Macquarie Place

Macquarie Place is a place of great importance and historical significance and is also a small park offering major recreational benefit for the northern sector of the city. It is extensively overshadowed at present and, combined with its heavy pedestrian use, is under threat of losing more of its vegetation. If this were to happen, its character would change to a paved square.

Macquarie Place is currently subject to both existing SAP and NAO controls. SAP controls are set for 14th April at 12pm. NAO controls are set with dates set for between 14 April and 31 August between 10am-2pm.

The site is not subject to any existing SAP controls.
Macquarie Place

31 August 10am-12pm
Macquarie Place

SAP Midwinter 10am-2pm
Macquarie Place

SAP 31 August 10am-2pm
Macquarie Place

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Martin Place

Martin Place has great cultural significance due to the important buildings which line this public space and the Cenotaph which is prominently located within it. It receives extensive all day pedestrian usage and intensive lunchtime use with frequent entertainment activities. The east west orientation of Martin Place limits sunlight access to the ground plane. However, the shafts of light which penetrate along the north-south crossing streets or onto the facades of buildings on the south side become very important in providing some indirect light.

Martin Place is currently subject to both existing SAP and NAO controls. SAP controls are set for 14th April at 12pm. NAO controls are set for Martin Place West with dates set for between 14 April and 31 August between 12pm-2pm.
Martin Place  Sun Access Plane

14 April 12-2pm

12 pm
12:15 pm
12:30 pm
12:45 pm
1 pm
1:15 pm
1:30 pm
1:45 pm
2 pm
Martin Place West - Public Space

14 April 12-2pm
Martin Place West

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