



Lifestyle and opportunity
@ your doorstep



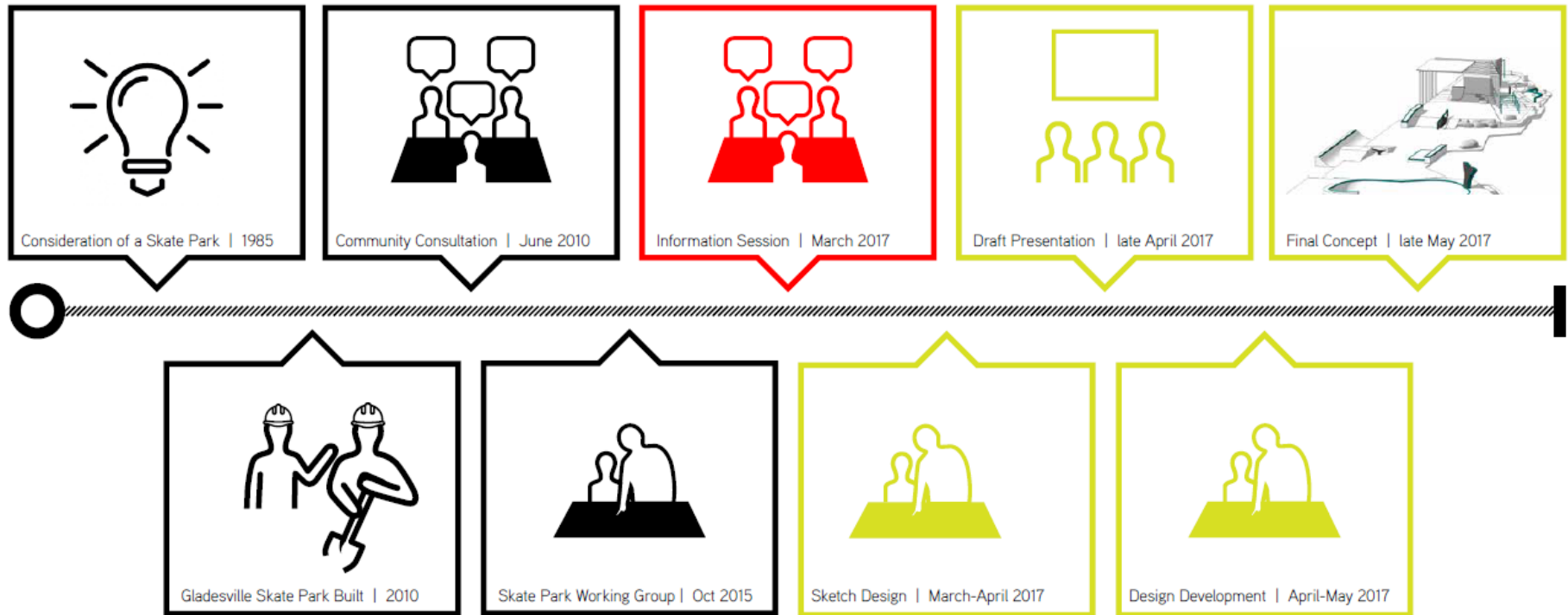
RYDE OUTDOOR YOUTH SPACE

Information Session

AGENDA

- Introduction + housekeeping
- Background
- Engagement + design process
- Applying these lessons in the city of ryde
- Subject matter experts
- Q+A activity
- Next steps

BACKGROUND + SCOPE



 **BACKGROUND**

 **WE ARE HERE**

 **NEXT STEPS**

WHO WE ARE

CONVIC

OVER 700 SKATE, YOUTH + FAMILY SPACES



HERE

THERE

+ EVERYWHERE

ENGAGEMENT + DESIGN PROCESS

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS | EVOLUTION OF SKATE AREAS

TRANSITION | EARLY 1970'S



STREET | LATE 1980'S



YOUTH SPACE...



