

SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENTS 1 JULY 2016 - 30 JUNE 2018

City of Unley

City of Mitcham

Priority Area 1 – Stronger and Healthier Communities for all generations

Alternate travel options such as public transport, cycling and pedestrian friendly environments have been supported through Council's *Cycling and Walking Plan*. Additionally, the City of Unley has established two bike repair stations (Unley Road and King William Road) with a third scheduled for Clarence Park Community Centre. Mobility scooter recharge stations have been established at Council community facilities including the Civic Centre; Unley Library; Unley, Fullarton Park and Goodwood Community Centres; and Unley Swimming Centre.

Innovative engagement projects including the Greening Verges Grant and Guide have provided opportunities for neighbourhoods to improve the community amenity. Young people were engaged in the redesign of the Unley Oval Playground and Council's Age Friendly Streetscape Guidelines have been developed in consultation with the Active Ageing Alliance.

Council's cultural development projects, including the recently established Multi-year Community Impact Grants program and the Community Event Sponsorship Program support long-term investment in improving community vibrancy and social interaction. Providing support to Council's 370 volunteers adds value to many of the programs and activities delivered.

Young people and families are well recognised in *Living Well* and Council's many literacy and early learning programs in tandem with the newly endorsed *Living Young Plan* support children from birth to 24 years. Additionally, this priority area is reinforced by Council's *Active Ageing Strategy* and the support provided to older people to remain active and live independently in their own home.

The City of Mitcham Strategic Management Plan 2017 – 2027 is founded on a desire to create an inclusive community that supports health and wellbeing. Objectives within the Plan that detail this vision are supported by a range of other Council plans and policies. These include but are not limited to the draft Spatial Vision, Key Precinct Structure Plans, Access and Inclusion Plans, draft Integrated Transport Plan and Youth Plan.

Planning reform has provided the opportunity to ensure that a future development regime addresses contemporary and future demographics of communities to ensure environments support and improve health outcomes. This has been a key focus during the reporting period.

With change to the delivery of home support services to the aged and disabled, Council continues to support the recipients of those services and assist clients who will be transitioning to the NDIS. Council has demonstrated commitment to all segments of the community, such as by delivering all 31 actions of the Youth Plan 2014-17 and initiating a new Youth Plan.

Significant achievements that demonstrate Council's commitment to a stronger and healthier community include:

- i. Development of a new Library and Cultural Centre at Hawthorn, which has commenced construction.
- ii. Infrastructure upgrades that support safer cycling and pedestrian access.
- iii. Funding of an inspection program of volunteer's vehicles that was recognised by an LGA Scheme Award.

Priority Area 2 – Increasing Opportunities for Healthy Living, Healthy Eating and Being Active

The continuation of Council's Active Unley program has engaged many sport and recreation providers in the area, encouraging residents to participate in physical activity in their local community.

Planning, developing and utilising open space with the health and wellbeing of people of all ages has been supported across Council through initiatives including the Age Friendly Streetscapes program, the establishment of community orchards and support for nature play events and activities. The City of Unley was a partner in the establishment of a dog park in the South Park Lands.

The City of Unley has also advocated for policy improvements in the development of the new Planning and Design Code, to be implemented from July 2020.

Upgrades to Goodwood Oval and Unley Oval facilities and amenities are underway and the detailed design for King William Road has commenced.

Accessible, pedestrian and cycle-friendly environments are supported via the *Walking and Cycling Plan 2016-2021* and continue to be activated in areas including Rugby/Porter bikeway and the Goodwood Road redevelopment.

Unley Community Centre provides a nutritious and affordable meal service four days per week. Nutrition and cooking-for-one programs are also offered across Council's community centres.

Numerous initiatives delivered by Council promote opportunities for healthy living for people of all ages, abilities and interests. This intent starts 'in-house' with a new Health and Wellbeing Policy that strives to create a workplace environment that supports and encourages healthy choices. For example, bikes (including an electric bike) are available to Council staff at different worksites as an alternative transport mode for short trips.

Direction to fulfil Priority Area 2 is set out in Council documents such as the Sports Facility Strategy, Access and Inclusion Plan 2015-2020, Trails Strategy 2005, Draft Integrated Transport Plan, Dog and Cat Management Plan 2018-2023 and Community Garden Policy.

The creation of a community garden at Cumberland Park Community Centre was a highlight and promotes all three elements of this priority area. The completion of the new Randell Park built-trail was another significant achievement and adds to the network of trails, the value of which is acknowledged in the City of Mitcham Strategic Management Plan 2017-2027.

Priority Area 3 – Preparing for Climate Change

The City of Unley's participation in the cross-Council Resilient East initiative has progressed a focus on climate change. In particular, Resilient East delivers the actions identified in the Climate Change Adaptation Plan, and provides information and action in the areas of heat wave resilience, urban heat mapping, and tree canopy measures and targets.

Water sensitive urban design initiatives have also been implemented, and support has been provided to UniSA studies regarding the thermal environment for older people.

Partnerships have provided a strong basis for Council to imbed sustainability principles in its business and prepare the community for climate change. Council's commitment to the 'Resilient South' initiative was fortified during the reporting period with the signing of the Resilient South Sector Agreement for the Southern Adelaide Region 2018-2020.

Collaboration with organisations such as the Red Cross have enabled Council to promote and encourage resilience of the broader community, especially vulnerable residents that are at greater susceptibility of emergency events.

