



SNOWY MONARO
REGIONAL COUNCIL
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Consultation Summary

Adaminaby Streetscape

Concept Design

July 2018

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Summary

Representatives from Snowy Monaro Regional Council (SMRC) attended Adaminaby Community Centre on Wednesday 23 May 2018 to present initial sketches and concepts for the upcoming Stronger Communities Fund Major Projects Program (SCFMPP) - Streetscape enhancement project.

This community meeting allowed SMRC to highlight the different features of the proposal and feedback was obtained from the attendees. These concepts were then further developed into the preliminary designs.

The Adaminaby Streetscape Designs were then released for public consultation via SMRC’s Your Say website on 4 July 2018 and submissions closed on 25 July 2018.

65 visitors attended the Adaminaby Streetscape consultation page during this period.

11 submissions were received.

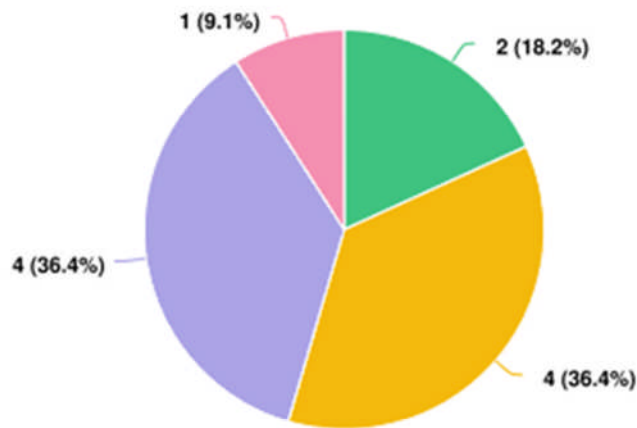
Survey results

The survey tool which was included as part of online consultation was completed by a number of visitors to the Your Say website, totalling 17%.

First impressions and overall satisfaction

The initial question targeted a response to measure first impressions and overall satisfaction towards the Adaminaby Streetscape design. The results indicate that the design has had a positive response with the majority supporting the concepts.

On first impressions, what is your overall satisfaction of the Adaminaby streetscape concept design?



Question options

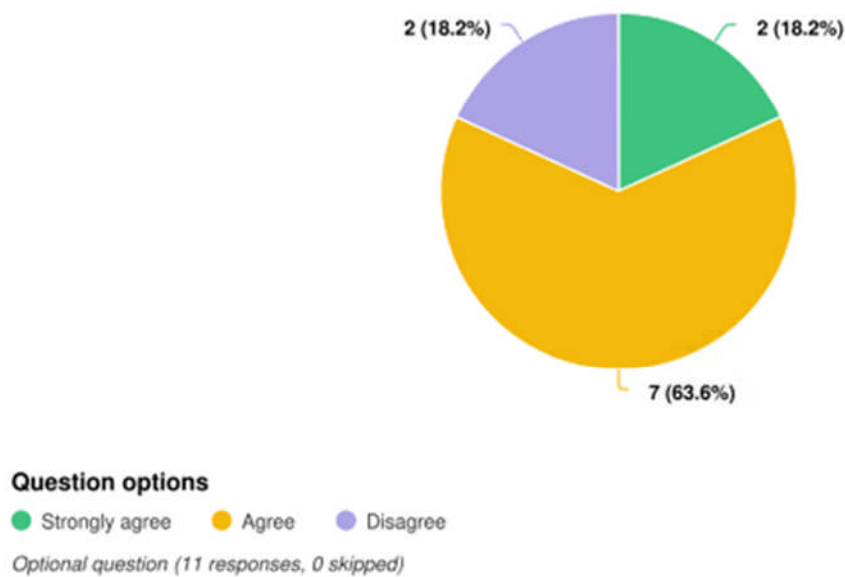
- Excellent
- Good
- Minor changes to improve
- Does not meet my expectations

(11 responses, 0 skipped)

Theming and style

Adaminaby already having a fantastic entrance way with iconic features and well maintained gardens has provided the ideal platform to attract visitors and give travellers a space to stop and rest. Concept designs aimed to continue the current theme and style and the results from the survey would indicate that this element was achieved with results highlighting over 80% support towards the project.

Does this proposed design capture the correct theme and style of Adaminaby?