SKATE PARK | MID 1980'S



PLAZA | MID 1990'S

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS | SOCIAL INCLUSION



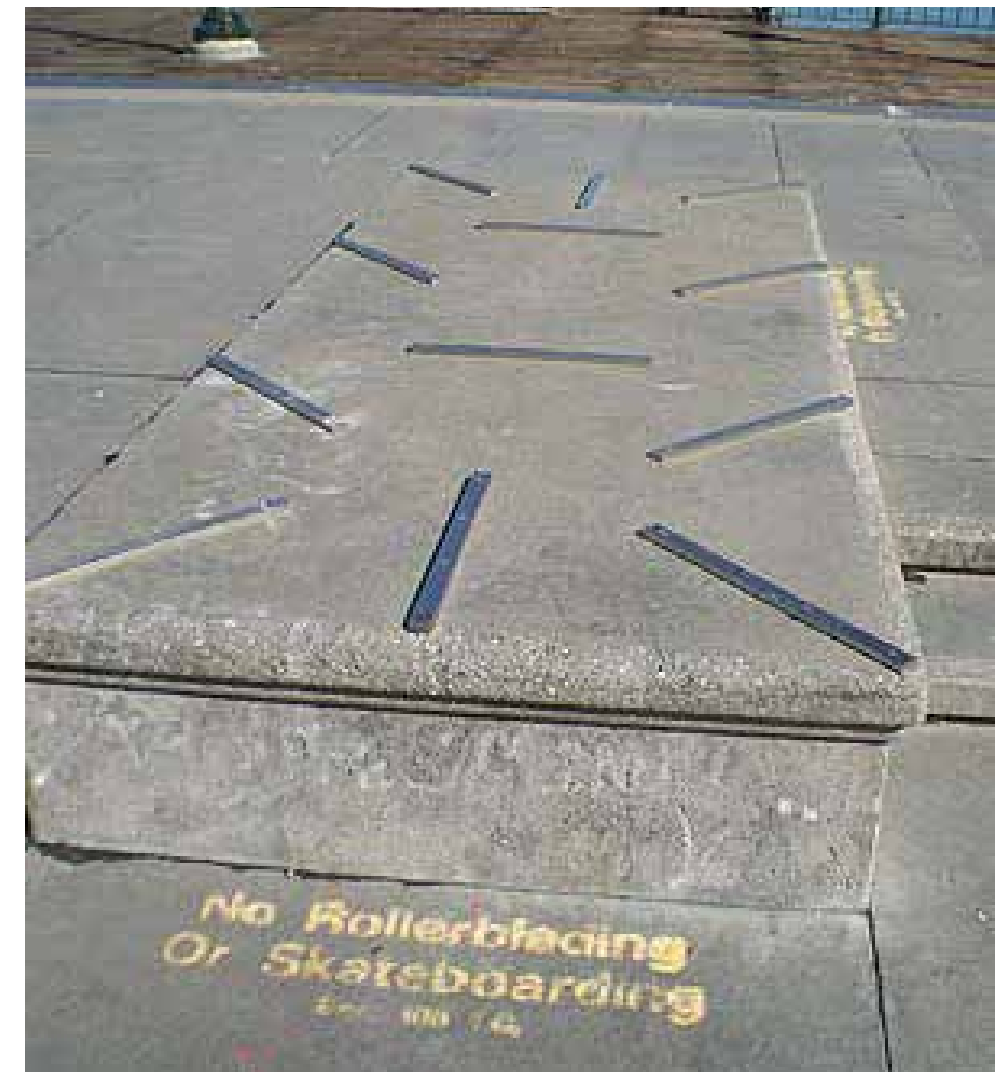
**A SKATE PARK AS
A SPORTS FACILITY**



**"THE PROBLEM WITH THE CITY SQUARE
IS THAT NO ONE USES IT.....**

ITS JUST FILLED WITH YOUTH!"