<p>In terms of infrastructure improvement to support sustainable design, Council has installed solar panels on Unley Swimming Centre, Fullarton Park Community Centre and Clarence Park Community Centre.</p>	<p>Progress was made in the implementation of Council plans and strategies addressing environmental sustainability, climate change and emergency management. Outcomes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat maps to guide urban planning and design • Use of permeable paving • New rain gardens • Impacts of flooding along Brown Hill Creek mitigated due to bank repair, culverts and tree removal • Energy efficiencies, safer street and less back spilled light pollution following the upgrade of 5000 street lights to LEDs.
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Priority Area 4 – Sustaining an Improving Public and Environmental Health Protection

<p>Council’s Environmental Health program continues to provide a quarterly report to capture service levels and outputs across a range of functions, with an annual report provided to SA Health on Food Safety and Environmental Health actions.</p> <p>In addition to Council’s regulatory functions, public health is supported through a range of initiatives such as community immunisation clinics, process mapping for dealing with squalor conditions, and the provision of kerbside and recycling collection services.</p> <p>Waste management programs are ongoing, with continued support for the three-bin system at events, recycling bins in parks and e-waste disposal cages located at the Depot and two community centres.</p> <p>Council’s Animal Management Plan has mostly exceeded targets for Year 2, with greater numbers of registered and micro-chipped dogs than targeted.</p>	<p>Council has been responsive to situational factors and external influences in the delivery of services that aim to improve and protect public and environmental health.</p> <p>A significant achievement during the reporting period was the commitment to the Meningococcal B study, whilst also delivering a highly efficient and effective community and school-based immunisation program. This was brought to light by an Immunisation Service Review undertaken in 2018.</p> <p>Council’s Bushfire Management Plan is reviewed and updated annually to correlate with identified regional bushfire hazards.</p> <p>During the process of developing the Dog and Cat Management Plan 2018 2023, Council’s performance against the previous Plan was evaluated. Outcomes that contribute to health and wellbeing included a decrease in dog attacks causing injury and increased rehoming of lost dogs and cats.</p> <p>Additional areas of progress include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commitment to a collaborative approach to severe domestic squalor • Introduction of the Food Safety Rating Scheme in food service businesses • Improved resources committed to building compliance • Public health representation on Councils Incident Response Command Team • Implementation of a new Waste Management Strategy. <p>The introduction of the <i>Local Nuisance and Litter Control Act 2016</i> during the reporting period has seen Council’s role in minor environmental nuisances expand. A proportion of the 900+ complaints received in the first year comprise new responsibilities, such as noise and air quality.</p>
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Living Well:

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SUMMARY OF FUTURE ACTIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES	
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Priority Area 1 – Stronger and Healthier Communities	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore opportunities to engage young people as volunteers. Continued project teams across Council to facilitate social, health and cultural wellbeing outcomes into major projects. Continued focus on Active Ageing in open space planning and redevelopment, including the ongoing engagement of the Active Ageing Alliance. Continued support to recognise youth achievements and support local student research and work experience Update City of Unley Public Health Atlas to reflect trends. Continued support particularly to young people and via the Active Ageing Alliance to ensure community involvement in Council decision-making. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opening of the new Mitcham Memorial Library with provision for expanded learning opportunities Development of Blackwood Community Hub incorporating the Blackwood Library and Community Centre Completion of Events review Completion of new Youth Plan
Priority Area 2 – Increasing Opportunities for Healthy Living, Healthy Eating and Being Active	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continued assistance provided to sporting clubs. Finalise and implement Footpath Trading Policy to facilitate outdoor dining and business merchandising on Council footpaths without compromising pedestrian access. Continue growing awareness of smoking zones surrounding Council premises. ‘smoke free’ Unley and outdoor dining incentive program. Animal Management Plan 2016-2020 Year 3 actions. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funding of Open Space Strategy Completion of Community Grants review Completion of Smoking Policy
Priority Area 3 – Preparing for Climate Change	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continued participation in the Resilient East initiative across Councils, including a focus on heat mapping, measuring tree canopy and implementing water sensitive urban design. Heat mapping tools to be made available online for public use. Facilitation of Living Smart program to increase awareness of environmentally sustainable lifestyle practices. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ‘Health check’ of Councils Emergency Management arrangements
Priority Area 4 – Sustaining an Improving Public and Environmental Health Protection	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continued provision of quarterly KPI reports on Environmental Health activities. Continue to review waste management services for mixed use, higher density developments via planning and assessment stage. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of Waste Management Guidelines for multi-unit developments

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GENERAL PROJECT INITIATIVE

Action #	Action	Timeframes	New/Enhance /Ongoing	Joint/Independent	Responsibility	COU Status	COM Status
0.1	Establish Living Well Project Team (LWPT)	November 2015	New	Joint	COU GM Community COM General Manager, Development Services & Community Safety	COMPLETE	Completed
0.2	Develop Living Well Action Plan and Reporting Framework	March 2015	New	Joint	COU GM Community COM General Manager, Development Services & Community Safety	COMPLETE	Completed
0.3	Determine Reporting Requirements for LWPT to State Government	June 2015	New	Joint	COU GM Community COM General Manager, Development Services & Community Safety	COMPLETE	Completed The reporting framework was reviewed against that recommended by SA Health.
0.4	Establish Partnerships with Medicare Locals	December 2015	New	Individual	COU Manager Community Services COM Manager Community Wellbeing	n/a – Medicare Locals no longer in operation	Medicare Locals have been replaced by the Adelaide Primary Health Network. Partnership opportunities with a variety of health care agencies have been pursued as appropriate.

Priority One – STRONGER AND HEALTHIER COMMUNITIES AND NEIGHBOURHOODS FOR ALL GENERATIONS

Action #	Action	Timeframes	New/Enhance /Ongoing	Joint/Independent	Responsibility	COU Status	COM Status
Built and Natural Environments							
1.1	Formalise multi-disciplinary project teams to facilitate the integration of social, health and cultural wellbeing considerations into major projects for the region. Refer to SA guidance materials for: “healthy by design”, “Green Infrastructure Guidelines” and “age Friendly Neighbourhoods”.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	COU EMT and Project Managers Whole of Council COM Manager Community Wellbeing	ONGOING Project teams for key projects including: - KW Rd redevelopment - Open space strategy complete - Goodwood Rd complete - Unley Central - Unley Civic - Verge guide - Greening Verges grant in place	Draft spatial vision for the City of Mitcham together with key precinct structure plans have been developed with the assistance of cross-Council directorate and Elected Members.

