2. The bench/bar seating is good too. I love the trellis on Military Rd. It's important that children cannot climb it. More green space is needed in Cremorne Junction. I love the addition of trees/shrubs in the Plaza. Not mad about palm trees that drop fronds. An open level space appeals. I question the water feature- with children about. I love the calming sound of running water, but don't want children to play in it. Could a water feature be designed that children cannot enter? Love the dog friendly nature of the open space - with fixed dog bowls/taps.								Haven't seen the Langley Place design yet. Screening from Military Rd is great! Fewer stairs is probably a good idea.
88	Option 1 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
89	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
90	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
91	Neither proposed options			Waste of money	There are so many places North Sydney should spend money and do things. The infantile mess that is Military Road is one. Playing around and wasting money is all you are good for. Who knows any 10 people who will care if you 'upgrade' Cremorne Plaza or Langley Place. North Sydney, Mosman and Willoughby Councils should amalgamate and take on worthwhile projects. maximum 1 mayor, 1 deputy Mayor, 4 Councillors. Despite how you kid yourself, almost nobody knows a councillor and only ever hear from them just before an election, or on the news when they propose something even more unusual than normal - banning leather is a example. I recommend North Sydney cover the Warringah Freeway, return Cammeray to an 18 hole course, free membership to council residents, build BMX track, walking trails, bike paths, dog lead free area, indeed make the whole thing a great area for ratepayers. Mucking about with irrelevant things like Cremorne Plaza, although a total waste of money, stops you from doing anything worthwhile, and you are able to pretend to yourselves you are working for the community. In truth that is nonsense.	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			As above	Waste of money	Yes
92	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		More public seating please		That corridor is quite windy and gets a lot of sun. Option 2 appears to have more tree cover which is a good thing and more road side "protection" as opposed to the two entrance walls that would create more of a corridor, wind affect in option one. Also no water feature as this will collect all the leaves and look dirty.	Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)			Again, I like option, two. There appears to be more seating in the picture. Again, my worry is that this is also a wind tunnel and hopefully on military road, and there is some form of barrier to reduce the noise and wind coming through.	As above	
93	Option 1 as proposed				It needs bins for people to put their rubbish and education as to what rubbish goes in what bin. Like that there is alot of greenery	Option 2 as proposed				Option 1 and 2 look the same	It's not about making them look great it's about keeping them great, the amount of litter in areas like these is disgusting. Cigarette butts and food scraps are everywhere. Plants and greenery need to be maintained and cared for.
94	Option 2 as proposed				Needs to remain as an open space to give a user friendly area, as it is already a very built up area	Option 2 as proposed					
95					I am against the green wall for the following reasons. 1. It will not reduce noise without a glass wall behind it. 2. Large vehicles, buses for example, create a lot of air disturbance an any plantings on the green wall will find it hard to survive. 3. It will require an automatic watering system which is expensive and will require supervision. I am also against any water feature.	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			Langley Place is a draftee corridor with a noisy air conditioning plant blowing recycle air directly onto the plaza. Spending money on this site will be a waste of rate payers money.		
96	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
97					please see my comments above concerning tree selection						
98	Option 2 as proposed										

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99	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	While I like the layout and features of option one, I have concerns regarding the environmental impact and thinking behind the design, which I have set out below. Tree Removal Can the design consider retaining all the beautiful trees in this plaza? We're living in a climate emergency, why are we removing trees? It is sad that we've come to think of parts of nature as 'insignificant' as denoted by Council rating system. Water Conservation The design proposes water features but does not indicate where the water will come from. Is it to be harvested from collected rainwater in and around the site, and recycled? While they are lovely, it is irresponsible to propose water features and not consider where that water might come from and go to. Energy Does the design include solar energy collection and use? It would be great to see this integrated into the design, for a fully carbon neutral space. With careful planning, this could power the proposed fairy lights throughout the night. Materials What will happen to the existing materials? Will they be reused, repurposed, or find new homes? Or will they be sent to landfill and wasted? Will the proposed materials be ethically sourced, and can we consider reclaiming and reusing existing materials? While				Option 1 as proposed (mandatory second question re detail why)	I have similar misgivings about the environmental impact of the Langley Plaza proposals. This Plaza is a bit of a dead zone as there are less cafes and overall street activation. People will not spend time here, regardless of a fancy new layout, if there is nothing to attract them. Perhaps Council can consider ways to activate this space, by attracting new business or evolving installations? I have similar comments to the Cremorne Plaza, that I've included below: Tree Removal Can the design consider retaining all the beautiful trees in this plaza? We're living in a climate emergency, why are we removing trees? It is sad that we've come to think of parts of nature as 'insignificant' as denoted by Council rating system. Water Conservation The design proposes water features but does not indicate where the water will come from. Is it to be harvested from collected rainwater in and around the site, and recycled? While they are lovely, it is irresponsible to propose water features and not consider where that water might come from and go to. Energy Does the design include solar energy collection and use? It would be great to see this integrated into the design, for a fully carbon neutral space. With careful planning, this could power the proposed fairy lights throughout the night.				As detailed in my responses above, Council can make these spaces inherently and holistically great by a much greater focus on environmental design principles.
