



## Our Values

- Leadership
- Teamwork
- Integrity
- Innovation

## YOUTH ADVISORY GROUP MEETING

Date: 1 July 2020

Time: 3:30-4:30pm

Meeting Room: Council Chambers

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### 1. MEETING OPENED

The Youth Advisory Group meeting will be held at the City of Karratha Administration building, Welcome Road on Wednesday 1 July commencing at 3:30pm and concluded at 4:30pm.

### 2. ATTENDEES

Arron Minchin Director Community Services (Chair)  
Cr Kelly Nunn (Deputy Mayor)  
Cr Joanne Waterstrom Muller  
Charlotte Ball, Youth Representative  
Zoe Waterstrom Muller, Youth Representative  
Sophia Holmes, Youth Representative  
Emer O'Brien, Youth Representative  
Lochlan Rodd, Youth Representative  
Sarah Carr, Youth Representative  
Ned Van Dongen, Youth Representative  
Nancy Milligan, Manager Community Programs  
Aldo De Rooster, Senior Youth Officer (Minutes)

### 3. APOLOGIES

Cr Peter Long (Mayor)  
Cr Pablo Miller  
Jade Prangle, Youth Representative  
Victoria Phillips, Youth Representative  
Chrystal Ashby, Coordinator Youth Services

### 4. WELCOME (Chair)

### 5. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

5.1 Summary of minutes from previous meeting and establishment of priorities (Chair).

YAG members broke into small groups to undertake activity. Each group was given a list of initiatives and their associated (approximate) costs. Each group was allocated \$20million to spend and was required to identify how this could most effectively be spent. A budget cut to \$10million then resulted in groups refining how the budget was spent, before coming together to agree on a list of priorities. Cutting the budget from \$20m to \$10m resulted in YAG members prioritising needs over wants, and looking at alternative options such as scaling back the size of major projects.

Top 6 Priorities agreed upon by YAG members:

Liveability Pillar	Item	Cost of Item
Employment	More job opportunities in artistic and professional fields	\$350,000
	Investigate opportunities that will enhance quality of teachers at local high schools (attraction & retention)	\$200,000
Safety	Improved neighbourhood lighting in suburban areas	\$2million
Connectivity	More buses more often	\$1million
Social Environment	Better/more retail shopping options - (small restaurants, surf shops)	\$1million
	More markets in Wickham, Roebourne, Point Samson	\$200,000

The YAG's Priorities will be presented to Council. Council will consider the YAG's Priorities when discussing what the community needs and where funds could most effectively be spent to work towards the City's vision of being Australia's most liveable regional city.

## 5.2 The Youth Shed Redesign Project (Manager Community Programs).

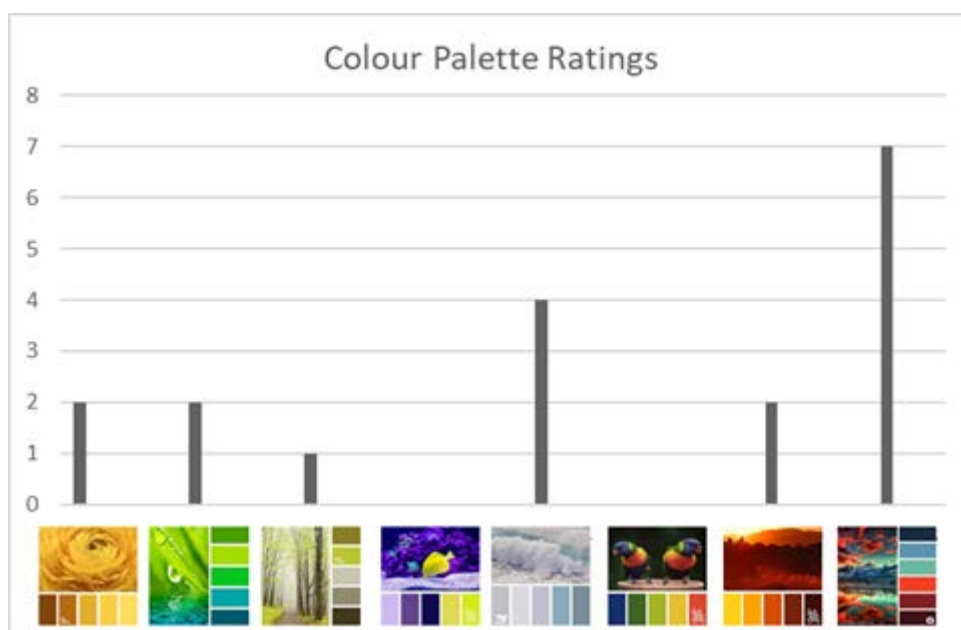
The YAG was briefed prior to the meeting on the background of this project. There is an opportunity for the YAG to look at the entire facility (The Youth Shed) and recommend what could be done with it, as the Indoor Play Centre will be relocating to Tambrey Shopping Centre precinct before end of 2020.

The City will need to:


- Get architects to give us parameters of what we can do with the building
- Work out what is it going to "look" and "feel" like for young people
- Work out what services should be offered at the facility and therefore which organisations might work there in the future
- What spaces should be available for use by young people and service providers

### Workshop with YAG

1. Individual vote activity for potential colour palette. Each attendee had to select two favourite palettes amongst 8 proposed options. The chart below depicts the outcome of the votes.



