

CHRONOLOGY

Date	Description
April – May 2015	Phase One community engagement ¹ Pre-planning engagement on issues, visioning and priorities
17 May 2016	The West Melbourne Heritage Review was endorsed by the Future Melbourne Committee
February 2017	Phase 2 community engagement ² Test and review the emerging ideas in the <i>Ideas for West Melbourne Discussion Paper</i> ³
4 May 2017	Amendment C273 (interim heritage controls) were approved and introduced by the Minister for Planning. These controls are due to expire on 31 January 2020.
4 July 2017	Draft West Melbourne Structure Plan (Plan) presented to the Future Melbourne Committee with a resolution among other things to: Endorse the draft West Melbourne Structure Plan for community and stakeholder consultation ⁴
July and August 2017	Phase Three community engagement – draft Structure Plan
3 November 2017	VDRP report provided to Council
6 February 2018	Final West Melbourne Structure Plan endorsed by the Future Melbourne Committee ⁵
17 April 2018	Amendment C309 endorsed at the Future Melbourne Committee with a resolution, among other things to: Seek authorisation from the Minister for Planning to prepare and exhibit Melbourne Planning Scheme Amendment C309 ⁶
25 May 2018	Council request for authorisation ⁷
31 July 2018	Amendment VC148 gazetted which introduced a new Planning Policy Framework (PPF) and enables the future introduction of a Municipal Strategic Strategy (MPS)
September 2018	Planning Practice Note 59: The Role of Mandatory Provision in Planning Scheme released
18 September 2018	DELWP letter to Council requesting further information ⁸
26 September	Council response to DELWP further information request ⁹
19 October 2018	Minister for Planning conditional authorisation to prepare the Amendment ¹⁰
22 November 2018 to 4 February 2019	Exhibition of the Amendment and submissions made in response
7 May 2019	Future Melbourne Committee meeting regarding the Amendment, consideration of submissions and the Land

	<p>Contamination Assessment undertaken by consultants whereby, under delegation from management, the management recommendation is accorded with and included, among other things to:</p> <p>Notes management's assessment of the submissions</p> <p>Requests the Minister for Planning appoint an Independent Panel to consider submissions.</p> <p>Refers all submissions to the Independent Panel.</p> <p>Notes the preferred form of the Amendment to be presented to the Independent Panel as part of the City of Melbourne Part A submission</p> <p>Notes that the final version of the preferred Amendment, which will be presented to the Independent Panel in response to expert evidence and submissions made during the Panel process, may suggest further changes to the Amendment, so long as any further changes are generally in accordance with the West Melbourne Structure Plan ¹¹</p>
17 May 2019	Letter from Planning Panels to Council confirming appointment of Panel ¹²
30 May 2019	Submission from Multifield Construction Pty Ltd received ¹³
4 June 2019	Panel Directions Hearing

¹ [Community Engagement Summary: Phase One](#)

² [Community Engagement Summary Phase Two: 'Ideas for West Melbourne Discussion Paper'](#)

³ Ideas for West Melbourne: a discussion paper to inform a new structure plan [Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#)

⁴ [Report and minutes of FMC meeting held on 4 July 2017](#): Resolution to endorse Draft West Melbourne Structure Plan for Consultation: Folder 1 Tab 1

⁵ [Report and minutes of FMC meeting held on 6 February 2018](#): Resolution to endorse the Folder 1 Tab 2

⁶ [Reports and minutes of FMC meeting held on 17 April 2018](#): Resolution to seek authorisation and exhibit Amendment C309: Folder 1 Tab 3

⁷ Council request for authorisation documentation: Folder 1 Tab 4

⁸ DELWP letter to Council requesting further information

⁹ Council response to DELWP further information request

¹⁰ Minister for Planning conditional authorisation to prepare the Amendment: Folder 1 Tab 5

¹¹ Report and minutes of FMC meeting held on 7 May 2019: To request that the Minister appoint a Panel, to consider submissions and present the Land Contamination Assessment report: Folder 5 Tab 1

¹² Letter from Planning Panels to Council confirming appointment of Panel: Folder 5 Tab 3

¹³ Submission from Multifield Construction Pty Ltd: Folder 5 Tab 4