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Street Tree Strategy (first 2 years of 5 implementation plan achieved) - Age friendly streetscapes guidelines in place - Sport and Rec Plan - Unley Oval Playground upgrade 	The spatial vision for the City of Mitcham will inform how all future development occurs within the Council and will be a driver of health, education, employment and social outcomes for the City.
1.2	Facilitate development to meet housing affordability and diversity targets within the City of Unley and Mitcham Development Plans.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Principal Policy Planner</p> <p>COM Manager Planning and Building Services</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Affordable housing and diversity policies within Development Plan - Residential DPA (diversity and growth areas) approved 2017 - Urban Corridor MDPA (mixed use and high density residential) approved 2017 - Unley Central DPA (mixed use and high density residential) approved 2017 	The Council has recently endorsed the development of social housing within the City at Melrose Park by Junction Australia to provide a diversity of housing options for people who would otherwise not be able to enter the housing market. This development comprises the division of land into 22 new residential allotments comprising 21 standalone dwellings and a single residential flat building containing 15 apartments
1.3	Plan and prioritise urban environments and infrastructure to promote equal physical access for people with disabilities.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Manager Community Services TL Building & EHO</p> <p>COM Manager Community Wellbeing</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Age Friendly Streetscapes - Goodwood Rd DDA report - Civic buildings (Civic, Depot, Community Centres) upgraded to meet DDA requirements <p>DDA Plan work in progress</p>	<p>Implementation of Council's Access and Inclusion Plan 2015 – 2020 is in progress.</p> <p>Universal design and accessibility training was undertaken by Community Wellbeing staff in 2017.</p>
1.4	Encourage property developers to consider age friendly principles within project design	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Manager Development & Building Principal Policy Planner</p> <p>COM Manager Planning and Building</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Emphasis given to access in developments - World Health Organisation accreditation for Unley to be an Age Friendly City - Investigating large supported accommodation sites to ensure good design principles 	The Council's draft spatial vision has paid particular focus to the physical and mental wellbeing of the community based upon supporting the ability of residents to "age in place". More particularly, considered planning investigations have occurred to facilitate the clustering of housing choices for older people in close proximity to the former Repatriation Hospital Precinct.

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1.5	Advocate through the planning reform process for the incorporation of “healthy by design” and “age friendly design” guidelines into the DPTI Better Development Plan Policy Library for subsequent incorporation into Council’s Development Plan.	TBA	New	Joint	<p>COU Principal Policy Planner</p> <p>COM Manager Planning and Building Services</p> <p>Principal Planner Land Use Policy</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New Planning & Design Code from July 2020 - Contribute to DPTI Residential Neighbourhoods Working Group to help develop new Code 	The Council has provided considered feedback to DPTI on proposed changes to land use classifications for aged-care facilities to better facilitate aging in place within the City of Mitcham. Current land use classifications do not reflect contemporary aged care accommodation services, therefore placing the potential development of such facilities in jeopardy due to poor land zoning for that purpose.
1.6	Advocate for improved public transport services in the region.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Various Manager Community Development & Wellbeing Manager Urban Planning Design & Transport</p> <p>COM Manager Community Wellbeing</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community bus service reviewed and new door to door service implemented - Ongoing advocacy and lobbying role - Tram network participation - Accessibility to public transport via improved physical asset - Millswood Train station reopened 	<p>Consideration of light rail has informed the City of Mitcham’s structure planning process. The key precincts identified in spatial planning process are all located within high frequency public transport routes and nodes.</p> <p>Council continues to subsidise a taxi service in poorly serviced areas of the hills for short trips.</p>
1.7	Continue to support alternate travel options (public transport, cycling) and pedestrian friendly environments through Local Area Traffic Studies and precinct planning projects.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Manager Transportation & Traffic</p> <p>COM Manager Traffic and Transport Planning</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rugby/Porter bikeway enhancements - Cycling and Walking Plan in place - Sharrows via line marking program - First LATM Plan in place (first stage implemented, 2nd underway) - Unley Bike Users Group in place - Shared bike program trialled across sites and events - Council e-bikes in place - Two bike repair stations in place and an additional one planned - Adelaide Free Bikes program trialled - Goodwood Rd assets (i.e. seating) improved 	<p>The City of Mitcham Integrated Transport Plan has been drafted with the goal of a people friendly transport, cycling and pedestrian network.</p> <p><i>Highlights:</i> <i>The following upgrades were approved:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Blackwood roundabout ii. Sussex Tce and Grange Road roundabout – identified as second worst in state for cyclists. <p><i>Major upgrades to Springbank Road were undertaken including formalised bike lanes and pedestrian refuges.</i></p>

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						- Recharge stations for mobility scooters at key facilities	<i>Infrastructure improvements in partnership with the Way to Go program promoted safe and active travel to Hawthorn Primary School and Bellevue Heights Primary Schools.</i>
Vibrant and Engaged Communities							
1.8	Negotiate events, the arts and cultural development in the region to support community vibrancy and social interaction.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Cultural Development Coordinator Events Coordinator</p> <p>COM Heritage Advisor and Local History Service Coordinator</p> <p>Events Coordinator – events</p> <p>Community Dev Manager – public art</p> <p>Com Dev Manager – community gardens</p> <p>Community Centre facilitator – social interaction</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Public Arts Strategy in place, years 3 and 4 completed. - Community Grants program, including new multi-year grant program implemented - Art integrated into designs for Goodwood Rd and KW Rd redevelopments - SALA supported annually via artist subsidies and promotion - New public artworks installed across 12 sites - Discover Historic Unley walking trails in place - Reconciliation Week celebrated annually - Harmony Day events supported annually 	<p>The Mitcham Heritage Centre Strategic Plan continues to be implemented. Council has funded a Heritage Incentive Scheme to assist the recipients of development approvals to part-fund development involving the restoration of local and State Heritage listed buildings and places within the Council area.</p> <p>An Events review was initiated and is ongoing.</p> <p>Council endorsed a Public Art Framework and implementation has commenced.</p> <p><i>Highlight: The City of Mitcham has approved and commenced construction of the new Library and Cultural Centre at Hawthorn. Completion of the works is anticipated for February 2019.</i></p>
1.9	Identify and implement community engagement strategies to improve community involvement in Council decision-making.	June 2015	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Community Development Manager</p> <p>COM Business Partner Communications and Marketing</p> <p>Manager Corporate Affairs</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community engagement occurs alongside all strategy development - COU was a stakeholder and contributor to the development of Planning, Development and Infrastructure Act – Community Engagement Charter - COU implemented Innovative engagement techniques including participatory budgeting, forums - Established the Active Ageing Alliance 	<p>The level and style of community engagement is guided by the Public Consultation Policy that was adopted by Council mid-2016.</p> <p><i>Highlight – extensive, staged community involvement occurred during the creation of Council’s Strategic Management Plan 2017-2027. The result is a Plan that addresses stakeholder’s key issues, trends, opportunities and values.</i></p>

