HAVE YOUR SAY ON THE FUTURE OF AQUAMOVES

Greater Shepparton City Council is committed to the renewal and upgrade of Aquamoves, the region's community hub of health and wellbeing. The Master Plan recognises medium and long-term recommendations to identify and meet the needs of the community over the next ten to 20 years.

KEY FINDINGS



The top three revenue lines for Aquamoves are aquatic entry (casual swimming), swimming lessons and gym memberships.



Learn to Swim program has nearly 1600 children but is constrained by access to water space.



The gym area of 550m2 is over-subscribed with the current membership base at 2,364 members. Gym equipment provision indicates that no more than 70-80 users can get access at any one time.

The top priorities of community support include



more and improved car parking



café improvement



indoor heated 50m pool

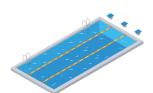


more lanes in 25m indoor pool



additional change rooms with increased cleaning services

KEY RECOMMENDATIONS



Development of a larger indoor dedicated Learn to Swim/program pool to support the future development and growth of the community.



Development of a larger dedicated warm water pool with ramp access to support therapy and rehabilitation requirements.



Development of indoor leisure area to meet the needs of the family/social markets. This may include indoor aquatic play structures such as water slides.



Redevelopment of the health and fitness area to provide additional dry program spaces and cater for different market needs EG Pilates/yoga space.



Refurbishment of the reception/ café and merchandise area to increase the functionality and improve secondary spend opportunities.



Refurbishment of the outdoor splash park, including additional water features.



Provision of additional car parking opportunities throughout the precinct.