100	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
101	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
102	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Comments could be applicable to either option. Should have central pedestrian thoroughfare which does not impact interface between premises and patron sitting in licensed areas Should have the same amount of public seating as currently provided No children play equipment Low maintenance plantings Pedestrian thoroughfare interface at Parraween St should be designed to blend with later raised roadway / pedestrian crossing across Parraween Street to Paling St.		I like raised seating to consume coffee / eat sandwiches etc. This would suit individuals rather than groups.	Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		Need to review location of step outside fire exit at Syborg cafe at west end of Parraween entry		I prefer the 1:14 ramp aligned with the Parraween pedestrian crossing. This would suit a raised roadway / pedestrian crossing from council Carpark for less able bodied people / mothers with prams.	Low maintenance plantings, vermin proof design
103	Option 2 as proposed				I like the clear path from one side to the other. Even though it's a plaza for sitting in and enjoying, it's also still a thoroughfare that people use to pass from Gerard Street, over Parraween St and through to Military Road. I feel that Option 2 serves both purposes.						
104	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Beside water play area, another kids play area, with some equipment			Option 1 as proposed					
105	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Maintain good pedestrian flow between Military & Parraween roads, good water feature with sculptures as proposed in option 1, consider additional water feature, good pergola - weather proof it and consider providing more shade & how it will be kept clean, native plantings that support small birds should be prioritised. Please NO PALM TREES.			Like the water feature, like that you propose a mostly flat plaza, less hot concrete, more greenery & water features to provide cooling, and I like additional public seating	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Rocky walk through from option 2				
106	Option 1 as proposed				Looks or spacious less cluttered - hope kids on bikes etc can be kept away - it is little oasis amongst all the military Road traffic mayhem	Option 1 as proposed				less steps are good as there are a lot of older residents in Cremorne who can't cold trip and down steps - also steps get slippery when wet	keep them free of kids on bikes etc - not a playground!
107	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
108	Option 2 as proposed				It appears to have more shade & places to sit but is hard to decipher from the flyer	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			They seem the same - one just has a few more steps - Hard to decipher differences in the pamphlet		
109	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					Maximise outdoor eating areas



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110	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		I'm just concerned about the paving. The existing paving along Military Rd and round Langley Place isn't covered so when it's even slightly wet, it gets very slippery – the opposite of what it should be. I feel some sort of grit or resistance should be included in the paving.			Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		I have similar concerns to Cremorne Plaza about the paving on Military Rd, in particular, that's not undercover. The tiles get really slippery when it's wet and you have to be so careful walking on them. I'm sure you don't want people slipping, so some form of resistance is necessary. My only other worry with both Langley options are the steps – not walking them, but that kids will use them as skate ramps. I get that they delineate areas, but kids are so painful...				
111	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed						
112	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed, Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Could someone please do something about the dead blocks of stone in between the shrubs outside Siborg Cafe? How an elderly person has not fallen over these is a miracle. I'd like to upload some photos but of course, that facility isn't offered. Whomever designed and approved these things needs to see a psychiatrist.			More trees = better, open spaces but they are all white people in the diagram.		