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Utilisation of Your Say Unley to offer ongoing opportunities for community input and engagement - Partnerships developed with local schools to enable young people's input into relevant Council activities 	
1.10	Promote opportunities for volunteering across all age groups and recognise the contribution of volunteers in our region.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Manager Community Development & Welfare</p> <p>COM Volunteer Coordinator</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Volunteer Coordinator in place - Key service areas rely on support of Council's 370 volunteers - Reward and Recognition program for volunteers reviewed and new approached implemented - Community Grants program recognises volunteer hours - Grants SA funding secured to deliver training to community volunteers - Club development workshop program complete 	<p>A new Volunteer Policy was endorsed 2017.</p> <p>'Community News' was used as a medium to promote volunteering and recognise volunteers.</p> <p>Reward and recognition events were held to recognise the contribution of 365+ volunteers.</p> <p><i>Highlight: Council received a LGA Scheme Award in November 2017 for the Volunteer Vehicle Inspection Program funded by Council to promote driver and passenger safety.</i></p>
1.11	Partner with local health providers and the Medicare locals to facilitate access to health program information via Council community facilities. (Medicare Locals replaced by Adelaide Primary Health Network.)	December 2015 Then Ongoing	New	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager</p> <p>COM Manager Community Development</p>	n/a – Medicare Locals no longer in operation	<p>Collaboration opportunities with Mission Australia and Disability SA were pursued to help Council's clients' transition to the NDIS.</p> <p>Wellbeing and Resilience Training was delivered to residents in partnership with SAMRHI and the Cities of Onkaparinga, Marion and Holdfast Bay.</p>
1.12	Undertake continued promotion of early childhood literacy and lifelong learning opportunities through Council libraries.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Library & Museum Manager</p> <p>COM Manager Library Services</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ongoing promotion undertaken via newsletters, flyers, posters and social media - Weekly Babytime and Storytime sessions remain popular 	<p>Babies, children's & school programmes are ongoing.</p> <p>Digital literacy, ESL classes, book groups, adult enrichment and author visits are ongoing.</p>

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Council-wide school holiday program in place across Libraries, Community Centres, Museum - Children's program in place - Young Writer's group in place - Multi lingual and Early Learning kits - Support for Children's University activities across sites - Digital Literacy program in place - Schools connection program in place 	<p>Adult literacy collections, large print, audit book collections and programs for intellectually challenged groups are ongoing.</p> <p>Community bus visits and home delivery programmes are in place to improve accessibility.</p>
1.13	Establish Council policies and Action Plans to recognise youth achievements and support local student research and work experience.	June 2015	New	Independent	<p>COU All</p> <p>COM Youth Development Officer</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Living Young Action Plan 2015-2017 reviewed and updated, new 2018-2021 Action Plan in place - Highlight of the Plan include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Supporting young people via student placements, work experience, internships, mentoring etc. - Increasing the number of young people applying for youth sponsorship from 78 to 90 - Implementing 4 programs based on the input of young people - COU partnered with UniSA on a new Innovation program in 2017/18 - Youth sponsorships program in place - Support for High School students undertaking community service placements and University students undertaking placements - Libraries offer Junior Shelves position x 2 annually - Arts Ready Trainee position in place to support HS students 	<p>All 31 actions of the Youth Plan 2014-17 were delivered and a new Youth Plan is being developed.</p>

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Active and Healthy Lifestyles							
2.1	Plan open spaces and recreational facilities to encourage physical activity and wellbeing across all age groups and abilities and plan for open space to meet community needs.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Sport & Recreation Planner Urban Design Manager</p> <p>COM Sport and Recreation Officer</p> <p>Manager Sport and Recreation</p> <p>Manager Natural Environments</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Open Space and Sport and Rec Plans in place - Assessment of open space and sport facility use complete, recommendations adopted by Council - Innovation in Community Engagement re Open Space piloted at Unley Oval playground - Exercise equipment Ridge Park in place - Active Unley program Years 3 and 4 (of 5) implemented - Community Orchards in place in 5 sites - Nature play events facilitated and supported including Mud Central, Festival of Mud and Wild Imagination - Tree tags established to increase public awareness - Information signage established at Ridge Park - Katherine St Reserve developed 	<p>Council's Sports Facility Strategy was endorsed in November 2016. Guiding Principles address equity, accessibility & diversity to support a mix of activities and participation.</p> <p>Implementation of Council's Access and Inclusion Plan 2015 – 2020 is in progress.</p> <p>Playground renewal projects incorporated nature and / or adventure play as directed by community consultation feedback.</p>
2.2	Update Council reviews of community access to multi-functional open space at the local and regional level (incorporating the City of Mitcham, Unley and Adelaide City Council South Parklands) – <i>Note: Consider as a regional project across Unley and Mitcham.</i>	TBA	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Sport & Recreation Planner General Manager Planning & ED</p> <p>COM Manager Natural Environments</p> <p>Sport and Recreation Officer</p> <p>Manager Sport and Recreation</p>	<p>COMPLETE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Asset utilisation investigated and recommendations adopted by Council - COU staff member represented LGA on Park Lands Management Review Committee – Park Lands Management Strategy now in place - Marshmallow Park upgrade complete in Park Lands - Dog Park established in South Park Lands - Almond Ave shared use reduced speed endorsed 	<p>An Open Space Strategy has been proposed for 2018-19 and is subject to funding.</p>

