

#### MEMORANDUM: LORD MAYOR DEPUTY LORD MAYOR ELECTED MEMBERS

# SENSITIVE URBAN INFILL - DESIGN GUIDELINES

# Meeting: City Planning Committee

Meeting date: 16 August 2021

Raised by: Lord Mayor Reynolds

## Question:

Can the Director advise if any cities have developed design guidelines for sensitive urban infill in suburban backyards?

## Response:

Yes, there are a range of design guidelines available. Examples include:

- <u>Infill Typologies catalogue</u>, March 2020 Prepared by Prof Geoffrey London et al for Australian infill development;
- Auckland Design Manual good quality infill development; and
- Exploring new housing choices by Christchurch City Council.

Through the MetroPlan project the four councils have developed a brief for the development of a Residential Design Guideline for the Hobart context. It will cover infill development.

As signatory to this report, I certify that, pursuant to Section 55(1) of the Local Government Act 1993, I hold no interest, as referred to in Section 49 of the Local Government Act 1993, in matters contained in this report.

Neil Noye DIRECTOR CITY PLANNING

Date:

11 October 2021

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