

Title	Installation of Recreational Equipment on Public Open Space
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Policy Type

Council

Policy Purpose

To ensure a consistent and equitable process is implemented for the installation of recreational equipment on public open space. Recreational equipment includes; half court basket-ball, exercise equipment stations, playgrounds (including shade sails) and sports goals.

Skate parks and clay pump track locations are not covered by this policy and are subject to a wider community consultation process

Policy Statement

The City will follow the process as outlined below:

- (1) Install signage for a two week period informing of the proposed active recreation equipment to be installed and the preferred location on the public open space.
- (2) Extent of consultation will be in accordance with the catchment area for the specific Public Open Space. This is determined in the catchment hierarchy criteria in the City's Public Open Space Strategy 2014-2024.
- (3) If any objections are received alternative locations or landscaping treatments will be identified in order to resolve the concerns.
- (4) The provision of recreational equipment will be in accordance with the Public Open Space Strategy and the provision of playground shade sails will be in accordance with the Playground Shade Sail Strategy.

Strategic Link:	Public Open Space Strategy 2014-2024 Playground Shade Sail Strategy
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