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2.3	Consider age friendly design principles in planning for open space redevelopment.	TBA	New	Independent	<p>COU Urban Design Manager</p> <p>COM Manager Natural Environments</p> <p>Sport and Recreation Officer</p> <p>Manager Sport and Recreation</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ridge Park and Katherine St reserve age friendly design elements implemented - Age Friendly Streetscape guidelines in place 	An Open Space Strategy has been proposed for 2018-19 and is subject to funding.
2.4	Actively participate in the Adelaide Parklands Management Review Committee to influence redevelopment of the Adelaide Parklands.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU General Manager Planning & ED Principal Policy Planner</p> <p>COM N/A</p>	<p>COMPLETE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - COU staff member represented LGA on Park Lands Management Review Committee – Park Lands Management Strategy now in place. - Marshmallow Park upgrade complete in Park Lands - Dog Park established in South Park Lands 	Not applicable
2.5	Promote regional open space, parks, trails and facilities and the benefits of these assets to physical and mental wellbeing in the region.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Sport & Recreation Planner</p> <p>COM Manager City Maintenance</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Active Unley brand ongoing - Rugby/Porter bikeway promoted - Events program and Public Arts Strategy utilise and promote open spaces - Active Ageing Australia engaged to deliver Moving For Life program, seeking to increase the participation of older people in exercise - Community orchards established - Nature Play events and resources facilitated and supported - Magical Parks program in place - Parks and Playgrounds brochure in place 	<p>Implementation of Council's Trails Strategy 2005 is ongoing to manage shared use of the trail network.</p> <p>Funding was gained to develop stage 3 Sturt Lineal Trail in conjunction with the City of Onkaparinga.</p> <p><i>Highlight – the new Randell Park built-trail was completed</i></p>
2.6	Encourage community sporting clubs in the region to adopt the "Good Sports" initiative, discourage smoking at junior/family sports venues through Council leasing arrangements and adopt healthy food policies.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Sport & Recreation Planner Asset Manager</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Incorporated within the Sport and Recreation Plan 	A review of Council's lease and licencing arrangement were endorsed and is being implemented.

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					COM Sport and Recreation Officer Property Officer (Leasing)	- Continue to actively monitor sporting club registrations and provide assistance to clubs	Clubs and community groups were provided with educational material and regular workshops held with positive initiatives.
2.7	Support and promote appropriate outdoor recreation classes at Council reserves via a permitting scheme.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	COU Sport & Recreation Planner COM Property Officer (Leasing) Sport and Recreation Officer	ONGOING - Permitting scheme in place - Actioned via events, particularly At First Light event, Meraki Festival	A permitting scheme is in place for hire of council facilities including reserves however, no applications have been received for activities involving outdoor recreation.
2.8	Encourage and prioritise accessible, pedestrian and cycle friendly environments through Council precinct, asset and local area traffic management projects.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	COU Traffic Management Manager COM Manager Natural Environments	ONGOING - Rugby/Porter bikeway enhancements - Walking and Cycling Plan in place - Sharrows via line marking program - First LATM Plan in place (first stage implemented, 2 nd underway) - Unley Bike Users Group in place - Shared bike program trialled across sites and events - Council e-bikes in place - Two bike repair stations in place and an additional one planned - Adelaide Free Bikes program trialled - Goodwood Rd assets (i.e. seating) improved - Recharge stations for mobility scooters at key facilities - Age Friendly Streetscapes project	The City of Mitcham Bikeway Plan has been superseded and integrated into the draft Integrated Transport Plan. Three priority areas were identified to improve north south connections: Belair to City Bikeway, Eastern Hills Bikeway and Flinders to City Bikeway. A long-term cycling & walking strategy will then be established to create a connected network. <i>Highlight: Staff Cycle Scheme launched to provide alternative transport for short council-trips.</i>
2.9	Integrate community health considerations into Council Animal Management Planning (recognising the benefits of dog ownership to increasing physical activity).	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	COU TEAM LEADER Regulatory Services COM Team Leader Compliance	ONGOING - Animal Management Plan 2016-20 currently being implemented - Pets as Companions, dog walking programs in place	Objective of new Dog and Cat Management Plan 2018-2023 to develop 2 nd dog park in Council area to encourage hills residents to exercise.

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Supported annual Dogapalooza event - Dog off-leash times in Council reserves reviewed - Microchipping program in place 	Supporting infrastructure in all 'off-leash' spaces proposed to be enhanced to maintain amenity while increasing use by dog owners.
2.10	Establish a "Living Well" theme to actively promote healthy activity programs offered in Council community facilities and explore funding opportunities for local programs.	Ongoing	New	Independent	<p>COU Sport & Recreation Planner</p> <p>COM Manager Community Development</p> <p>Environmental Health Officers</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Active Unley program in place - Community Centres program offers comprehensive range of programs inc many Strength for Life sessions per week across multiple facilities - Living Smart program offered across Unley/Mitcham region 	Support for health activity programmes to locate in Council's community centres has resulted in an increase in the number of health activities operating from Blackwood, the Cultural Village and Cumberland Park.
2.11	Incorporate a "community health" theme into the Council community grants schemes.	June 2015	New	Independent	<p>COU Community Development Manager Cultural Development Coordinator</p> <p>COM Manager Community Development</p>	<p>COMPLETE</p> <p>Community Impact Grants program encompasses this theme.</p>	To be considered as part of the Community Grants review to be undertaken in 2018.
Smoke Free Environments							
2.12	Address smoking at children's playgrounds and public transport shelters in accordance with the <i>Tobacco Products Regulations Act 1997</i> .	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager Team Leader Regulatory Services</p> <p>COM Compliance Officers</p>	<p>COMPLETE</p> <p>Legislative changes in place and smoking is not permitted within 10m of playgrounds or at public transport waiting areas.</p>	No smoking in playgrounds is monitored by Council Community Safety Officers during regular duties. By-law 3 of 2015 addresses non-smoking in addition to the <i>Tobacco Products Regulations Act 1997</i> .
2.13	Advocate for the expansion of the <i>Tobacco Products Regulations Act 1997</i> to incorporate outdoor eating areas.	Ongoing	Enhanced	Independent	<p>COU Traffic Management Manager Team Leader Regulatory Services</p> <p>COM Senior Property Planner</p> <p>Business Partner – Procurement, Strategy and Compliance</p>	<p>COMPLETE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - From 1 July 2016, legislative changes in place mean that smoking is banned in outdoor dining areas in South Australia under section 52 of the Tobacco Products Regulation Act 1997. - Council's Outdoor Dining Policy also addresses this point. - General Inspectors and EHOs delegated with responsibility to enforce as required. 	The Outdoor Dining Policy and its application form are due for an update.

