



## **Ngaio Tree Feedback**

### **– Public Consultation via brainstorming MDCA meeting 8<sup>th</sup> April -**

#### Golden Bear (B/G)Boundary:

- Add low planting between G/B boundary and western edge of grassed area X 3
- Licensed area needs to be policed and managed to preserve family friendly concept X 2
- Close off G/B access – only 1 access point X 3
- Maintain 2 exit/entries to G/B X 2
- Extend planting along G/B boundary to close up access X 2
- Huge area taken up by G/B loading truck that is only used less than a couple of hours a week. Why not relocate G/B loading to free up more grassed area. Remove delivery vehicle from space – safety hazard, commercial activity doesn't belong in reserve, relocation to western side of building. X 2

#### Cyclist / Ferry:

- Cyclists to dismount in area
- Bike racks well located X 2
- Will the bike racks be usable for road bikes with fat tyres?
- Will there be enough bike racks to meet future demand?
- Will the path from the ferry landing to the bike racks be clear to avoid shortcuts over plantings and grassed area – possible consider a small low directional sign within the garden at the start of the back route to bike racks.
- Is there enough space for bikers to load and unload from ferry at high tide?
- Ferry Access needs to 1.7mtr minimum X 2
- Access control to bike racks from ferry

#### Seating:

- Good increase in seats / picnic tables
- Is it possible to have some seat with backs for older folk & breast feeding mums?
- Bench seats by Jelly Fish great for taking in the view.
- Seats by Ngaio tree great for family picnic space
- Not enough shade – can the seating circle north of the Ngaio Tree have a shade sail or like
- Not enough tables & too many bench seats

#### Ngaio Tree / Grassed Areas / Play area:

- Remove all but triangular section of planting between the Ngaio Tree and the grassed area for ease of movement for children between grass, Ngaio Tree and under 5yrs play area.
- Rope fence east of grass instead of planting X 2
- Well the grassed area be well kept, or will it become similar to how it is currently?
- Play area too small

#### Planted Areas:

- Refer comments in G/B Boundary
- Are the planted area sufficient to avoid them looking scrappy and unkept?
- Support the ow planting south of Ngaio Tree & north of boat ramp doesn't impede views and minimises the risk of falling onto the boat ramp.

#### Sea Scouts Trailer / Car Parking:

- Clearly define where these cars/trailers can park
- Is the size of this parking sufficient?

#### Dinghy Racks:

- Ensure dinghy racks provide sufficient space

#### Info Panels:

- Do there need to be so many? Can these be reduced from three to two? X 2

#### Additional Ideas:

- Include track for kids to do circuits on scooters around the grassed area
- Older kids play area
- Space for buskers
- Replace hard surface concrete with rounded pebbles
- Rubbish to be placed near shrubbery
- Can a water fountain be included near G/B?