

Woolloomooloo Playground upgrade



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Key Project steps to date:

- Early engagement November 2019
- Community consultation on concept design August 2020
- Council approval of concept design October 2020
- Detailed design November 2020
- Construction tender August 2022

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Community consultation

November 2019 – early consultation

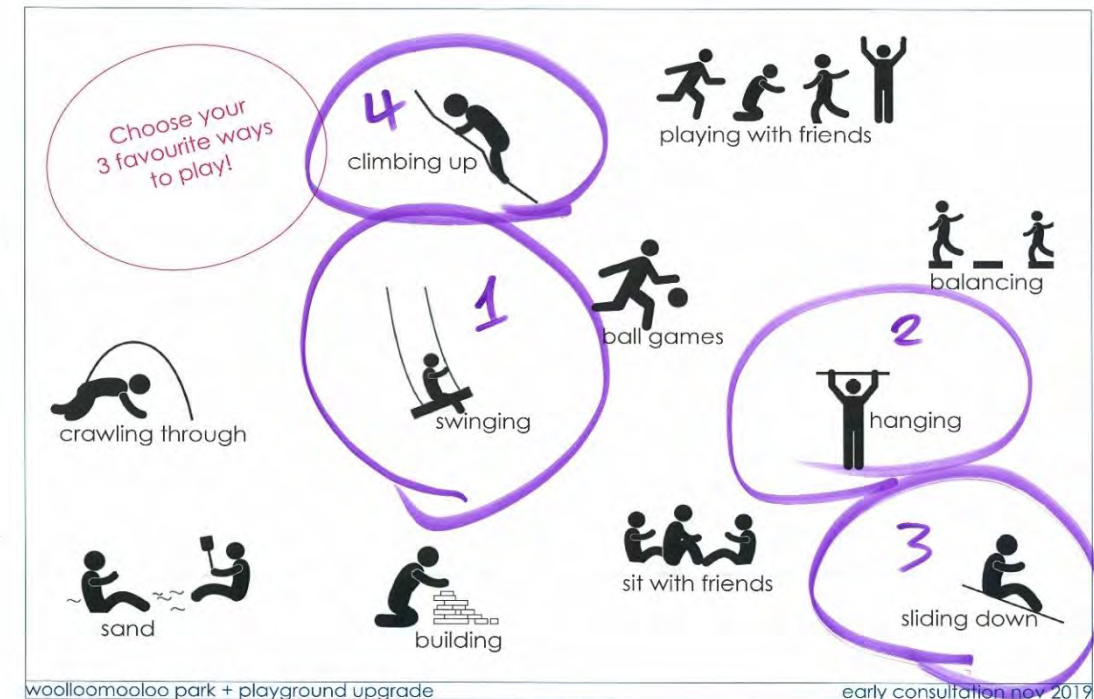
- Workshop with Plunkett Street Public School students
- Letter and survey of residents

August 2020 – concept design

- Lord Mayor letter to 559 residents surrounding the playground
- Emails to Youth and Family Connect, Plunkett Street Public School, Juanita Nielson community centre, SDN Children's Centre, Woolloomooloo community garden group
- Sydney Your Say eNews
- On site signage
- Online community meeting
- Children's activity sheet provided to Plunkett Street

Meetings with Aboriginal Elders (2021)

