MY PLACE. MY FUTURE.
COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

The City of Launceston is developing a plan for the future of living, working and playing in Invermay, Mowbray, Newnham, Mayfield, Rocherlea, Ravenswood and Waverley.

In August 2018, the community were invited to have their say on health and wellbeing, housing, transport and infrastructure and public spaces.

What did we ask?

We didn't want to ask the same questions again, so we looked at the information that we already had and identified topics that we thought were important. We then asked community members to rate the importance of these topics, as well as tell us any information that we don't have.

Who responded?

Of the 229 responses that we received to the question: Where do you live? 73% stated that they lived in the Northern Suburbs (with all seven suburbs represented), and 27% provided a response of 'other'.

Next Steps

This information will be used to inform planning for the future of living, working and playing in the Northern Suburbs. Keep in touch with this project via the City Of Launceston webpage, the City of Launceston Facebook page, or your local neighbourhood house.

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WHAT DID YOU TELL US?

Smart Cities Plan
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HEALTH & WELLBEING

82.8% Significantly supported helping people live a healthy lifestyle

73.6% Significantly supported helping young mothers and women to have healthy babies

75.8% Significantly supported the importance of access to community based health services in Rocherlea, Newnham, Mayfield and Mowbray

77% Significantly supported the importance of access to mental health and sexual health services

87.1% Significantly supported the importance of having access to a GP

HOUSING

70.6% Significantly supported the importance of the cost of housing

55.7% Significantly supported the importance of how long people are able to live in one place before having to move

64.3% Significantly supported the importance of the appropriateness of the home

91.4% Significantly supported the importance of feeling safe inside the home and in the neighbourhood

81.5% Significantly supported the importance of the ability to meet the needs of people who are getting older or who have a disability

TRANSPORT

86.4% Significantly supported the importance of people driving in a way that isn't safe to people either inside or outside the vehicle

70.4% Significantly supported the use of public transport to travel to places within the northern suburbs

70.5% Significantly supported the use of public transport to travel to places outside the northern suburbs

67.2% Significantly supported the importance of the way that roads connect together within and outside of the northern suburbs

32.4% Significantly supported the importance of discussing the railway lines that run through the northern suburbs

INFRASTRUCTURE & PUBLIC SPACES

55.1% Significantly supported the importance of not making the most of vacant land

76.3% Significantly supported the importance of the standards of existing community resources

82.5% Significantly supported the need for more attractive, safe places within the community

65.7% Significantly supported the need for more places of interest in the northern suburbs

86% Significantly supported the need to protect community assets so they can be used by everyone

"Building strong relationships are vital to establish trust and connection"

"Housing is few and far between and the costs are high"

"Vitally important to enable people to move around on public transport, especially to shopping centres and other transport junctions"

"Need green space"

"Nothing for children to do in the area"