

# information bulletin

To the Resident,

## Mavis Hutter Playspace Renewal

As part of our ongoing investment towards creating an active community, Council is renewing the Mavis Hutter playground.

In late 2020 Council consulted with the community regarding the playspace design and we thank everyone that provided feedback.

We heard from residents they wanted more equipment and improved access for wheelchair-bound users, a high-back swing set, more trees throughout the reserve and outdoor gym equipment combined in one area closer to Carroll Road. We are writing to nearby residents to provide an updated plan based on the feedback received.

The renewal will feature a new neighbourhood level play-space with play equipment for children of all ages. Images of new equipment are shown at Appendix 3.

Accessible play items include a basket swing, cubby activity panels, musical play instruments, ground spinner and climbing nets. Access to equipment will be via a rubber soft-fall path.

At neighbourhood-level playspaces Council provides new park furniture, including a new picnic shelter, picnic tables and BBQ. New gardens beds and shade trees are also planned.

Council is aware of the local community's request for a half-court basketball facility and renewal of the outdoor gym equipment.

Whilst the inclusion of a half-court basketball facility and renewal of the outdoor gym equipment is not included within the scope of works for the playground renewal, Council will give further consideration to this as part of future park planning at Mavis Hutter Reserve.

## Construction timeframes

Works are expected to commence mid-2022.

## Further information

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Appendix 1: Mavis Hutter Reserve Playspace Concept Plan



Location of playground, path network and planting

Appendix 2: Mavis Hutter Reserve Playspace Concept Plan – Context



Appendix 3: Images of new equipment



Musical instruments



Spring rocker



Accessible spinner



Triple swing set



Accessible rope play