113	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	The water feature is unnecessary. There needs to be open space. With all the tables currently there is little room for kids to play and roam while their parents socialise or relax. I don't think quite as much lighting is needed but I do like the uplighting of the big trees, and the shadowline. Need to ensure the Cafes can still have some shelter from inclement weather so that they can keep the business flourishing in all weather.			Option 1 looks like a good plan generally and is well presented in the mockups and the drop-in session at the plaza. The design has a good mix of seating, open space and greenery if you get rid of the water feature. I like the art deco references. The location of the pergola is better in this option as it leaves the open area is closer to the safer Parraween St.	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	I don't like the coloured lighting. I don't think it adds any value. Some protection from Military Rd would make this plaza more amenable.			I like the cleaner lines from Parraween St. I don't mind either way re the wooden paths, or rocks in the garden on the Military Rd end.	There is such a good vibe in Cremorne Plaza. Don't let the street be destroyed with a mono culture such as the proposed very large retirement village.	
114					If I could request anything to be considered in these two projects, or any project of renewal, it would be to please include a fountain. Preferably circular and with two height levels. Water calms and soothes the soul and cools the surrounding environment. Think of the fountain in Ted Mack Park and what a joy it is on a hot day.  Think of any European square or piazza and they will always contain at least one fountain. It draws people to it, stimulates spontaneous conversations and adds to the sense of community.  In an age where we have less open space, many highrise buildings and increased noise from traffic, especially on Military Road a fountain would be a magnificent addition to both areas. They don't need to be a clever, tricky modern interpretation, a classic fountain looks just as beautiful if not more so. A beautiful example is the one donated to Mosman outside the Council Chambers.  Regards Jenny Atkins						If I could request anything to be considered in these two projects, or any project of renewal, it would be to please include a fountain. Preferably circular and with two height levels. Water calms and soothes the soul and cools the surrounding environment. Think of the fountain in Ted Mack Park and what a joy it is on a hot day.  Think of any European square or piazza and they will always contain at least one fountain. It draws people to it, stimulates spontaneous conversations and adds to the sense of community.  In an age where we have less open space, many highrise buildings and increased noise from traffic, especially on Military Road a fountain would be a magnificent addition to both areas. They don't need to be a clever, tricky modern interpretation, a classic fountain looks just as beautiful if not more so. A beautiful example is the one donated to Mosman outside the Council Chambers.  Regards Jenny Atkins	
115						Option 2 as proposed, Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		opts as per Cremorne Plaza for continuity. Keep garden detail to a minimum so that ongoing maintenance for Council is not a major task.		I like the disabled ramp. I like the option with minimal steps-	Council does a great job, thanks to the team of volunteers gardens are maintained- but we can not assume that the number of these willing workers will grow- Council staff are already over stress I think in terms of the gardens they maintain.	
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118	Neither proposed options			Typically I prefer contemporary designs that are not pastiche replicas of "times gone by" but I do appreciate the notion of referencing the Art Deco character of parts of the Cremorne neighbourhood as a means to generate a USP/identity or brand. My hesitation in nominating Option 01 as the preferred is based on two reasons: 1. Reservations in the execution of genuine/authentic art deco character and simultaneously delivering contemporary public realm without it feeling kitschy or tacky. 2. The overall/high-level spatial arrangement and planning of the plaza compared to Option 02. From my perspective, the arrangement of Option 02 more intuitively connects each of the entry points of the plaza and key public spaces/venues along the spine. Furthermore, Option 02 appears to employ a more sophisticated method of zoning each of the private alfresco lease spaces and public 'venues' (seating/play/etc) by interweaving them between garden beds and offering a small variety of scales of space and capacity.  Overall, if Option 01 were to appropriately address the points above then it would be my preferred, should it not then Option 02 appears to be a safer choice.	I hope this incentivises private owners in the immediately adjacent area and beyond to reinvest and contribute to the strengthening of the "village" atmosphere in order to continue to develop a vibrant and interesting place to live and play.	Option 2 as proposed					Public activation - it would be real to see some sort of invigorated activation - perhaps even a monthly night market or food truck addition with some live music and such as a means to amplify attendance and people's affiliation to these spaces  Encouragement of the refurbishment/development of buildings adjacent to Cremorne Plaza to further improve the quality of the built environment	
119	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed						
120	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed						
121	Option 2 as proposed											
122	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	like the water feature from option 1. Lovely to see water and assist with the noise from Military Road.				Option 2 as proposed						
123	Option 2 as proposed											
124	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed						
125	Option 1 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed, Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		A trellis screen at military road would be preferred. As like what is proposed at the Cremorne plaza site. I have young children and would feel more secure if there was some kind of barrier at both sites			road barriers at both sites as lots of children visit the existing areas.	
