

# Building a better Bayswater Survey

We are inviting your feedback on our draft strategy, which aims to meet community needs and aspirations.

The draft Bayswater Renewal Strategy has been developed to ensure the Bayswater Activity Centre continues to be a thriving hub for community life and business until 2040. Your feedback will help us to finalise the strategy.

The draft strategy guides development to support population growth and housing needs, while protecting Bayswater's distinctive character. In addition, it also aims to balance economic, social and environmental matters.

In this survey, we would like to know what you think about the vision and objectives outlined in the Draft Renewal Strategy.

**Feedback closes on 5 May 2024.** Please ensure your survey is received by us before or on this date, for it to be included.

Our mailing address: Bayswater consultation, City Futures, Knox City Council, Reply Paid 70243, Wantirna South 3152

## Get involved for your chance to win

Everyone who gets involved can go into the draw to win a voucher for an amazing local experience including Boronia Cinema, Knox Environmental Society Nursery, Stamford Park Restaurant, Knox Leisureworks, Knox Community Arts Centre. Conditions apply. For more information about this draw, contact Luke Axelby or Penny Jones by phone 9298 8000 or email [HaveYourSay@knox.vic.gov.au](mailto:HaveYourSay@knox.vic.gov.au)

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## About the strategy

01. What is your connection to Bayswater? **Required**

Select one answer only

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| <input type="radio"/> I live in Bayswater                  |
| <input type="radio"/> I work in Bayswater                  |
| <input type="radio"/> I am visiting Bayswater              |
| <input type="radio"/> I own a business in Bayswater        |
| <input type="radio"/> I go to school or study in Bayswater |

We have prepared a vision for the Bayswater Activity Centre. The vision will help guide the growth and renewal of the area from now until 2040. The vision is:

Bayswater in 2050 is a renewed and flourishing centre with a resilient community. A range of employment opportunities support the local community, capitalising on its proximity to the Bayswater Business Precinct. Increased housing supply and diversity and improved community facilities in and around the core encourage more people to walk, cycle, and use public transport. Greater tree canopy cover, high quality public spaces and enhanced links to the creek and green spaces blur the line between the natural and built environments.

Bayswater is a thriving destination, a place where people choose to live, work and play.

02. Do you agree with the vision? **Required**

**On a scale between 1 and 5, and in increments of 1, provide your rating below.**

03. The key strategies in the Bayswater Renewal Strategy are based around six themes. Each theme has its own objective. Do you agree with each of the objectives? **Required**

To provide a greater range of housing choices and additional housing within the core of Bayswater MAC to meet the diverse needs of the existing and future community

☐ Strongly Disagree

☐ Disagree

☐ Neutral

☐ Agree

☐ Strongly Agree

To improve the environment of the centre and respond to the urgent threat of climate change

☐ Strongly Disagree

☐ Disagree

☐ Neutral

☐ Agree

☐ Strongly Agree

To deliver a high-quality urban environment and built form that adapts to community needs and environmental challenges

☐ Strongly Disagree

☐ Disagree

☐ Neutral

☐ Agree

☐ Strongly Agree

To broaden the centre's regional economic role and improve business synergies
<input type="radio"/> Strongly Disagree
<input type="radio"/> Disagree
<input type="radio"/> Neutral
<input type="radio"/> Agree
<input type="radio"/> Strongly Agree
To promote the priority, safety and amenity of pedestrian, public transport and bicycle networks that improve the Bayswater economy, public spaces, accessibility and connectivity for all users
<input type="radio"/> Strongly Disagree
<input type="radio"/> Disagree
<input type="radio"/> Neutral
<input type="radio"/> Agree
<input type="radio"/> Strongly Agree
To ensure community facilities meet the social and cultural needs of residents, visitors
<input type="radio"/> Strongly Disagree
<input type="radio"/> Disagree
<input type="radio"/> Neutral
<input type="radio"/> Agree
<input type="radio"/> Strongly Agree

04. Is there any further comments you would like to make about any of the objectives?

05. The Renewal Strategy sets out 10 'Big Moves' for Bayswater. All of these actions are important to support the future revitalisation of Bayswater, however we would like to know which of them are most important to you. In the box below, order each Big Move from top (most important) to bottom (least important ). Required

Select 10 answers	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Revitalise and activate Penguin Place and Macauley Place
<input type="checkbox"/>	Increase the number of people living in the centre
<input type="checkbox"/>	Develop a niche and night-time economy
<input type="checkbox"/>	Improve access and business synergies between the BBP and the centre
<input type="checkbox"/>	Activate and renew public spaces
<input type="checkbox"/>	Facilitate renewal of Bayswater Triangle
<input type="checkbox"/>	Deliver increased tree canopy cover and greening throughout the city centre
<input type="checkbox"/>	Improve pedestrian cycling networks along Mountain Highway
<input type="checkbox"/>	Improve links between Marie Wallace Bayswater Park
<input type="checkbox"/>	Investigate a new Community Hub

06. Are there any further comments you would like to make on the strategy?

07. How did you hear about this community engagement?

Select one answer only
<input type="radio"/> Postcard in mail
<input type="radio"/> Council website
<input type="radio"/> Council eNewsletter
<input type="radio"/> Council social media
<input type="radio"/> Signage and posters
<input type="radio"/> Other

[About you](#)

08. Year of Birth **Required**

This question must be between 1900 and 2019

09. What is your suburb? **Required**

Select one answer only
<input type="radio"/> Bayswater
<input type="radio"/> Boronia
<input type="radio"/> Ferntree Gully
<input type="radio"/> Upper Ferntree Gully
<input type="radio"/> Knoxfield
<input type="radio"/> Wantirna
<input type="radio"/> Wantirna South
<input type="radio"/> Rowville
<input type="radio"/> Scoresby
<input type="radio"/> Lysterfield
<input type="radio"/> The Basin

10. How do you describe your gender? **Required**

Select one answer only
<input type="radio"/> Man
<input type="radio"/> Woman
<input type="radio"/> Non-binary
<input type="radio"/> Prefer not to answer
<input type="radio"/> I use a different term (Please specify)
<input type="text"/>

11. Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin? **Required**

Select one answer only
<input type="radio"/> No
<input type="radio"/> Yes, Aboriginal
<input type="radio"/> Yes, Torres Strait Islander
<input type="radio"/> Yes, both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
<input type="radio"/> I'm unsure
<input type="radio"/> Prefer not to answer

12. Please share with us your mob/nation (optional)

13. Do you speak a language other than English at home? (including Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander language) **Required**

Select one answer only
<input type="radio"/> No - English
<input type="radio"/> Prefer not to answer
<input type="radio"/> Yes - other language (please specify)
<input type="text"/>

14. Are you living with a disability (that is, do you need help with daily activities of self-care, body movement or communication)? **Required**

Select one answer only
<input type="radio"/> No – without disability
<input type="radio"/> Yes – with disability lasting 6 months or more
<input type="radio"/> Yes – with no need for help or supervision
<input type="radio"/> Prefer not to answer
<input type="radio"/> Yes – other reason (please specify)
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