



Community Land Management Plan – Pennington Oval Reserve

Name and Address of Property	Pennington Oval Reserve – Butler Avenue PENNINGTON
Ownership	City of Charles Sturt
Legal Description	Lot 7 in FP 120926 (Certificate of Title Vol 5688 Fol 840) Lot 10 in FP 120929 (Certificate of Title Vol 5688 Fol 841)
Location	Bordering Butler Avenue, Gilligan Street, Harrison Street PENNINGTON
Trust, Dedication or Restriction	Nil
Leases or Licences Issued	Refer Lease/Licence Register of Community Land
Open Space Category	District
Open Space Types	Sportsground
Endorsed by Council	Item 4.04 – 22 February 2021
Relevant Policies/By Laws (no order of priority is intended)	Environmental Sustainability Policy Play Space Policy Public Art Policy Public Open Space Water Consumption Policy Tree and Streetscape Policy Telecommunication and Electricity Infrastructure on Council Land Policy Use of Public Reserves for Commercial Fitness Activities Policy. Council By-Law No. 1 – Permits and Penalties Council By-Law No. 3 – Local Government Land Council By-Law No. 5 – Dogs and Cats

General description of the lands

Pennington Oval Reserve is a collective group of community land parcels that together form the Reserve as shown in the 'Site Map' of this Community Land Management Plan. The Reserve is a large sportsground area that caters for district sporting competition and events. The Reserve and all land parcels contained within the Reserve (except for any part of the land, where relevant, that is subject to any lease/licence as granted by Council in accordance with Section 202 of the Local Government Act) is categorised as District Open Space and Sportsground in the Types and Hierarchy explained in Community Land Management Plans – An introduction.

Purpose for which the land is held

The Council holds these lands for the primary purpose of providing open space, sporting, recreation and community facilities and services for community use and spaces that may be utilised from time to time for complementary business purposes. The Council also holds these lands for secondary purposes associated with addressing environmental, urban design, heritage and stormwater management needs (in no particular order of precedence).



Lease, Licence and Permits

Council may grant or renew leases and/or licences over any part or parts of Pennington Oval Reserve.

Any lease or licence granted or proposed to be granted must be consistent with the uses and purposes for which the Council holds the Reserve, and its objectives for the Reserve, as outlined in this Community Land Management Plan. They may be issued to various sporting, recreation, business, social or community clubs or groups for the use of buildings or any other open space within the Reserve whose activities cater for the local or broader community.

The Council may grant leases and licences of any length, and on any terms, to organisations established for sporting, recreation, social and/or community purposes over any land and/or buildings to which this Community Land Management Plan relates.

Council may issue a licence and/or permit to allow access over the Reserve, or to allow for an activity of a short-term nature. Uses of the land prohibited by Council by laws without approval or uses not identified in this management plan may be approved in relation to the Reserve for instances such as, but not limited to, access to adjoining properties during building construction work.

Council may issue an authorisation for commercial activities under Section 200 of the Local Government Act 1999. Authorised activities must be consistent with the purposes for which the Reserve is held. Approvals may be given on conditions the Council considers appropriate.

An example of activities Council considers relevant to the purposes of the Reserve when considering lease, licence or permit requests are (without limitation)

- Passive and active sporting activities, events and competitions.
- Community and recreational activities and/or services catering to all ages and cultural groups.
- Fundraising, educational and community awareness events that support cultural diversity, health, fitness and general community wellbeing.

Permits, licences or easements may be granted by Council to public service provider authorities, within delegations of a relevant Act, for the purposes of provision of electricity, gas, water, internet and telecommunications services (except for above ground telecommunications towers).



Management Objectives for the lands (in no particular order of precedence)

- To provide open space areas and facilities, and services from those areas and facilities, that encourage participation in, and facilitate, sporting, recreational, cultural and community pursuits and to seek to maximise the use of the lands and their facilities for these purposes.
- To support and encourage sporting clubs to provide the community opportunities for sporting and recreational activities.
- To address specific environmental, heritage and urban design objectives.
- To utilise a portion of the Reserve for stormwater management purposes if necessary.

Proposal for managing the land

The management of Pennington Oval Reserve is to be consistent with the descriptions and guiding principles for use and development identified in District Open Space Hierarchy and Sportsground Open Space Type described in Community Land Management Plans – An introduction.

Performance Targets and Measures for the land

The performance targets and measures for Pennington Oval Reserve are outlined below. They do not indicate an order of hierarchy or priority.

Performance Targets	Performance Measures
To develop and pursue opportunities for community participation in active and passive, formal and/or informal sporting, recreational, cultural and community-based pursuits.	Increased visitation and use of Council’s open space areas and facilities as measured by an audit of Council’s customer feedback platforms and customer surveys as conducted from time to time and reported to Asset Management Committee.
To develop and pursue maximised shared use of open space and facilities that support the sporting, recreational and community uses of the lands (including but not limited to facilities such as clubroom, storerooms, playing surfaces, seating, shade, carparking, amenities, art works, cultural heritage references, lighting, paths, fencing, fitness and play equipment etc.)	Increased community satisfaction with, and use of, Council’s open space areas and recreational facilities measured by an audit of customer feedback platforms, issued permits, registers and customer surveys as conducted from time to time and reported to Asset Management Committee.
Renew/upgrade landscaped areas, building assets, recreational facilities and associated infrastructure as outlined in the relevant Asset Management Plan.	Completed works reported to Asset Management Committee.



<p>Support lessees/licences to provide and develop sporting and recreational opportunities for the community.</p>	<p>Lessee/licensee obligations met, and memberships retained, as measured by a review of Council's registers and annual rent review processes with noncompliance matters reported to the Asset Management Committee.</p>
<p>Provide a safe environment for visitors and users of the Reserve.</p>	<p>Reduction in security incidents reported to Council as measured by an audit of Council's customer feedback platforms.</p>

Site Map