City Of Melbourne Councilor



**YOUTH INCLUSIVE
PUBLIC SPACE**

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS | COMMUNITY INFORMED DESIGN



EXAMPLE OF COMMUNITY INFORMED DESIGN | ESPLANADE YOUTH SPACE (EYP)



EYP DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS | UNIQUE + ICONIC DESIGN



SCULPTURAL



FEATURE LIGHTING



MATERIAL



LANDSCAPE



UNIQUE TO PLACE



IDENTITY

EYP DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS | WIDER RECREATION



BASKET BALL



TABLE TENNIS



PARKOUR



BOULDERING



BBQ AREA



SOCIAL SPACES

EYP DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS | HEALTHY ACTIVE COMMUNITIES



LEARN TO SKATE WORKSHOPS



COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES



LIVE PERFORMANCE



DEMOS



COMPETITIONS



ART WORKSHOPS

EYP RESULT | FAMILY FOCUSED RECREATION SPACE



ANOTHER EXAMPLE | FAMILY FOCUSED RECREATION SPACE



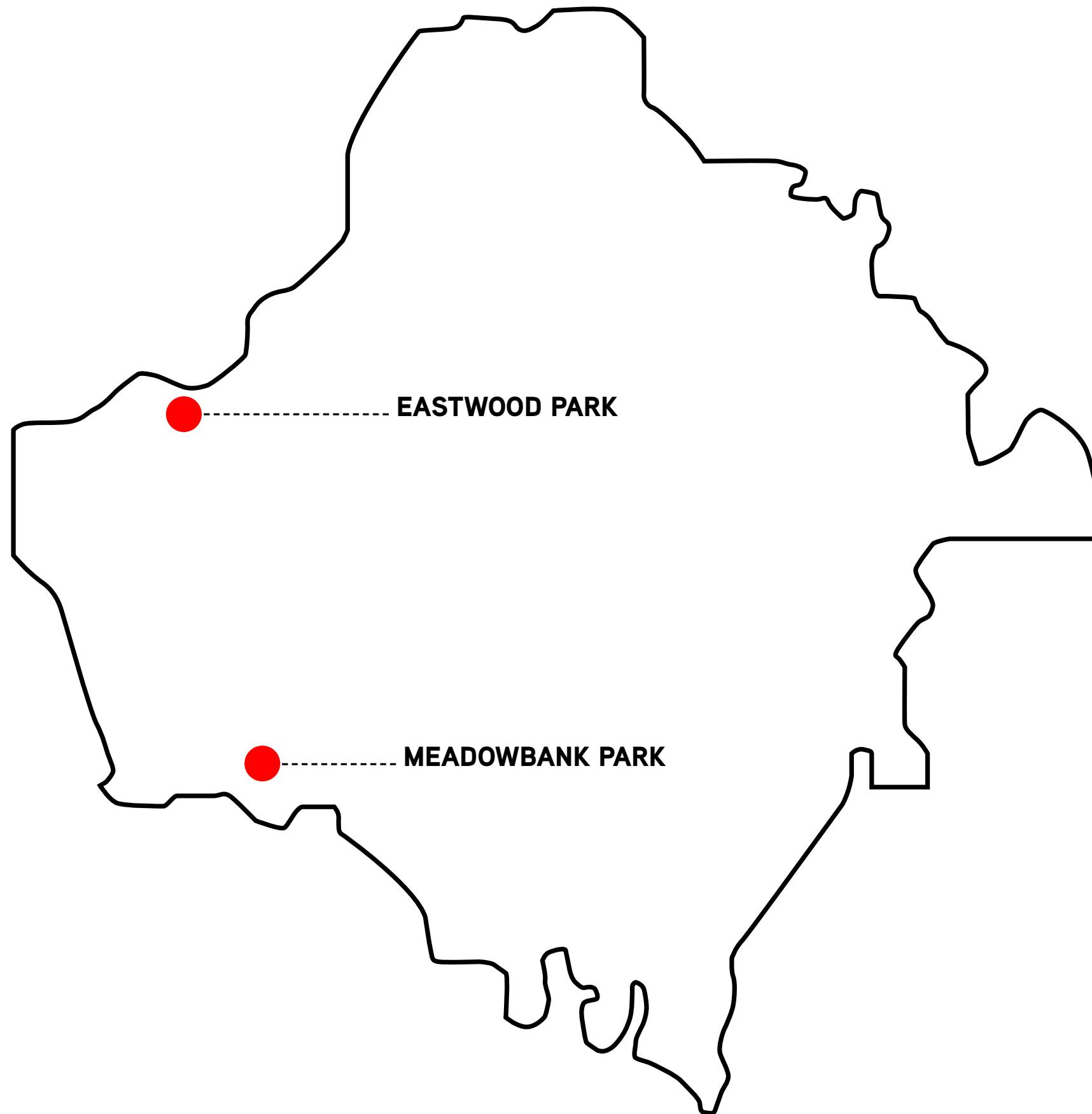
APPLYING THESE LESSONS IN RYDE

THE BRIEF



To create a multi-use skate and family space for all ages to enjoy. A space to play, teach and learn, through active recreation and social inclusion. A vibrant district hub designed with the community, for the community.

THE SITES



EASTWOOD PARK



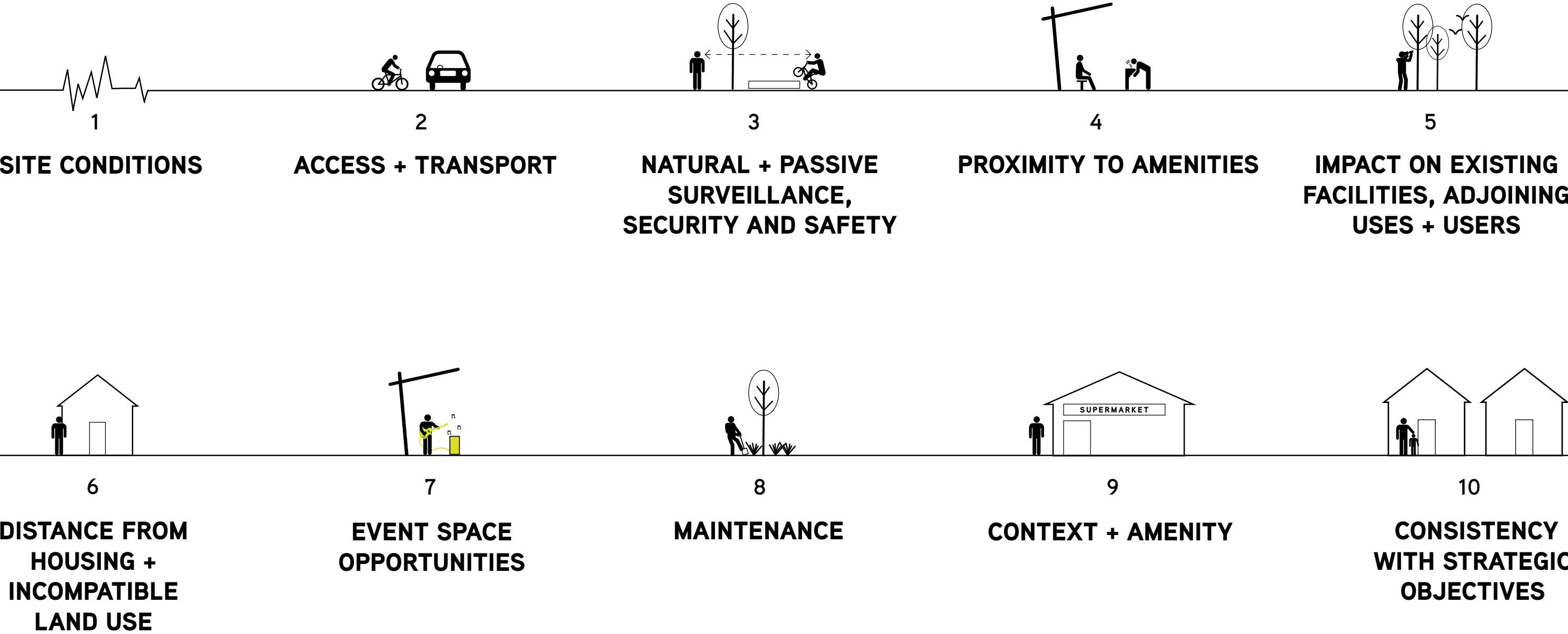
MEADOWBANK PARK



WHICH IS THE BEST SITE?