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2.14	NO ACTION LISTED						
2.15	Promote a “smoke free” Unley and raise awareness of initiatives such as the outdoor dining incentive program.	Ongoing	New	Independent	COU TBA COM N/A	ONGOING – Future Action	Not applicable
2.16	Establish workplace health programs to: promote healthy eating at Council meetings, promote physical activity and discourage smoking on or near Council premises.	Ongoing	Enhanced	Independent	COU Organisational Development Manager COM People and Culture WHS Officer	ONGOING - Wellbeing initiatives for staff over the last 2 years have included Fitness assessments Skin screening Mental Health seminars Flu shots for staff and ongoing access to EAP. - Participation in the Metro Games.	A new health and wellbeing policy was endorsed that aims to create an environment that supports and encourages healthy choices. Council buildings and vehicles are smoke free environments. Staff seeking to quit smoking are supported. A policy specifically addressing smoking is in development. Staff are given the opportunity to participate in the annual Global Corporate Challenge and Metro Games to promote physical activity and fitness. Other annual programs include flu immunisation, health checks and skin cancer screening.
2.17	Encourage “smoke free” events in the region and ensure that Council events are “smoke free”.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	COU Event Coordinator COM Civic Events Officer	ONGOING - Council’s Event Management Toolkit provides information to all event organisers. - All of Council’s events are smoke-free. - General Inspectors and EHOs delegated with responsibility to enforce as required.	An Events review was initiated and is ongoing.
Healthy Food Environments							
2.18	Promote the joint sustainability and community health benefits of local food production via community gardens and growing of food in private yards.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	COU Strategic Assets Manager Coordinator Environmental Projects & Strategy COM Community Development Officer	ONGOING - Community orchards in place - Community Impact Grants support the Grow Grow Grow Your Own group - Verge gardens grant program supported and promoted - Community gardens x 4 in place, inc Unley Community Centre meal service using produce	A Community Garden Policy has been endorsed and is being implemented. <i>Highlight: A Community Garden was established at Cumberland Park Community Centre and locals engaged to manage the garden. Information boards and programs have been established on the importance of bees in the garden.</i>

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community Event Sponsorship provided to Farmer's Market Adelaide Showgrounds - Goody Patch received a community grant - Food Co-op in place at Clarence Park Community Centre 	
2.19	Work with local schools and the SA Government to support and promote the Kitchen Gardens Initiative.	Ongoing	New	Independent	COU Strategic Assets Manager Coordinator Environmental Projects & Strategy COM N/A	ONGOING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - KESAB are contracted to deliver waste education in local schools on behalf of Unley - Kitchen caddies program in place 	Not applicable
2.20	Advocate for the incorporation of food security objectives into regional Natural Resource Management Board Plans.	Ongoing	New	TBA	COU Strategic Assets Manager Coordinator Environmental Projects & Strategy COM N/A	ONGOING Supported and participated in events for "Edible Adelaide" on urban agriculture with NRM Board	Not applicable

Priority Three – PREPARING FOR CLIMATE CHANGE

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Climate Change Research							
3.1	Assess the impacts of climate change to vulnerable communities within the region including the elderly, SRF residents, people with a disability and CALD communities in liaison with key partner authorities.	June 2016	Enhance	Independent	COU Community Services Manager COM Project Officer Natural Environments Manager Community Wellbeing	ONGOING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Severe Weather procedure in place for community services clients - Resilient East initiative delivers the actions identified in the Climate Change Adaptation Plan - Event held re heat wave resilience - Urban heat mapping - Tree canopy measured and targets set - Support UniSA studies re thermal environment for older people 	The Resilient South Sector Agreement for Climate Change Adaptation for the Southern Adelaide Region 2018-2020 was signed by Council. Implementation of the 'Resilient South' Southern Region Local Government Implementation Plan and Resilient South Local Action Plan 2015-2019 is in progress: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation of Red Cross Climate-Ready Program funded across Southern Region.

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						<p>- Water sensitive urban design initiatives implemented</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Red Cross information session held to help vulnerable residents prepare for an emergency • Participation in Southern regional climate change adaptation workshops re: hypothetical events on heat and water management. <p>The annual review of Community Wellbeing clients was updated so now a person's risk of emergency events is assessed to enable staff to connect the client with assistance.</p> <p>Soft and hard copy list of vulnerable residents (with emergency risks notes) are maintained every 3-6 months.</p>
Urban Planning for Climate Change							
3.2	Incorporate and consider as needed design features for planning public realm to mitigate climate change impacts (for example, consider water availability, water sensitive urban design – with appropriate consideration of public health impacts, e.g. mosquitos – shade provision, green infrastructure and tree policies).	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Strategic Assets Manager Urban Design Manager Sport & Recreation Planner</p> <p>COM Principal Engineer - Stormwater</p> <p>Manager Natural Environments</p> <p>Arboricultural Officer – Design and Technical</p> <p>Project Officer Natural Environments</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The City of Unley's participation in Resilient East – a cross-Council partnership across the Cities of Campbelltown Adelaide, Burnside, Norwood Payneham & St Peters, Prospect, Tea Tree Gully, Unley and the Town of Walkerville – has progressed a focus on climate change, heat mapping, canopy cover and water sensitive urban design. - Event held re heat wave resilience - Urban heat mapping - Tree canopy measured and targets set - Support UniSA studies re thermal environment for older people - Water sensitive urban design initiatives implemented 	<p>Implementation of the Resilient South Local Action Plan 2015-2019 – is in progress:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat mapping with vulnerability layers progressed to guide urban planning & design. • Permeable paving now used • New rain gardens built • Draft Water Sensitive Urban Design Strategy developed. <p>Implementation of the Tree Strategy 2016-2025 is in progress:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree Canopy Benchmark Assessment drafted. <p><i>Highlight: The Norman Reserve St Marys Water Sensitive Urban Design project featuring rain gardens and swales was awarded.</i></p>

