

Native plant subsidy scheme

The City has extended its native plant subsidy scheme (run in partnership with WESROC) into June.

Ratepayers can buy up to 80 local native plants for their verge and garden at the subsidised cost of \$1.75 each. As well as enhancing and supporting local biodiversity, native plants require little water or fertiliser once they're established.

APACE Nursery (open Monday to Friday) in North Fremantle is facilitating the scheme. Proof of residency is required. For more, visit www.apacewa.org.au or www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.

Restoration project gets green light

Subiaco Library is set to be restored to its former glory and preserved for generations to come after Council gave the green light to a new project.

Subiaco Library (E H Parker Library) is a landmark building in Subiaco but past landscape and design choices coupled with rising damp has resulted in a decline in the condition of the exterior of the building.

The new project will restore, remediate and ultimately enhance the exterior of this important building that forms part of the City's Local Heritage Register.

Plastic Free July coming up

The City will investigate opportunities to reduce single-use plastics and increase recycling in its day-to-day operations, after a decision made by Council on Tuesday evening.

The Elected Members' Motion flagged the opportunity as Plastic Free July approaches, noting that reducing the City's use of single-use plastics is an action in its Waste Plan 2020-2025.

Stay tuned on the City's website and social media channels for more about upcoming Plastic Free July initiatives.

Proposed scheme amendment

Council have resolved not to adopt a proposed amendment to Local Planning Scheme No. 5 (LPS 5) regarding a change in density within the street block bound by Waylen Road, Railway Road, Morgan Street and Fortune Street.

The City recently received the request from a landowner for a proposed increased in density to a number of lots in this block.

Council deemed the proposed amendment was not consistent with a local planning strategy for the scheme that has been endorsed by the Western Australian Planning Commission.

Heritage grants

The City appreciates the dedication of home owners who work to conserve and enhance their heritage properties, and, in turn, the beautiful heritage of our suburbs.

Council recently awarded two grants for works to heritage properties. One grant was awarded towards repairing and/or acid cleaning the original stained glass windows of a property on Nicholson Road, and the second towards reinstating timber sash windows to the first floor façade of a building on Hay Street.

The grants provide financial assistance to property owners for works in the public view that conserve or enhance the heritage significance of an area, and for works required to stabilise a building.





UPCOMING EVENTS



Subiaco Library Book Club

Tuesday 7 June, 6.30pm to 7.30pm Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road



Digication: streaming online

Thursday 9 June, 1.30pm to 2.30pm Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road Free, bookings essential

Community lunch for seniors

Monday 20 June, 12pm to 2pm The Third Place, 325 Barker Road \$20, bookings essential

To book your spot or view all upcoming events, visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events.

New Waste Local Law endorsed

reduction of waste to landfill.

Disability Access and Inclusion Plan feedback sought

community groups, businesses and visitors 2022-2027.

- City's Administration Centre. Call **9237 9327** to register your interest.
- www.haveyoursay.subiaco. wa.gov.au/daip2022

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