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## LIVERPOOL TAKES CENTRE STAGE AT STATE OF THE REGION ADDRESS



Mayor Mannoun welcomes attendees to the 18th State of the Region Address at the William Inglis Hotel.

"We are doing the heavy lifting for Sydney and we are very proud of it. Let us build the amazing city that is Western Sydney and South West Sydney."

Mayor of Liverpool Ned Mannoun said these words as he addressed more than 400 members and guests gathered at the Western Sydney Business Connection's signature event, the 18th Annual State of the Region Address.

This event plays a pivotal part in driving the growth of Liverpool and the South West by bringing together business leaders and decision makers from across Western Sydney.

Mayor Mannoun joined an honourable list of speakers including the NSW Premier The Hon Dominic Perrottet MP.

Mayor Mannoun also discussed the growing appetite of the South West for more recreational opportunities in the region.

"A world-class, multipurpose stadium in Liverpool supported by improved transport links should play a role in the further growth and development of the South West."

### A BRIGHTER FUTURE FOR LIVERPOOL WITHIN REACH

Improving liveability through the delivery of essential infrastructure is a key driving force behind Council's work related to the NSW Government's \$5 billion WestInvest Program.

Announced earlier this year, the program will help fund and deliver transformational projects to enhance communities and help create jobs throughout Western Sydney.

"We're delighted to announce that Council submitted 25 Registrations

of Interest (ROI) for funding for projects aiming to activate the Georges River, build connectivity in the CBD, street mall and park upgrades and enhance the South West's liveability and access to world-class recreation facilities," Mayor Mannoun said.

Work has also progressed on the Community Strategic Plan (CSP) 2022-2032, Council's highest level planning document, cementing our community's vision and priorities over the next 10 years for the City of Liverpool.

This important document was placed on public exhibition for community feedback alongside Council's draft Delivery Program, Operational Plan and Long-Term Financial Plan.

"Over the next three years, we'll focus our efforts towards delivering the priorities outlined in these plans which capture the voice of our community."

"We are unwavering in our vision to transform Liverpool over the next decade into a vibrant global city of lifestyle and opportunity," Mayor Mannoun said.

# GEORGE STREET STARS IN STARRY SARI NIGHT

Mayor of Liverpool Ned Mannoun called Council's returning Starry Sari Night "a roaring success", as thousands descended on George Street over three nights in May to experience South Asia in the South West.

"We wanted to ensure that each person who came to Starry Sari Night walked away with their own slice of South Asia, and I think we really achieved that," Mayor Mannoun said.

Council received an outpouring of positive feedback from local

businesses and the community, with calls for the event to return next year.

"Thank you to everyone who joined us and supported local food vendors, merchants and the close to 200 performers we had on the ground over the weekend."

"Starry Sari Night was all about showing the limitless potential of the Liverpool CBD to be a destination for innovative community events" Mayor Mannoun said.

Mayor Mannoun takes a photograph with a young attendee at Liverpool City Council's Starry Sari Night.



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## BLESSED TO BE BACK

More than 150,000 people descended on Council's Most Blessed Nights Street Food Market with Macquarie Mall transformed into a bustling bazaar full of lights, colours, and aromas.

Headlined by The Bearded Bakers from Knafeh Bakery, the month-long event involved more than 35 stallholders, including local cafes, restaurants and food trucks, showcasing their delicious array of sweet and savoury delights.

"The event breathed life into the Liverpool CBD, giving the community a wonderful, vibrant place to come together during an important month for people of faith," Mayor Mannoun said.

"At the same time, the Most Blessed Nights Street Food Market and events like it are a key part of Council's plan to revitalise the City Centre and create a vibrant Liverpool CBD."



# WALKING IN A WINTER WONDERLAND

Wander through a winter wonderland bathed in lights as you sample delectable European treats and cold-weather favourites. Strap on some skates and glide on our ice-rink as the snow falls around you. Warm your hands and belly with Turkish coffee, Glühwein (hot spiced wine) or a spiked hot chocolate at our pop-up bar. There will be free children's activities, live entertainment and markets.

The festival will be held in August under the stars at Macquarie Mall.

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## CELEBRATING 150 YEARS OF LIVERPOOL LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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*years*  
**1872-2022**  
**OF THE CITY  
OF LIVERPOOL**

This year Liverpool City Council will be celebrating 150 years of local government. This commemorates the granting of municipality status to the Liverpool area on 27 June 1872 following a petition by residents for local representation.

The 150th anniversary of Liverpool Council is one of several important milestones in Liverpool's history, including 40,000+ years of First Nations heritage, the founding

of the town of Liverpool in 1810, and Liverpool being granted city status in 1960.

To mark this significant occasion several events are planned, including unearthing a time capsule buried in 1972, a special film screening at the Casula Powerhouse Arts Centre, and a historical picture display at Liverpool City Library. Further information is available on Council's website and social media.

## MEET OUR NEW WEEKEND PARK CREW!

We've listened to your feedback about our parks maintenance.

We have kicked off a new 12-month pilot program which will see park

maintenance happening seven days a week, in response to the need for additional maintenance of our open space assets.

With newly built water parks, pump bike tracks and new playgrounds, this will ensure that there is more mowing, tidier parks and greater efficiency.

We are working for you Livo!



## NEW HUB DELIVERS BIG SKILLS BOOST



Mayor Mannoun is pictured with Lendlease Project Director Raz Favotto, AES Managing Director Kristy Masella and Liverpool Health and Academic Precinct Aboriginal Workforce and Industry Participation Manager Celeste Dargan.

Council has partnered with Lendlease to deliver the Buraga Gul Skilling and Employment Hub.

In conjunction with TAFE NSW, Lendlease will conduct a Skills Exchange Program on site that will provide skills and training pathways for local people to assist in the delivery of the \$790 million

Liverpool Health and Academic Precinct redevelopment. Mayor Mannoun said, "We worked with Lendlease to determine suitable programs that would make a real social impact in the community and create tangible employment pathways and training opportunities within Liverpool."

## LIVERPOOL CITY COUNCIL

### DAYTIME COUNCIL MEETINGS TRIAL

Council will trial daytime Council meetings for the next three months. Council meetings scheduled for 29 June, 27 July and 31 August will commence at 2pm. For details, please visit: [www.liverpool.nsw.gov.au/council/council-meetings](http://www.liverpool.nsw.gov.au/council/council-meetings)

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## WINTER HIGHLIGHTS



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Haven't  
Seen

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UNTIL 14 AUGUST

### THEM

From multiple-award winning playwright Samah Sabawi comes a compelling tale of survival, friendship, and the things we are willing to do to protect the ones we love.

16 & 17 AUGUST



### ERTH'S PREHISTORIC WORLD

Bringing ancient creatures from land and sea together in one show, this show is the perfect combination of theatrical magic and charm.

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