

Attachment C – Priority advocacy issue

The following item is the key advocacy initiative for the Albert-Eden Local Board:

Initiative	Description	Advocating to
<p>Continue to implement the Chamberlain Park Masterplan Proposal:</p>	<p>Requests that the Governing Body considers the appropriate funding to reconfigure Chamberlain Park into a high-quality nine-hole golf course.</p> <p>Overview of initiative:</p> <p>The local board has adopted a master plan which proposes to re-develop the existing site to create active and passive recreation spaces (e.g. a local park, sports fields and a reconfigured golf course) at Chamberlain Park.</p> <p>Currently council staff are in the process of a number of sub-projects in order to progress the master plan, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • financial modelling and feasibility of the redeveloped golf course • shared path network feasibility and rationalisation study • stream restoration engineering concept design • sports fields initial engineering design • local park design including relocation of 3 golf holes. <p>At present the local board has allocated funding for the development of a local park to be delivered to be delivered in 2017/2018. Funding has been proposed for the sports fields, but this is yet to be confirmed.</p> <p>The local board is advocating to the governing body for funding for the development of a high-quality nine-hole golf course to replace the current 18-hole course, which will allow room for other planned facilities.</p> <p>It is intended to develop a full business case to support this advocacy once the feasibility studies are completed and costings known. The amount of funding sought by the local board is still being determined.</p>	<p>Governing Body</p>