126	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed						
127	Option 2 as proposed				The floor feels more modern, there seems not to have steps which is good for group which need accessible	Option 1 as proposed				Simple and clear	Pis include some free parking for the residents of the area (not just the zone) so resident of the council will stay / visit these place more	
128	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		the water feature is not needed, its going to create challenges for families with children who will get wet during dinner, better to have an open area or interactive games for children. Parents and families want a place to go where they can relax over a drink over dinner with friends and children can also have a place to be independent. Ensure there is adequate outdoor eating and drinking space for families									
129	Option 2 as proposed				Option 2 has more spaces to sit and more shade. Greenery, shade and places to sit and/or eat are vital elements of open community spaces. Prefer not palm trees, not such shade and they're messy when they drop their big branches	Option 2 as proposed					It gets wet, so those rails will be helpful. Will there be bike rails to lock a bike to?	Lots of greenery, and places to sit. Thank you
130	Option 2 as proposed, Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Noise dampening from military road traffic (or vegetation)			Option 1 as proposed, Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	More natural sunshine. Potentially pruning the tree to allow more sunshine. Screening from the building ventilation exhaust.				Using cremorne plaza for other community events such as small markets or live music and street play.	

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131	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		Thankyou for doing the upgrade and taking the feedback. In option 2 The trees through the middle are also deciduous to allow winter sun and light. I love the open feel of option 2 and more spaces to sit and chat and wait and read. The water feature in option 1 isn't usable except on very hot days which are few and becomes so noisy with more screaming. Hold onto the hum of people talking. It's a dining area and adult space with safe open space to see children and not a kids play area. Love the open space at Parraween end. Upgrade lighting and outdoor eating covered facilities (put in consistent awning for all eateries like doing in crows nest Willoughby Rd) as restaurants have now a hotch potch. This closes out the overall public space. Place a series of angled high growing plant walls along Military Rd end to break the southerly wind that has the whole space uncomfortable. The angling allows viewing and enticing walkers into the plaza. Thank you. Alison of Parraween st.		Make easy public seating at the Parraween st end. I live in an apartment with no sun especially in winter. I want to go to the Plaza with my book and cuppa and sit without having to buy something. The plaza is my balcony space or backyard. I'm even happy to take my own cushion to sit on a garden ledge at the warmer Parraween st end.	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Why another ramp from the footpath? Each bordered building has a ramp function. Option 1 looks like has more public seating which is why I chose it as well as its more open and welcoming entry from Parraween st. The existing cafe tables dominate the flat space so create garden ledge height and width for public seating in the sun. It's a lovely quiet space to wait for friends and take my book in the sun. Could an appropriate bushy tree (that like hot wind) in front of air conditioner vent to break its noise and heat from the building on the east Parraween st end. Thankyou Alison of Parraween st.			Love that leaving trees at Military Rd end. Like the clean light paving. Like the bushy planting on east side of Parraween st. It hides and blocks huge air vent. Make garden beds wicking so watering isn't a problem and place a hose or tap in cupboard concealed in side of a garden bed so locals can top up wicking beds. I saw this in crows nest. I'm happy to do this.	It's a balance between the space being a safe space and so not used as public space and proving public space so locals can sit comfortably and also relax without having to spend money. It's not just an open space to look at or for businesses. Thank you.
132	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
133	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		With a mini Fairy forest and maybe a mini race track as well, to keep the children busy while adults are eating or waiting for food.  And a rain proof roof between the Korean and Thai restaurants.		With a mini Fairy forest and maybe a mini race track as well, to keep the children busy while adults are eating or waiting for food.  And a rain proof roof between the Korean and Thai restaurants.	Option 1 as proposed					
134	Option 2 as proposed				I like the circular area for people to sit around and children to play on (option 2). Canopy protection is more needed than extra garden hangings. Option 1, has too many unnecessary garden arches and garden beds.	Option 1 as proposed				Option 1 is preferable as it looks more streamlined and modern (updated). Extra steps are not needed, while accessible ramps and railings where necessary are. Please maintain garden beds.	Regular maintenance, keeping clean, lighting, using solar based lights if necessary.