OUR SITE ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

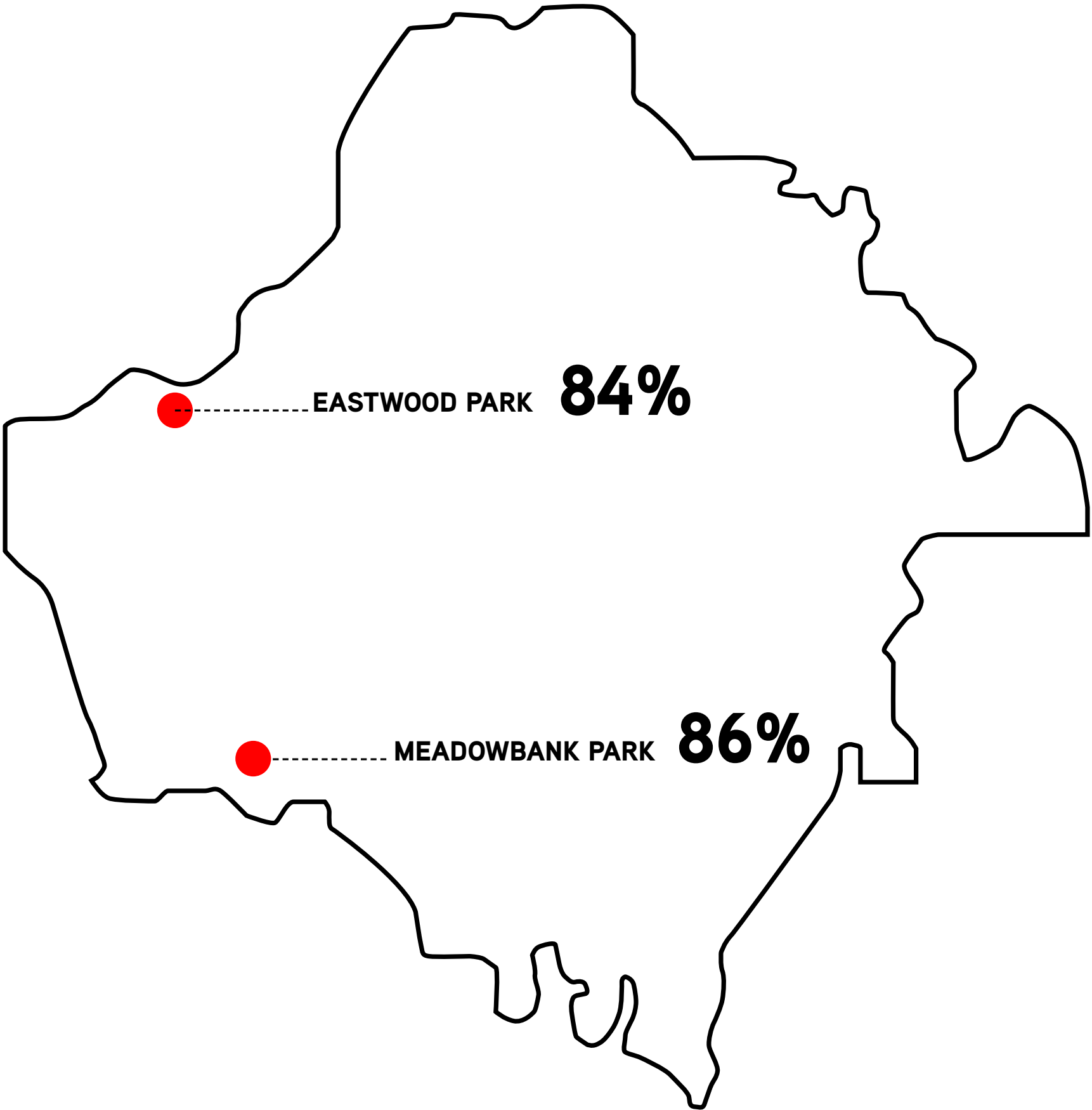


OUR SITE ASSESSMENT RESULTS

CRITERIA	IMPORTANCE 5 high / 1 low	EASTWOOD PARK	MEADOWBANK PARK
1. Physical site conditions & technical considerations			
Is the proposed site capable of catering to the various different applicable skatepark types defined as local, district, regional? (ie: large enough to cater for events if we are looking for a regional scale park)	5	2	5
Is the proposed site free of existing land use implications, covenants, easements, service access requirements and/or underground/overhead power lines, water and gas?	3	2	4
Is the site encumbered by the implications of geotechnical conditions, ground water, drainage?	3	2	4
2. Access/transport			
Is there access to public transport at the proposed site?	5	5	4
Are there pedestrian/footpath connections from transport nodes to the proposed site?	4	5	5
Is there a safe drop off area or adequate car parking if applicable?	4	2	2
3. Natural surveillance, security and safety			
Is the site visually prominent with good natural and passive surveillance for safety and for the promotion of the facility and activity?	5	5	5
Is the site a short distance from police response calls and does it provide ease of police access on scheduled routes?	3	5	5
Can the site provide adequate emergency vehicle access (fire and ambulance)?	4	5	5
Can vehicular access be restricted at the proposed site to prevent skating at night by car light if applicable?	1	5	5
Can the proposed site provide safe entry to and from the site and safe setbacks from busy roads and intersections.	3	5	5
4. Proximity to amenities (water, toilets, shade, food & drink)			
Are associated amenities such as public toilets, water, shelter and shade, existing and available or cost effective to install at the site?	5	4	3
Is the site close to shops selling food and drink and is there potential for seasonal, peak time and/or event day food and drink outlets?	3	5	3
5. Impact on existing facilities, adjoining uses and users			
Can the site facilitate minimal loss of green space?	2	5	2
Can the site facilitate minimal impact on existing ecological systems eg. wetlands, foreshore and bushland?	3	5	5