- Aunty Selena Blakeney and Tania Gray
- Weave group of Elders



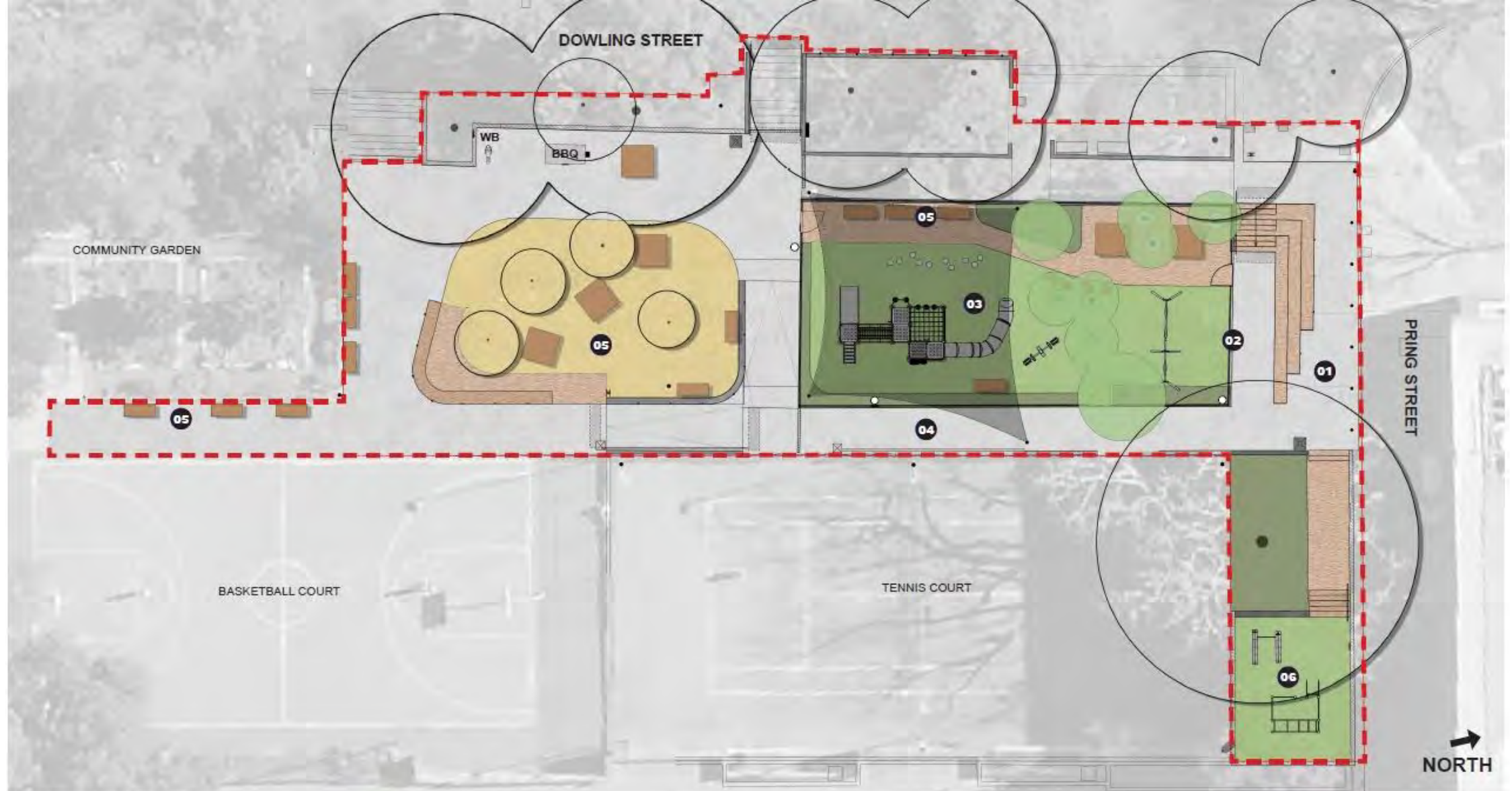
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







What the community told us:

- Increased amount of play experiences for different ages
- Minimise rubber soft-fall, more planting, improve sensory experiences
- Fully enclose the playground
- New stairs and no seating at Pring Street to avoid congregating at night
- Relocated the two seats and create a walkway along the tennis courts
- Improve lighting (along walkway)
- Accessible and inclusive access (an additional entry to the playground)

Raised during consultation with local Aboriginal community:

- Public toilets - DA on public exhibition (not in the park)
- More seating in the BBQ area and deconstructed granite
- Cultural signage



