Park Lands Licence Request Department for Human Services External Presentation

Strategic Alignment - Our Places

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Tuesday, 5 August 2025
City Community Services and
Culture Committee

Presenter:

Sandy Pitcher, Chief Executive Department for Human Services

PURPOSE OF PRESENTATION

The Department for Human Services (DHS) has requested an opportunity to present an update on the Safer Place to Gather (SPTG) initiative at Edwards Park / Wirraninthi (Park 23).

DHS will be represented by, Sandy Pitcher, Chief Executive Department for Human Services. DHS has not requested that the presentation is given in confidence.

The current licence, approved by Council on 25 February 2025, was granted for a period of up to 6 months (until 31 August 2025) such that DHS could implement alternate measures to support remote and regional Aboriginal visitors, subject to State Government budget deliberations.

A further licence request has been received from DHS that would enable the extension of the operation of the SPTG from 1 September 2025 to 30 June 2026. The new licence request is on the Agenda at Item 7.1 for the meeting of the City Community Services and Culture Committee to be held on 5 August 2025.

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