**what is planned for the dog park?**

We anticipate the work will include:

* Several dog activity areas suitable for sniff and play
* Seating benches and seats to be located throughout the park
* Shelters
* Dog bag dispense units and bins
* Drinking fountain with dog bowl.

HOW ARE OUR PARKS PLANNED?

Our Open Space Strategic Management Plan 2018-23 (OSSMP) guides the development of our parks and reserves – the plan can be viewed [here](file:///C%3A/Users/vicrad/Downloads/Open-Space-Strategic-Management-Plan-2018-2023.pdf)

This park has been identified by the OSSMP as a District Active Park, which is designed to provide a play area within easy walking distance.

There are a total of 240 playgrounds within the City of Onkaparinga and 18 of these are District Parks. There are also local, neighbourhood and regional parks.

Different types of open spaces are designed for different lengths of stays:

* Local – up to 1 hour
* Neighbourhood – 1-2 hours
* District – 2-4 hours
* Regional – full day

Our open space network can be viewed [here](https://onkaparinga.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=abbe3424777648f9a24de2eec6c2cc53) and is an interactive map to show each park and reserve and their category as determined by the OSSMP. The left-hand column explains each category type and the level of service provided for that category.

The Open Space Strategic Management Plan 2018-23 specifies that Council will provide three off leash dog parks within the council area. These three dog parks are located:

* Dinton Farm, Melsetter Road, Huntfield Heights
* Minkarra Dog Park, Manning Road, Flagstaff Hill
* Symonds Reserve, Stewart Avenue, Aldinga Beach

Nat Cook is providing the funding to build this additional dog park at Hurtle John Potter Reserve on Investigator Drive, Woodcroft

WILL LIGHTING BE INCLUDED?

At this stage, lighting will not be included as it exceeds that current available project budget.

HOW IS THE PROJECT BEING FUNDED?

Nat Cook MP for Hurtle Vale is funding $500,000 towards construction of the dog park, toilet facility and reserve improvements.

WHEN WILL IT BE CONSTRUCTED?

Construction is expected to be undertaken during the 2023-24 financial year.

WHAT HAPPENS TO MY FEEDBACK?

We will collate all feedback received and review common themes. This feedback will help determine the final design of the park upgrade whilst adhering to the service standards for this park.

While we may not be able to provide everything asked for by the community, your feedback is important and will help us understand community priorities.

Following engagement, we will complete the final design and incorporate any changes. This final design will be shared with the community via the Your Say page at [www.onkaparingacity.com/yoursay](http://www.onkaparingacity.com/yoursay).

FURTHER INFORMATION

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