CRITERIA	IMPORTANCE 5 high / 1 low	EASTWOOD PARK	MEADOWBANK PARK
Can the site facilitate minimal loss of significant trees?	3	3	4
Can the site facilitate minimal impact on pedestrian or road network and access including existing desire lines?	2	2	5
Will the location of a skate facility on the site mitigate displacement of existing recreational or other site users?	2	3	4
Is the site encumbered by existing heritage items, native title claims or items of cultural significance?	3	5	5
Is there a history of ‘anti-social’ activity of behaviour at the site?	4	4	4
6. Distance from housing & incompatible land use			
Is the site location an adequate distance (50m) from residential dwellings to mitigate potential noise and light intrusions?	5	5	5
Is the site sufficiently located away from adjacent or nearby incompatible land uses, other activities or services.	3	3	4
Has the site the capacity to place a skatepark in a location to maximise noise attenuation (eg: sunk into the ground, solid fencing etc.)	2	4	5
7. Event space opportunities (multiplicity of use)			
Is the proposed site adjacent to other like/complimentary activities to create a greater recreational experience	4	4	3
Does the site have the ability to cater for larger crowds and temporary infrastructure during peak use and events?	4	4	5
8. Maintenance issues			
Is the site readily accessible for regular cleaning by cleaning and maintenance teams.	4	5	5
9. Context & Amenity			
Is the site location where young people want to be or adjacent to where they currently congregate?	5	5	4
Is the site in close proximity to existing shopping centres, sports or recreation facilities or interested schools?	4	5	5
Is the site within or adjacent to a major community hub or central activity area?	4	5	4

OUR SITE ASSESSMENT RESULTS



Q+A ACTIVITY

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE SITES?

SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS

Q+A

HAVE YOUR SAY



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NEXT STEPS

- Design workshop
- Draft design
- Design consultation
- Design finalised
- Council report
- Construction

THANK YOU