



CARLTON

united as a community

PUBLIC MEETING

Sunday 16th October 3pm

Carlton Football Club (Visy Park)

Royal Parade, North Carlton

Background

For more than 150 years Carlton was not a divided suburb. Originally planned along the Hoddle Grid, as a natural northern extension of the City of Melbourne, residences and shops were built to compliment each other along wide streets amongst parkland & transport links.

In 1993, without consultation and against the wishes of 96% of North Carlton residents, North Carlton was arbitrarily excised from the City of Melbourne.

A loose coalition of local residents in our community, called the Carlton Alliance, have met regularly during 2011 to explore the reunification of Carlton within the City of Melbourne.



The Issue

It is time to reunite Carlton North and Carlton South and bring back the unique qualities that were originally intended. A United Carlton is a “natural area” having a distinct geography and community identity. Residents, ratepayers and traders all share a common community of interest.

A United Carlton will achieve:

- a stronger community inclusive of all Carlton residents and traders
- protection for remaining heritage sites through a coherent and consistent plan for all Carlton
- greater numbers to lobby for issues which affect and impact all of Carlton
- ensure that projects in your area receive approval with proper consultation with local residents
- effective opposition to the proposed freeway/tunnel extension along the South/North boundary (Princes St)
- consistent, transparent, accessible planning processes for residential developments across the whole suburb



- appropriate consultation on developments which affect the quality of life of all residents
- removal of boundary anomalies which are currently inconsistent in their application
- improved access to amenities across the suburb
- consistency of landscaping, road maintenance, street cleaning and traffic calming measures
- efficient and effective public transport for all residents

Learn more about a United Carlton and the Carlton Alliance. Refer to the Carlton Residents Association website and follow the prompts.

www.carltonresidents.org.au

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