

1 JULY TO 29 JULY 2021

FOSSIL BLUFF AND SURROUNDING TRAILS MASTER PLAN

RESULTS FROM COMMUNITY
CONSULTATION



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COMMUNITY UPDATE



18 OCTOBER

COUNCIL MEETING TO
ADOPT FINAL PLAN

**NOV 2021 -
JUN 2022**



DETAILED PLANNING AND
APPROVAL

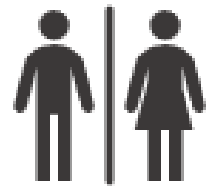
**2022 AND
BEYOND**



IMPLEMENTATION

Thank you for giving us your feedback on the draft Fossil Bluff and Surrounding Trails Master Plan. Your constructive feedback helps us to understand benefits, value-for-money and potential impacts of proposed actions from your point of view.

70 RESPONSES



80% of responses discussed the amenities (toilet) block. 59% requested alternative placement for the amenity with 23% not wanting the amenity near the foreshore at all.

Several alternative locations were suggested by the community. We will explore an option to construct an amenities block into the hillside near the Bluff walk.



66% of feedback suggested that footpaths and trails in the area required more attention:

- 32% of prioritised maintenance
- 35% suggested infrastructure upgrades
- 20% requested a shared pathway to the bridge
- 13% requested additional nature trails.

The Plan has been revised to upgrade a grassed walkway between 6 and 8 Inglisdale Drive and investigates options for a shared pathway from the Table Cape Road Bridge along Golf Links Road. Maintenance will be scheduled based on a thorough audit.



A number of respondents raised accessibility for the mobility impaired as an issue - particularly access to the foreshore, beach and the Bluff.

We have heard your requests and are reviewing accessibility options for the foreshore and beach. We have noted that the stairs to the Bluff are due for renewal soon and intend on considering upgrade options at that time.



74% of respondents commented on the proposed changes to Golf Links Road. 63% were not in favour of changing the road.

Based on public feedback the proposed changes to the road will not proceed (subject to the outcome of a flood and erosion assessment for Golf Links Road to ensure lower Golf Links Road remains safe for vehicle use).

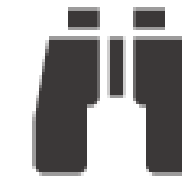


We understand there are concerns for speeding and other road safety issues. You told us about a missing speed sign and directional signage being too small and asked us to consider installation of speed humps or similar to slow traffic.

Council has replaced the missing speed sign and will ensure directional signage meets the required standard for size. Council will investigate the speeding issues further to inform what, if any, speed mitigation is required and appropriate for the area.

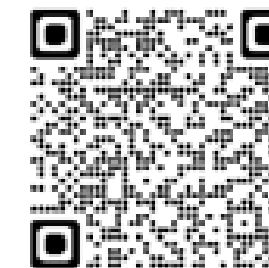


Nearly 70% of respondents commented on planting and maintenance at Fossil Bluff and surrounds. Generally, the planting of native grasses, salt tolerant plants, low level ground covers and smaller flowering bushes was accepted by most respondents.



The feedback received for the proposed lookout at Inglisdale Drive was constructive, with some raising concerns about vehicle access to grassed areas, rubbish bins and the potential for additional traffic in the area.

Based on your feedback, the revised plan will include more information on your design ideas. Detailed design will be undertaken as part of the adopted master plan and in consultation with residents.



To find out more visit:
www.warwyn.tas.gov.au/projects/fossil-bluff-master-plan/