

14 November 2019

Teresa Kiernan By email

Dear Teresa

## Rushcutters Bay Park

I refer to your email about the proposed inclusion of Rushcutters Bay Park on the State Heritage Register (SHR) by the Heritage Council of NSW.

The Heritage Division recently wrote to the City advising the western part of the park, which sits within the City's local government area (LGA), as well as the eastern part of the park, Sir James Martin Reserve and Yarranabbe Park, which sit within Woollahra Council's LGA, has been considered by the State Heritage Register Committee of the Heritage Council of NSW.

City staff are reviewing the proposed listing and will respond to the Heritage Division with our feedback in the next few weeks.

Generally, the City supports heritage listing as an important method of protecting and managing those places and objects that are important to us as a community. Also, listing important places on statutory heritage registers such as the SHR and Schedule 5 of the Local Environmental Plan provides a framework for managing the approval of major changes so that heritage significance is retained and not diminished. You can find out more about the general implications of SHR listing at https://bit.ly/32N6F5M.

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