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3.3	Encourage good design and facilitate implementation of planning policy for mitigating the impacts of climate change within development.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Senior Policy Planner</p> <p>COM Manager Planning and Building Services</p> <p>Principal Planner Land Use Policy</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Council has an advocacy role. - The Planning and Design Code enables and supports this. 	The City of Mitcham has undertaken building works in the nature of bank repair, culverts and tree removal within Brown Hill Creek to ameliorate the impacts of flooding. Further works will continue.
Community Awareness and Information for Climate Change							
3.4	Raise awareness and disseminate information to the community regarding heat wave safety and the facilities and community services available for extreme heat days (such as the Council transport services and Council venues).	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager</p> <p>COM Manager Community Safety and Environmental Health</p> <p>Manager Community Wellbeing</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unley is a partner in the Resilient East initiative - Client consent on application for community services for TeleREDi - Heat mapping tools will be made online for public use - Living Smart program to increase awareness of environmentally sustainable lifestyle practices. 	<p>Notable 'Aware' actions in the Resilient South Local Action Plan 2015-2019 that were implemented include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Articles published in 'Community News' and 'Home Care Observer' to educate about severe weather risks. • Ongoing provision of 'Bushfire Preparation Project' to support vulnerable clients in high bushfire risk locations. <p>Refuge days were trialled at centres across Mitcham in 2016-17 and 2017-18. There were no catastrophic days over this period which resulted in zero attendees. The program was not endorsed and CFS Bushfire Safer Places and Last Resort Refuges are promoted.</p>
3.5	Educate the food business sector on food safety measures to be adopted during extreme heat events and power failures.	June 2016	New	Independent	<p>COU Senior Environmental Health Officer</p> <p>COM Environmental Health Officer</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <p>Information provided on inspection and as required</p>	Onsite education of food businesses occurred during the severe weather event and extended power failure of September 2016.
3.6	Promote climate change mitigation and adaptation measures such as energy efficiency, water efficiency and sustainable urban design.	Ongoing	New	Independent	<p>COU Strategic Assets Manager</p> <p>COM Environmental Sustainability Officer</p> <p>Manager Natural Environments</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Active partner council in Resilient East - Solar panels in place on Unley Swimming Centre, Fullarton Park Community Centre and Clarence Park Community Centre - Planning and Design Code addresses this point 	<p>An Environment and Sustainability Strategy is in development.</p> <p>Sustainability Urban Design Principles for Council managed buildings were drafted.</p> <p>Energy audits of high energy use Council buildings were completed.</p>

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						- Signage to promote MAR and dam at Ridge Park	<p>Council in partnership with the Adelaide & Mt Lofty NRM delivered the Living Smart community education program.</p> <p><i>Highlight – an upgrade of 5000 street lights to LEDs resulted in an 82% improvement in energy efficiency, safer streets and less back spilled light pollution.</i></p>
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Priority Four – SUSTAINING & IMPROVING PUBLIC HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROTECTION

Action #	Action	Timeframes	New/Enhance /Ongoing	Joint/Independent	Responsibility	COU Status	COM Status
Public Health Protection							
4.1	Establish an internal model for managing houses 'squalor conditions', adopting a holistic Council service approach.	June 2016	New	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager</p> <p>COM Team Leader Environmental Health</p>	<p>COMPLETE</p> <p>Process map in place to respond to squalor conditions and enforce as appropriate. Flowchart in place to guide internal process.</p>	<p>A multi-disciplinary approach, internal and external to council, was taken to address the complex factors involved with severe domestic squalor. A person-centred approach promoted improvements in health and wellbeing.</p>
4.2	Participate in regional squalor committees to encourage a cross agency approach to squalor cases in the region.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager Team Leader Regulatory Services</p> <p>COM Team Leader Environmental Health</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Environmental Health Officers attend quarterly. - Process map in place to respond to limited demand 	<p>In 2017 the City of Mitcham became a member of and regularly attended the Eastern Hoarding and Squalor Group.</p>
4.3	Promote and maintain accessible immunisation services across the region and promote SA Health's educational material to improve immunisation levels for preschool children.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager Team Leader Regulatory Services Senior Environmental Health Officer</p> <p>COM Manager Community Safety and Environmental Health Immunisation Officer</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <p>EHA contracted to deliver immunisation services across COU.</p>	<p>The ongoing provision of community immunisation clinics continued with no change. Childhood vaccination consumed 70% of service levels at community clinics.</p> <p>Immunisation services were promoted via Council website, 'Community News' and new resident kits.</p>

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							<p><i>Highlight: An Immunisation Service Review undertaken in 2018 found Mitcham's service to be highly efficient and effective with 93.2% of 5 year old children immunised (exceeding state and national averages).</i></p> <p><i>Highlight: Council's participation in the South Australian Meningococcal B study has resulted in an overall increase in vaccines administered from 5950 (previous two year reporting period) to 14774.</i></p>
4.4	Investigate a regional approach to food safety training for food businesses and continue ongoing program of regular inspections.	June 2016	New	Joint/Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager Team Leader Regulatory Services Senior Environmental Health Officer</p> <p>COM Team Leader Environmental Health</p>	ONGOING Information on free food safety training available on COU website.	COMPLETE 517 routine inspections and 281 other inspections of food businesses were conducted during the reporting period. <i>Highlight – The South Australian Food Safety Rating Scheme was introduced in the City of Mitcham during August 2016.</i>
4.5	Evaluate the effectiveness of the shared service arrangement for environmental health for the Cities of Unley and Mitcham.	2014	Enhance	Joint	<p>COU GM Community</p> <p>COM GM</p>	COMPLETE Model no longer in place.	COMPLETE
4.6	Continue to implement Council Animal Management Plans.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Community Services Manager Team Leader Regulatory Services</p> <p>COM Team Leader Compliance Cat Management Officer</p>	ONGOING The year 2 KPI's have mostly been exceeded: - Percentage of Registered dogs is 85% (KPI is 80%) - Percentage of micro-chipped dogs is 86% (KPI is 75%) - Percentage of de-sexed dogs is 86% (KPI is 85%) - Percentage of trained dogs is 18% (KPI is 20%) - Percentage of dogs wandering is 4% (KPI is 5%) - Percentage of dog attack/harassment complaint is 0.076% (KPI is 0.5%)	Performance against the 2012-17 Dog and Cat Management Plan is detailed in the Council endorsed 2018-2023 Plan. Notable achievements include – decreases in wandering dogs and dog attacks causing injury; increased rehoming of dogs & cats. These results are associated with increased registration & microchipping, implementation of Dogs in Open Space Code of Conduct, education of school children and skills audit of animal management officers to target training.

