

Project Update: Schematic Building and Precinct Design

Redevelopment of this Precinct is being actioned as a priority major project

The development of an Integrated Community, Sport and Leisure Precinct within the Town at the East Fremantle Oval precinct will provide significant economic, social and health benefits.

The Process So Far

Phase 1, Visioning, 2018-2019.

During this extensive consultation and co-design process, the community expressed strong support for upgrades to club facilities, passive recreation space for walking (including with dogs), general exercise activities, enhanced access to club sports and recreation activities. Interest was also expressed in adding a shed activity space, a fitness facility, casual shared-use hard courts, a nature play space, flexible outdoor community event space, a modest skate park, a function room / café and multi-purpose areas for performances.

Phase 2, Business Planning.

In early 2020 the vision was developed and refined, in collaboration with expert consultants, to prepare a high-level **Concept Design** to support the drafting of a business plan and funding document.



East Fremantle Oval
Integrated Community,
Sport and Leisure Precinct

The Process Continues

Phase 3, Schematic Design.

Following the appointment of a Multidisciplinary Design Team (MDT), an **updated Concept Design** was released for community review.

23 public submissions were received and are currently being considered.

Next Steps

The MDT are in the process of preparing a **draft Schematic Design** following a review of the public submissions.

A Drop-In Session (*date to be advised*) will be hosted at the Town Hall to give interested community members the opportunity to view the updated design and discuss it one-on-one with members of the MDT.

The **draft Schematic Design** will then be open for public comment for a period of at least two weeks. The MDT will then finalise the **Building and Precinct Schematic Design** following their review of any additional feedback.

Council continue to be mindful of the significance of the project and its importance to the community. Consultation has been extensive throughout the process and to date community feedback has been overwhelmingly positive. One resident succinctly captured the community feeling in a dozen words, 'This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to get this right'.

Find out more

For more in-depth background information on this project, call **9339 9339** or visit our website **eastfremantle.wa.gov.au** (Community – Current Consultations).