135	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	Both have really great parts to it but an integration of both would be even better. The flower pergola looks nice and boost day use of the area, but the pergola with lights in option will make it really fun at night. I would change the benches from option 1 as they are not practical and put the ones from option 2 instead. Whilst the water feature seems great this is a place where families come to dine and kids play. It will require parents to be constantly watch their kids around and be less relaxing. It would be better to have a short slide or something for kids off all ages to play with independently.				Option 1 as proposed				Option 1 is a lot better use of public space where people can actually interact with the space if they want to (walk through) instead of just having a big flower area to only look at.	Think about the audience that actually uses the spaces.
136	Option 2 as proposed					Option 2 as proposed					
137	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
138	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					
139	Option 1 as proposed					Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)		I think the design needs to:  1) reduce or eliminate the number of steps. The steps make the plaza an attractive place for skateboarders, which only chips the ground tiles and makes it look untidy as it does now. This won't change so long as there are steps for skateboarders to use as jump platforms. This is annoying for residents who live near the plaza and will only contribute to the designs degeneration over time.  2) change the shape of the bike racks. As they are currently, and as they are proposed to be in the designs, are used as a trolley parking bay. This is not their intended use, and changes should be made to make it look less like that is what they are intended to be used for. Otherwise they should be relocated to somewhere not immediately off Military Rd, to make it less obvious to those using the IGA trolleys to take groceries home, that they can leave them there without repercussions.			

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140	Option 2 as proposed				Lovely open sunny place - keep access to sunlight	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			Not interested in this location, don't use the space.		
141	Neither proposed options			<p>Unfortunately neither option is greatly inspiring. The architectural form and treatment of the space in both instances is lacking a real sense of innovation and place. While it's admirable there is an intention to include Art Deco motifs and styling within the designs, other than some of the trellis design and paving the concepts seem amateur and produced by designers that fail to understand deco and overlay a rather generic landscape design with clichéd examples of the style. Using banal deco motifs and style creates a questionable and non-authentic aesthetic. Approaching the overarching design from a more modern context with a current interpretation of the 1930s Deco style into a more retro-futuristic style for today would create a more successful design solution that also functions better within its context.</p> <p>The physical space could benefit through a more innovative approach to design incorporating deco motifs through shape, form and pattern in the actual architectural structure of the site. Incorporating cleaner lines and demarcating the spaces and usage types through more integrated deco ideas rather than just developing a generic public space with cosmetic elements such as pergolas and seating.</p> <p>The vertical deco-inspired trellis structures have some promise but the central covered pergola idea does not work as</p>		Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	<p>Option 1 is definitely preferred as Option 2 looks cheap with poor street activation and issues with how the height levels have been resolved with sloping too severe to make it look appealing or inviting. The railing heavily detract from the design and should not be included.</p> <p>The space needs to maintain a sophisticated look, Deco is a stylish and considered movement that explored geometry and interesting colour palettes. Characteristics that featured heavily in Art Deco also included. Heavy geometric influences, triangular shapes, zigzags, trapezoidal shapes, straight and smooth lines, streamlined and sleek forms and sunburst or sunrise motifs. Colours varied from monochromatics to metallics, bold colour was an early feature but the popularity for neutrals such as creams, browns, beiges and taupes increased with time.</p> <p>The large pots suggested as a means for creating ambience along the corridor don't seem to add anything that the current well designed deco planters already provide. The colourway used on the current planters could be improved with browns, greys, beige, and pinky tones that are better at selling the Deco theming. These should be repainted and retained.</p> <p>More can be done in this design with the</p>			<p>Developing a more integrated guidelines around place making style and design with an overarching language for all of North Sydney Council area with a derivative but more nuanced response for special areas such as Cremorne, Neutral Bay and Crows Nest that already have a slightly specialised identity. Also considering the entire streetscape as part of each proposal to ensure continuity but also ensuring that any special design works within the current North Sydney public domain style. North Sydney still have not invested in high quality wayfinding and supporting signage such as CoS and Mosman Council's. The current broader LGA signage needs a complete signage strategy developed to ensure future direction and development has a proper cohesive plan in place.</p>	