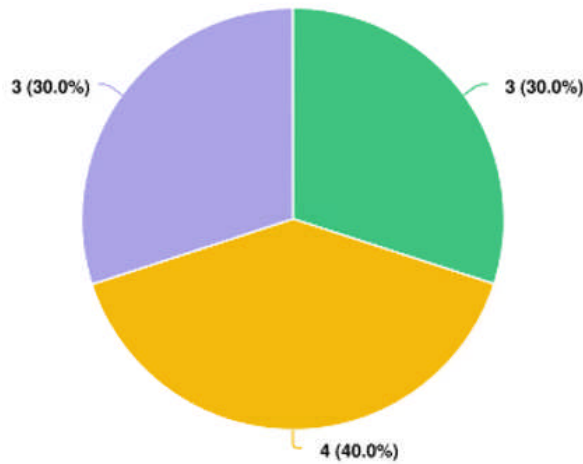


Parking and improved access

Community consultation provided the project team with an identified need to improve parking for visitors and travellers. With limitations around the town’s CBD and existing parking locations, a suggestion to provide options of dedicated long vehicle (trailers, caravans, RVs, horse floats and campers) parking at the entrances was incorporated into the design. The proposed locations also helped in resolving the issue of removing congestion of longer vehicles trying to navigate the main business precinct.

Survey results have shown a 70% support for the design’s long vehicle parking proposals.

Has this design allowed for improved access and parking to visitors and travellers?



Question options

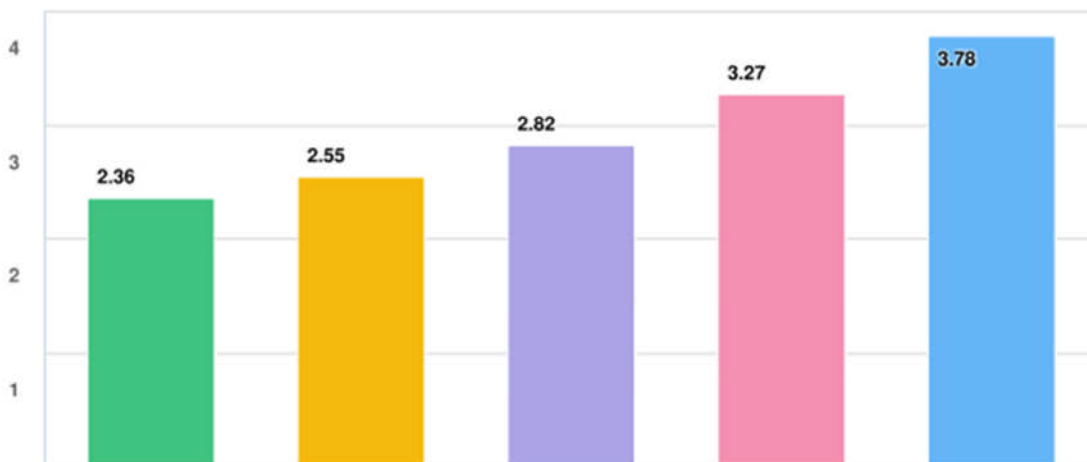
- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree

Optional question (10 responses, 1 skipped)

Priorities

The addition of trees to a streetscape design is intended to assist in reducing the sparseness of open spaces as well as provide shade for both local residents and travellers. The inclusion of additional street trees to the area ranked as the highest priority from contributors to the survey. An opportunity to provide custom tree guards with local features will also enhance the overlook and feel of the township whilst providing visitors with interesting features and historical information.

In order of your preference, what would be highest ranked item that you would consider to be essential for your town or vil...



Question options

- Improving the entrance ways
- Adding additional features or signage
- Long Vehicle Parking
- Adding additional street furniture
- Street trees

Open comments

The final question within the survey was open ended and SMRC welcomed the feedback and comments from those who participated.

Do you wish to add any other comments about the proposed concept design?

Positive feedback was received and included comments such as:

'Thank you Council for supporting our town'

'Thank you for this opportunity'

In addition to the positive comments, there were also suggestions surrounding certain elements of the design.

The submissions made have been themed and summarised below. SMRC has offered a response alongside.

Community Response	Snowy Monaro Regional Council Response
Street trees to obstruct cars coming onto grassed area	Street trees are planned to be located well back from the intersections as to not hinder visibility of traffic.
Lighting	A lighting project for the CBD is being considered and is an option for future funding opportunities.
Maintenance	Ongoing maintenance of this area is to be arranged with SMRC open spaces division.
Signage	Low rock walls and signage are included in the design.
Additional parking for our tourist	The design has made allowances for additional parking within the limitations of existing features.

Conclusion

The Adaminaby Streetscape concepts will now be further developed into design level documents and specifications to be defined, ready to go to tender.

SMRC hopes you follow the progress of this exciting project and encourages you to check back on the Your Say website to see progress information and photos, as the project builds momentum towards being constructed.