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						- Percentage of barking complaints is 0.23% (KPI is 1.5%) - Dog reclaim rate is 96% (KPI is 90%)	The Mitcham Dog and Cat Management Plan 2018-2023 adopts new legislative provisions enhancing the benefits of pet ownership.
4.7	Inspect, enforce and report on fire safety, building standard and swimming pool safety in accordance with the <i>Development Act 1993</i> .	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	COU Planning & Development Manager COM Manager Planning and Building Services Team Leader Building Services	ONGOING Building staff continue to inspect, report and enforce as per the Act including Council's adopted building and swimming pool safety inspection policy for footings, roof framing, swimming pool safety and fire safety.	The City of Mitcham has committed greater resources to the building compliance function within the Council in the past financial year including the employment of a further full-time building compliance officer.
Environmental Health Planning							
4.8	Maintain an environmental health performance framework for the inspection, enforcement and reporting of the following areas of environmental health management: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food safety • Recreational water facilities • Cooling towers and warm water systems • Wastewater management • Beauty and skin penetration premises • Stormwater quality • Pest and vector control • Public health complaints management. 	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	COU Team Leader Regulatory Services Senior Environmental Health Officer COM Team Leader Environmental Health	ONGOING - KPIs established and quarterly reporting undertaken on progress and work undertaken. - Annual report provided to SA Health on Food Safety and Environmental Health actions.	A framework is established with quarterly reporting of environmental health performance.
4.9	Liaise with the Department of Health and Ageing on the development of environmental health performance indicators	Ongoing	New	Independent	COU Community Services Manager COM Manager Community Safety and Environmental Health	COMPLETE - KPIs established and quarterly reporting undertaken on progress and work undertaken. - Annual report provided to SA Health on Food Safety and EH actions.	Public Health Indicator Framework 2018 published by SA Health to be considered in the review of Council's Public Health Plan during 2018-19.
Emergency Management							
4.10	Plan for bushfire readiness in high bushfire risk areas.	Ongoing	Enhance	Independent	COU N/A COM Bushfire Prevention Officer Manager Community Safety and Environmental Health Manager Community Development	ONGOING Participation in Resilient East initiative.	Council's Bushfire Management Plan is updated annually, in line with the Regional Bushfire Management Plan, which is also updated annually based on the outcomes of a hazard identification workshop. The AMLRBMAP has undergone a major rewrite and the action Plan is updated annually.

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							Council introduced an annual 'Mayor's Letter' to residents living in high risk targeted areas to encourage bushfire readiness.
4.11	Integrate public health risk assessment into emergency planning for the region: bushfire management, flood management and emergency incidents.	Ongoing	New	Independent	<p>COU City Operations Manager</p> <p>COM Risk Advisor</p> <p>Bushfire Prevention Officer</p> <p>Manager Community Development</p>	ONGOING Participation in Resilient East initiative.	<p>The Sturt Community Emergency Risk Management Plan is under review.</p> <p>The Southern Adelaide Zone Emergency Management Plan updated and approved.</p> <p>An Incident Response Command Plan was drafted. Public Health representation is included on Council's Incident Response Team.</p> <p>Business Continuity Plan in place.</p> <p>The need for an Emergency Management 'health check' through the LGA was identified.</p>
Environmental Protection							
4.12	Continue to enforce water quality discharge incidents under the <i>Environment Protection Act 1993</i> .	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Team Leader Regulatory Services</p> <p>COM Environmental Health Officers</p>	ONGOING Environmental Health Officers respond and enforce as appropriate.	Introduction midway during reporting period of the <i>Local Nuisance & Litter Control Act 2016</i> provided Council with powers to regulate minor local environmental nuisances and litter. 914 complaints were received in the first year of the Act's operation – predominantly litter, noise and stormwater pollution.
4.13	Continue services and education programs for kerbside recycling, green waste collection and targeted recycling schemes which divert material from landfill.	Ongoing	Ongoing	Independent	<p>COU Waste Management Officer</p> <p>COM Waste Management Officer</p>	ONGOING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Three bin system for kerbside including at all events. - Recycling bins system in place at some parks - Waste reduction initiatives across all Council facilities. - Precinct trials for best practice for recycling with businesses. 	<p>Council's Waste Management Strategy 2016-2021 was adopted.</p> <p>A Waste Services Policy was drafted and the community consulted.</p> <p>The East Waste 'Why Waste It' campaign was promoted via various multimedia platforms.</p>

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						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Partnered with KESAB to implement Wipe Out Waste reduction programs to local schools. - Kitchen caddies program in place with schools and residents. - Waste water and coffee grounds recycling at Double Shot Coffee Fiesta - Electronic (e-waste) disposal points at Depot, Fullarton & Clarence Park Community Centres. - Provision of a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Service by authorised contractor. - School education, audits and presentations. 	<p>In partnership with KESAB, the Young Education Program was delivered in kindergartens and primary schools.</p> <p><i>Highlights – the three bin system was implemented in the civic centre and community centre and public place recycling bins in council reserves continued to be installed.</i></p>
4.14	Review waste management services for mixed use, higher density developments.				<p>COU Senior Policy Planner Waste Management Officer</p> <p>COM Waste Management Officer</p>	<p>ONGOING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Concentrated education program to multi-unit developments with view to better bin ownership and responsibility to reduce waste to landfill and better recycling efforts achieved. - Waste Management plans are considered via planning process 	<p>Council’s Waste Management Strategy 2016-2021 identifies the need for guidelines for multi-unit developments to be developed. To commence in 2018-19.</p>