



**GLEN EIRA
STRATEGIC TRANSPORT
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

MINUTES

The Strategic Transport Advisory Committee meeting commenced at 6:00pm.

27 March 2023

In person meeting – Caulfield Cup Room, Glen Eira Town Hall

Present:

Councillors: Cr David Zyngier (Chair)

Cr Jim Magee
Cr Li Zhang
Cr Tony Athanasopoulos

*Community
Representatives:* Thirumagal Arunachalam-Elanthendral
Pete Canny
Mark Wallace

Council Staff: Ron Torres, Matt Slavin, Tom Haysom, Saskia Noakes

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1. Acknowledgement of Country (DZ)
 2. **Apologies**
Cr Simone Zmood
Cr Sue Pennicuik
Sanaya Davar
Monica Qing
Noam Shifrin

3. Action Items Update from last committee Meeting

Title/Item	Action	Update	Responsible Officer	Active/Closed
1.	Book in next meeting for first quarter of 2023 (discuss with Councillors availability)	Complete	Saskia Noakes	Closed
2.	Council officers investigate opportunities to promote bicycle education programs	Ongoing with update provided to STAC	Saskia Noakes	Active
3.	An update on the multi-deck car park Federal Grant Funding will be provided at a future Ordinary Council Meeting.	Complete	Tarryn Gillies	Closed
4.	Council officers to provide an update on proposed bike parking locations (based on the requests provided). STAC members	Complete	Saskia Noakes	Closed
5.	Council officers to provide feedback to the traffic engineering team on the Kambrook roundabout for review.	Ongoing	Saskia Noakes	Active

4. Items for Discussion:

4.1 Welcome and thank you

Community members were thanked for their input to the STAC over the last 2 years and encouraged to reapply for the next term.

4.2 Officer Presentation of 2-year term STAC summary

Saskia Noakes

Slide deck presentation followed by discussion. The following points were raised.

- Presentation largely focussed on cycling initiatives. Improvements to pedestrian and accessibility infrastructure needs more of a focus.

- More focus is required on public transport advocacy initiatives.
- When delivering the Rosstown Rail Trail the improvements to the Murrumbeena Road intersection should consider the function of the surrounding network.
- Council Officers stated that a joint grant application has been submitted with the City of Bayside on a cycling connection to South Road.
- Wayfinding should be included within the East Caulfield Reserve cycling connection to Djerring Trail.
- Council officers should investigate whether the 'snap and send' app can be used for getting more community requests for bike parking.
- Advertising perhaps using QR code at parkateer cages should be included to ask community members to provide further bike parking requests.
- Email was received from a STAC member requesting more of a focus on pedestrian safety and pedestrian crossings. Council Officers stated this would be put on the agenda for the next STAC meeting.
- Council Officers stated that applications for the next STAC membership will open at the end of April. Current terms of Reference state "A minimum of four community representatives"
- Metropolitan Transport Forum should be utilised to advocate for bigger public transport projects.
- Micro-mobility needs to be incorporated in the Integrated Transport Strategy refresh.
- Open streets Trial/Schools Active Paths for Schools
- Update on Greenline

5. General Business:

- Council Officers to arrange for a formal letter from the Mayor thanking the STAC members for their input over the last 2 years.

6. Forward Meeting Schedule

DATE	Items	Officer/Member
TBC	TBC After new members are elected	Saskia Noakes

7. Next Meeting: *To be confirmed once new members are elected*

8. Closure of Meeting:

The meeting closed at 7:30pm

Minutes to be confirmed at the next Ordinary Council Meeting on May 2, 2023.

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1.	Council officers to investigate whether the 'snap and send' app can be used for getting more community requests for bike parking.		Saskia Noakes	
2.	Council Officers to investigate including advertising at parkateer cages to request community members to provide for additional bike parking.		Saskia Noakes	
3.	Council Officers to include pedestrian safety and pedestrian crossings on the agenda for the next STAC (date TBC).		Saskia Noakes	
6.	Council Officers to update STAC Terms of Reference to a minimum of 6 members and prepare applications for next round of STAC.		Saskia Noakes	
7.	Council Officers to arrange for a formal letter from the Mayor thanking the STAC members for their input over the last 2 years.		Saskia Noakes	