Background

In 2021/22 we engaged with the community on a masterplan for Woodlake Reserve at 32 Frederick Road, West Lakes, to inform future reserve improvements.

What you told us

We received 61 responses to the engagement about what you might like to see in this location. Your feedback was used to inform a masterplan, for consideration by staff in future reserve upgrade proposals.

In December 2021, we wrote to you to share the outcomes of engagement and the masterplan's key features. If you missed this, you can see the details on yoursaycharlessturt.com.au by visiting the Woodlake Reserve Upgrade project.

What now?

We're pleased to share that Council has allocated funding for delivery of the Woodlake Reserve upgrade in its 2023/24 Draft Annual Business Plan & Budget.

Subject to budget approval, construction will likely commence early 2024. We will provide advance notice to adjacent residents and visitors via signage on the reserve before any upgrade works start.

What features will be included?

Key features include fencing, a small, all-ages nature play & agility area, new pathways, picnic shelters and seating, and planting of vegetation and trees in support of increased canopy cover and urban cooling. The reserve upgrade concept plan is enclosed for your interest.

In addition, an irrigation upgrade is scheduled in 2024/25 to green and beautify the reserve.

Out of scope features

Some features requested were not within the scope of this project. Please visit nearby Tiranna Reserve (250 metres away) if you need access to toilet facilities and a drinking fountain. We will also investigate future provision of a BBQ at Tiranna Reserve, given the complimentary facilities there.

For the 'Fur Babies'

While you can exercise your effectively controlled dog off-lead at this reserve, it can't be within 5 meters of a playground if people are present. Semapaw Park (corner of Military Road & Edwin Street, Semaphore Park) is a nearby, alternative location if you're after a fenced area to socialise your dog or let them run freely.

If you would like to share any further feedback about this project, please write to us at osrp-consultation@charlessturt.sa.gov.au by 7 July 2023.

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