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|  | Retain and protect existing trees |  | New rubber softfall |  | New water bubbler with dog bowl |  | New consolidated playground area including play structure with play panels, climbing net and slides, swing set with three seats (x2 strap seats and x1 baby seat), seesaw and steppers. |
|  | New trees |  | New planting |  | New bins |  | Improved circulation and access paths |
|  | New concrete path |  | Retain Shade Structure |  | New park signage |  | Increased seating opportunities |
|  | New brick path, stairs and seating walls |  | Retain BBQ |  | New lighting upgrade where required |  | New exercise area with chin-up and dip bars |
|  | New decomposed granite surface |  | New platform seating |  | New park entry with stairs and bleachers | | |
| | |  | New seating with back and arm rests |  | New 'Woolloomooloo' playground fence | | |

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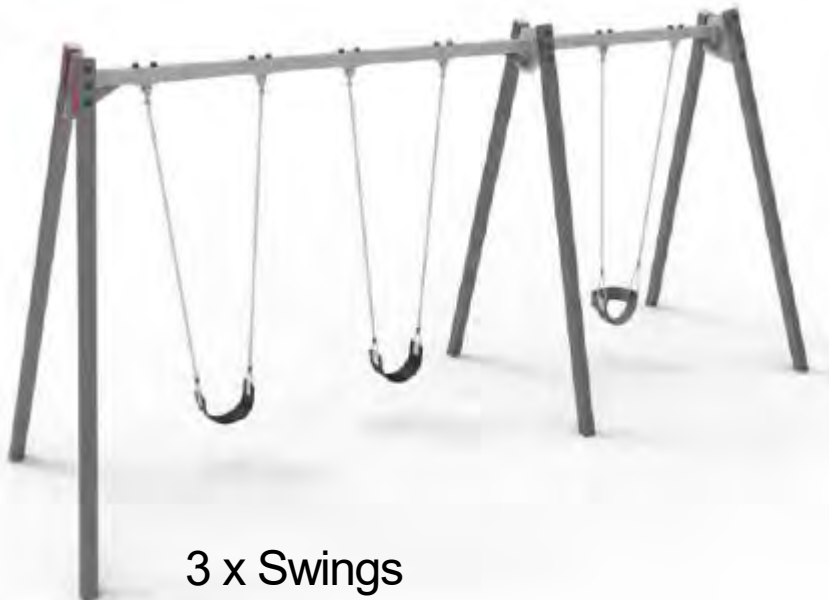
Playground equipment



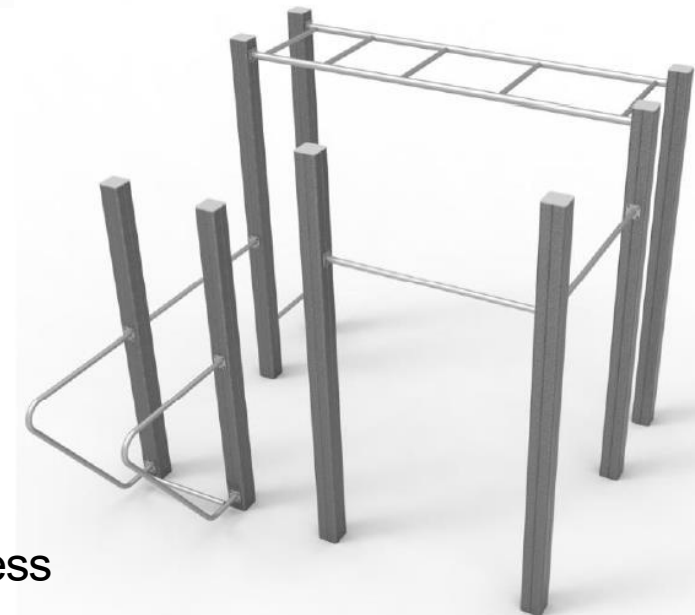
See-saw



Informal steppers



3 x Swings



Fitness

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Artist's impression (indicative only) - view from the corner of Dowling Street and Pring Street towards southeast.

Examples



Lawrence Hargrave Reserve



Glebe Foreshore



Fig Lane Playground, Ultimo