

# 'A SAFE HAVEN FROM LIFES STORMS' - COMMUNITY, COMMERATE, CELEBRATE & PLAY

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Potential for improved connections to surrounding community - support pedestrian connections and define vehicle movements

# Enhancing the environment and natural beauty

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To reinforce the existing environment to support opportunities for the community to commemorate, celebrate and play



Haven Common Precinct Plan

Henty Highway HAVEN 3401

- **Carpark** a minimum of 8 carparks including accessible carpark spaces. Resolve open drainage swale
- Focal entry area including feature paving, 2 interpretative signage, artistic elements reflecting the history and natural environment of Haven & seating
- **Nature Play Area** support the existing natural character of the area through revegetation under the Grey Box trees with low growing indigenous tussocks, small shrubs and grow covers. Incorporate vertical and horizontal logs and rocks for balancing, stepping stones for playful games, seating nooks for gathering, lighting to be creative uplighting of the trees, water feature with hand operated water pump (connect to additional water storage tank)
- Shared trail & Mural on toilet facilities offset indigenous vegetation to ensure CPTED attributes are considered. Include low growing grassy woodland planting to ensure powerline restrictions are considered - include groupings of small shrub wattles less than 4m tall - ensure open views are retained into the site. Include occasional seating along the path at rest stops with shade and low rural style fencing
- **Pedestrian circulation** provide connection across service road to support bicycle riding & pedestrian access throughout the site. Consider traffic control measures on the service road with a raised pavement and zebra stripes to slow traffic down
- Incorporate **natural play equipment** that supports social interaction and playfulness - include a 5 person swing, basket swing, see-saw, obstacle courses with balance below 600mm, cool irrigated grassed areas for picnics and gathering
- Gathering Area provide complimentary elements to support the existing shelter - include pergola, paved area, additional natural shade, seating, party table, lighting - festoon or uplights, areas of irrigated grass, BBQ/woodfired oven, drinking water, etc
- Pedestrian connection from gathering area to Haven Primary School - inclusion of art, seat/balancing edges, indigenous planting, paving details and shade trees
  - Celebrate the existing commemorative space with feature paving, additional flag poles (to total 3 - for our 3 flags), seating, memorial planting, shade, lighting, art (sensitive & interactive interpretation of Private James Plozza & Haven Primary School letter potential silouhettes to the setting sun in the west facing the rising sun in the east)
  - Visitor & Staff carparking parallel parking with granitic gravel access path - retain all existing trees and avoid entering the Tree Protection Zone. Carparking to support staff parking in shade and occasional visitor carparking and after hours caravan/carparking. Service Road to be one way in front of School and signposted
  - **Remnant Grey Box Woodland** to be retained and extended - support additional groundcover planting and planting to provide habitat connection and increased biodiversity.
- Flexible open space with grassed areas, some areas (12 irrigated, grass reinforced with inground compaction protection system, open plan to support market stall set up, walking trail around the perimeter to support walkability/strollability/bikability, incorporate indigenous shade trees as legacy planting for shade and habitat, potential gathering/ evening movies/ market space. Discourage as carparking space. Grade area to drain indigenous planted swale.
- Existing clubrooms to be retained until future facilities are on site. Provide drainage works to ensure access to facilities. Removal of 'dense medium sized shrubs' and replace with indigenous vegetation of low growing shrubs/ tussocks/ groundcovers
  - WSUD (Water Sensitive Urban Design) swale -
- Indigenous planting of swale/ creek form with habitat elements designed to support drainage of the openspace area - include logs, timber bridge crossings and habitat planting. Support open views into the park with the use of low growing indigenous vegetation. Long term potential incorporation of Haven Inc office in future Infrastructure development. Incorporate low key post & wire fencing in planting
- Stage/ Performance/ Sound shell flexible use for community gathering
- Henty Hwy/ Service Road intersection to be engineered to improve sightlines, safety and

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movements - future liaison with authorities required to ensure a safe system is created

Maintenance/Market entrance low key access to open space

Haven entrance signage for Haven Recreation 18 Reserve/ School/ Market - artistic interpretation potential to be located outside of the clearzone

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