# MEDIA RELEASE

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### Capital Works Update October 2012

#### Road resurfacing / Kerb renewal

The annual road program ensures that the road infrastructure such as asphalt pavement, kerb and gutter is upgraded as required and maintained to an acceptable level. Selection of roads is on a priority basis using an asset management system.

#### Complete works (Sept 2012)

- Abuklea Road, Eastwood (Kingsford Avenue Wilga Place)
- Cox's Road North Ryde (Cressy Road Harford Street)
- Hermitage Rd, West Ryde (Parkes St Wattle Street)

#### Pending works (Nov-Dec 2012)

- Coxs Road, North Ryde (Blenheim Road Badajoz Road)
- Coxs Road, North Ryde (Harford Street Jopling Street)
- Khartoum Road, Macquarie Park, (Talavera Road Waterloo Road)
- Pittwater Road, East Ryde (Coxs Rd Bronhill Ave)
- West Parade (Miriam Road to Victoria Road)
- Wicks Road (Waterloo Road Pittwater Road)

#### Footpaths

Council's footpath program consists of new and replacement footpath construction. Footpaths which have been completed between September and October are:

#### Complete works (Sept-Oct 2012)

- Bennett Street, West Ryde (South Side Nos 38,40,80)
- Pittwater Road, East Ryde (Coxs Rd Bronhill Ave)
- Waterloo Road, Macquarie Park (No.21 Eden Park Drive)
- Wandoo Avenue, Ryde (No. 16 Gladstone Ave)
- Kerb Ramps, Longview Street, Eastwood

#### Pending works (Nov-Dec 2012)

- Adelaide Street, West Ryde (No.78- Meadowbank Lane)
- Coxs Road, North Ryde (Conrad Street Pittwater Rd)
- Goodwin Street, West Ryde (Anzac Avenue Falconer)
- Quarry Road, Ryde (Cressy Rd Badajoz Rd)
- Shaw Street, East Ryde (Cox's Road Long Avenue)
- Vimiera Road, Marsfield (Yangalla Road Epping Road)

#### **Traffic facilities**

Traffic facilities are devices built in the road reserve to slow traffic and improve safety for drivers and pedestrians. They include flat top road humps, pedestrian refuges and traffic islands

#### Pending works (Nov-Dec)

- Traffic island, Mirriam Road / West Parade, West Ryde
- Flat top road hump, Chatham Road, West Ryde

#### Sportsfield renewals and upgrades

Sportsfields identified as high priority in Council's asset register are scheduled for renewal works which include regrading and levelling of the playing surfaces, installation of automatic irrigation systems and subsoil drainage

<u>Complete works (Sept – Oct)</u> Ryde Park Oval #1 (Replacement of Cricket wicket)

Pending works (Nov – Dec)

- Eastwood Park croquet club (renewal of croquet greens)
- Christie Park (irrigation)

#### Park upgrades

#### Pending works (Nov – Dec)

Yamble Reserve Inclusive Playground. The project brief is to design and construct a playground which allows play between children of all abilities and to encourage social inclusion. The project is in partnership with the Touched By Olivia Foundation.

Demolition is complete and earthworks are underway. Works to follow are civil works and playground installation with the contractor working to a completion date of December 2012.

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