142	Neither proposed options			<p>It is appropriate for Council to upgrade and refresh this valuable piece of public open space. Although I am not a North Sydney resident, I live nearby and regularly walk through Cremorne Plaza and I have been to several of the cafes and restaurants.</p> <p>We live in an area which is going to see an increase in population without any increase in open space. This makes Cremorne Plaza a valuable community asset. I anticipate that the area around Cremorne Plaza will see a rise in the number of older residents – it is particularly suitable for them because it is mostly level, it is well served by a supermarket, coffee shops, cafes and restaurants and many medical and dental practices and services. And it is well served by public transport. There are already proposals for the construction of seniors apartments in Parraween Street. The present layout of Cremorne Plaza has a strong, diagonal pedestrian path in addition to the two "footpaths" which have survived from the time when this was a short street. Either side of the main thoroughfare, the pavement is divided into a number of different areas at different levels. These look as though they were intended to be leased to one or more of the businesses which flank the plaza, and several of the cafes and restaurants have taken some of these spaces. What is public space and what has been leased to</p>	No additional comments	Neither proposed options (mandatory second question re detail why)			No comments for Langley Place	No comments	No comments
143	Option 2 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					

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144	Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)		I would prefer any changes to not impinge on the current businesses that currently surround the Plaza on the ground level, eg the restaurants. It seems that you intend to expand the Plaza outwards which would do this, so I am not in favour of current changes.		The restaurants in Cremorne Plaza have only just recovered from the impact of COVID 19. A new design for the Plaza is a great idea but I would strenuously suggest that any changes made, create as little impact on the current businesses, as possible. The businesses need to keep their customers not lose them because of noise, dust etc. You need to keep the current beautiful trees in the Plaza. They have been in place for many years and are part of the Cremorne landscape. Cremorne Plaza is primarily a place to visit restaurants and eat outside (weather permitting). Please do not add too many 'extras' to the Plaza area and take away the option of sitting outside one of the restaurants in good weather.						Please see my comments above in Q.8.
145	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below)	More (art deco) decorative detail - e.g. not simply square chunky blocks for seating Muted, muddy shades of colour Avoid orange/red timber				Option 1 as proposed					
146	Option 1 with some changes (please detail below), Option 2 with some changes (please detail below)	Please see below.	Please see below.		A hybrid of the two options would probably work best, with a particular focus on the following: Invest as much as possible in the green wall at the Military Road end. Make it as big and as soundproof as possible. The more effective this is, the more useable will be the space. The view into the plaza from Military Road vehicles is not important - it's not an intersection, but where traffic is looking forward at the various decisions in front of them. Similarly, a solid wall does not pose a security threat - it helps enable a safe, friendly, quiet, and clean community space. Please use local native trees, not exotics (and NOT palms!). Tree selection to enable winter light and summer shade. Drinking fountain - please keep. Incorporate some natural grass, even if only a small patch. Covered pergolas look good - let's keep them.	Option 1 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why). Option 2 with some changes (mandatory second question re detail why)	Please see below.	Please see below.		This is a problematic space so needs to focus on the following: Invest as much as possible in the green wall at the Military Road end. Make it as big and as soundproof as possible. The more effective this is, the more useable will be the space. Sitting at the top of a T-intersection, the space suffers from strong winds, headlights, and vehicle noises due to the traffic lights (braking and accelerating). LP needs all the help it can get to enable a safe, friendly, quiet, and clean community space. Please use local native trees, not exotics (and NOT palms!). Tree selection to enable winter light and summer shade. Drinking fountain - please keep. Incorporate some natural grass, even if only a small patch. Covered pergolas look good - let's keep them. The southern end is dark, even in summer, so daylight lighting would help. The aircon exhaust from the building on the eastern side at the northern end is, when operating, a significant disincentive to spend time in the space. As this is the most amenable part of the space, no amount of new designs will work unless this is addressed. The Option 1 ramp and steers design is the preferred option of the two.	Given the difficulties with this space, Council may need to provide some incentives to bring people back to the space, so they can see the improvements. Whether a grand opening, a little food market, wine tastings, or similar special events, it needs a boost to change perceptions and people's habits and bring it to life.
147	Option 1 as proposed					Option 1 as proposed					