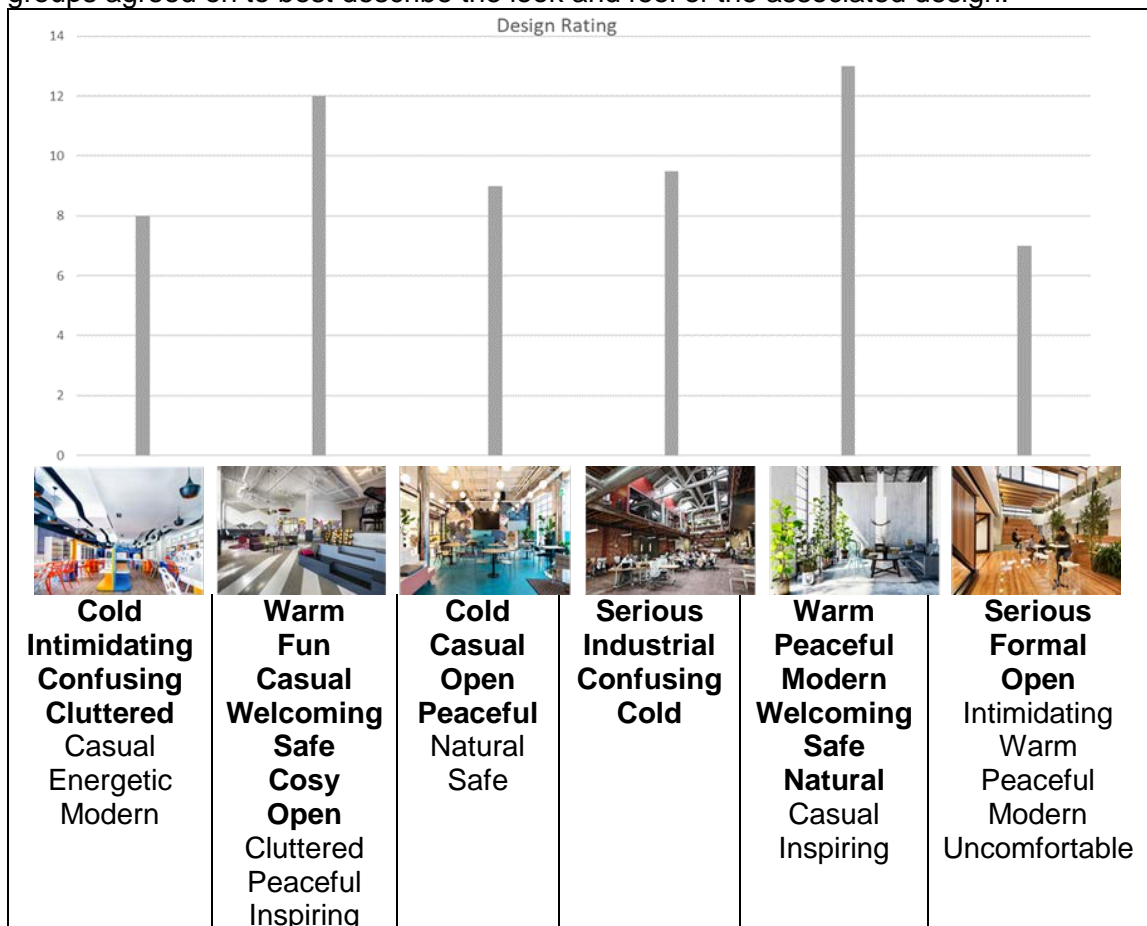
2. Collaborative scoring of 6 design styles on a scale of 1 to 5 and association of words with each design. See below example of mood board.

	WARM	or	COLD
	FUN	or	SERIOUS
	CASUAL	or	FORMAL
	ENERGETIC	or	PEACEFUL
	CLASSIC	or	MODERN
	WELCOMING	or	INTIMIDATING
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1	2	3	4	5
Dislike		Not sure		Like

The activity was conducted by dividing the attendee into 3 groups with each a set of 6 mood boards. The ratings are presented in the chart below, with the words that were the most often associated with each respective design. Words in bold are the ones all groups agreed on to best describe the look and feel of the associated design.



5.3 Ideas for event programming for young people, July – December. Ideas to be brought to August meeting. (Manager Community Programs).

Some facilities we have access to, and event ideas:

- **The Youth Shed (Karratha) and The Base (Wickham)**
  - Skate Parks, Pool Tables, Gaming Consoles, Band equipment → Tournaments, Open Mic Nights
- **Red Earth Arts Precinct (REAP)**
  - Rooftop area → Movie nights
  - Indoor Amphitheatre → Theatre performances
  - Outdoor Amphitheatre → Live Music, Mini Festivals
- **Karratha Leisureplex**
  - Pool, Gyms, Basketball courts → Pool parties, Fitness programs
- **Community Hubs**
  - Office spaces, boardrooms → Entrepreneurial programs

## **6 NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday 5 August 2020, 3:30-4:30pm, location City of Karratha Administration Building.