Summary of Mawson Consultation Group Meeting – Thursday 3 August

The Public Housing Renewal Taskforce (the Taskforce) met with the Mawson Citizens’ Group (MCG), the Woden Valley Community Council and Woden Community Services to further discuss the proposed public housing development on Block 29 Section 36 Mawson.

The Taskforce presented a revised design concept that addresses, in particular, community concerns about waste collection access from Shackleton Circuit. The group discussed possible further minor design refinements, including ground cover planting, bollards and lighting along the adjoining pathway corridor.

The group shared the view that the consultation process had produced a positive design outcome, with the MCG stating that the presented design had met 98 per cent of community feedback. The Taskforce acknowledged the value of the Mawson community’s contribution to the design process.

Outcomes

- The MCG will share this current design with the Mawson community. The Taskforce will provide administrative support, if requested.
- The Taskforce will upload this design concept to the website and email it with the meeting summary to those registered for project updates.
- The Taskforce will circulate any updates to the agreed design before lodging a Development Application. A further meeting prior to DA lodgement may be held, if required.
- Prior to any construction work on the site, the Taskforce will arrange building condition reports for properties abutting the site.
- The MCG will continue to work with the Woden Community Services on a future community garden on the adjacent Community Facility-zoned land and welcoming tenants to the community.