

Phase 1 of Consultation: **Sharing**

**On Thursday 1 December 2022, three events were held in the Inner North as part of the sharing and learning phase of the PSRR consultation project.**

Communication Link hosted 2 pop-up sessions on Thursday 1 December, to share information about the proposed Territory Plan and the draft Inner North District Strategy. The pop-ups provided the community an opportunity to clarify their understanding with guidance from ACT Government representatives.

Following the pop-ups, we hosted a follow up workshop with presentations from representatives at the Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate on the draft new Territory Plan the draft East Canberra District Strategy.

The objectives of the workshop were to:

1. Inform interested people about the draft district strategy and the draft new Territory Plan
2. Encourage understanding to support participants to give feedback on the new proposed planning system.
3. Collect questions and feedback on the draft documents and other elements of the proposed planning system and provide feedback to workshop participants.

**WHO ENGAGED**

## Thank you for participating

**42**

community members attended pop-up sessions on 1 December

**7**

community members attended the workshop on 1 December

**Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate representatives** attended all engagement sessions

**WHAT WE HEARD**

Participants were invited to ask clarification questions about the Inner North District Strategy and draft Territory Plan. Areas of question and feedback are summarised below.

**Urban density**

There were several questions from community members about dual occupancy developments and if this will be shown as a separate title in RZ1.

**Environmental**

Community members expressed concern for the overdevelopment of bushlands and stated a need to put plans in place to retain greenspace.

**Street and landscaping**

Community members raised a desire for more tree canopy cover and more maintenance of the streets including new pavement and footpaths, new trees and street sweepers.

**Equestrian considerations**

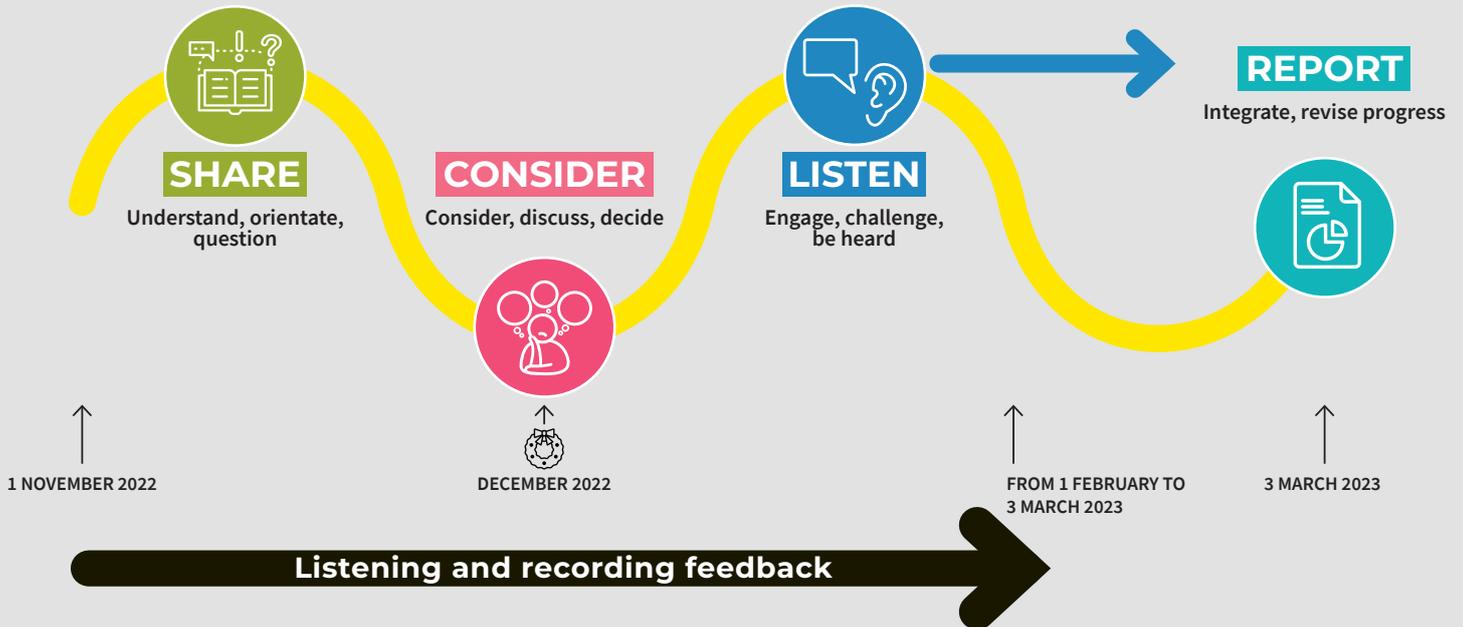
Community members had several questions about what plans are in place for the location of the Canberra Riding Club and Pony Club.

**District Plan**

Some community members expressed a lack of understanding when it came to certain terms and used within the District Plan such as 'activation opportunities' and a need to simplify the language.

**Traffic impacts**

Community members expressed a need to consider how new developments will impact the current road accessibility and traffic flow.



## NEXT STEPS

Submissions and feedback are welcomed throughout all three phases. The sharing phase was about introducing the various parts of the system and highlighting where feedback is being sought.

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