

## 8.6 REVIEW OF THE ADEQUACY OF UNLEASHED DOG EXERCISE AREAS

NOTE: Mitch Geddes addressed Council on this Item.

NOTE: Michele Robertson addressed Council on this Item.

NOTE: John Geber addressed Council on this Item.

### 040/17 RESOLVED

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That Council:

- A. Approve increased funding for capital and management improvements to UDEAs across the LGA with the allocation of \$100,000 per year for the next four years in Council's annual budget for improvements as outlined in this report.
- B. Approve the preparation of an integrated policy for UDEAs and dog management for the Northern Beaches LGA, requiring the new policy address:
  - a. the issue of the current trial (UDEAs) as discussed in this report
  - b. the issues discussed in this report including Mackerel Beach, McCarrs Creek Reserve, Lagoon Park and the management of professional dog walkers.
- C. Endorse the development and implementation of dog education and training programs by Council as part of this process.
- D. Begin a public consultation process with a view to having the following reserves declared as UDEAs.
  - 1. Warriewood Valley Detention Basin , Prosperity Parade Warriewood
  - 2. Avalon Beach Reserve Avalon , adjacent to Central Road. and west of the drainage canal
  - 3. Munnumba Reserve. Munnumba Avenue Belrose
  - 4. South Creek Reserve South Creek Road. Wheeler Heights
- E. Staff review the adequacy of Lagoon Park Queenscliff to function as a UDEA and engage with the community with a view to possibly rescinding the declaration or introducing restricted hours of usage as used in some other of council's UDEAs.