

Randwick City's

Night Time Economy Study



This study looks at practical ways to enhance Randwick City's night time economy over the next 10 years.

The goal

To create a vibrant and stimulating night-time economy in Randwick City by encouraging a diverse array of businesses, a variety of social and cultural activities and safe, fun experiences. Focus on inclusive and diverse offerings including non-alcohol related activities that appeal to all ages, all lifestyles and all cultures.

How do we plan to achieve this?



Trading hours

We'll look at increasing retail, small bars and cultural venues in appropriate locations across Randwick City and encourage lower-risk venues such as shops, small restaurants and small bars to stay open later in select spots through the following:

- Extend retail trading hours to 11pm in the business areas
- Extend trading for low-impact uses from Thurs – Sun in Kensington, Randwick Junction, Maroubra Junction and Matraville town centres to 2am indoors and 1am outdoors. A trial period will be tested in Maroubra Beach and Randwick Junction
- Introduce a 'small bar' definition to differentiate between small bar and pub/club



Music, arts & culture

Make music and arts more accessible by reducing red tape and providing support where needed to musicians and creatives.

- Establish easy pathways for artists and performers to be able to perform in Randwick City
- Prepare guidelines for events such as night markets, plays, live music and performance
- Identify needed improvements including water and utility supply, storage facilities, toilets and small stages
- Look at suitable noise reduction measures for new residential development in business areas
- Prepare guidelines to encourage street performance



Public spaces

Create welcoming and safe public domains that will improve the available offerings.

- Develop a night lighting strategy
- Look at night partnerships, such as Vivid Festival
- Commission artists to brighten 'dark spots' or unwelcoming spaces to create a feeling of safety

Other considerations

- Develop a framework for food trucks and other mobile activity
- Prepare guidelines to engage with the private sector and activate vacant spaces for pop-ups, restaurants, etc
- Focus on safe, night-time transport including 24-hour weekend transport and more direct buses after midnight.

Have Your Say

The study is on public exhibition from **26 November 2019 to 26 January 2020** and can be viewed at our libraries and online
www.yoursay.randwick.nsw.gov.au/NightTimeEconomy

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30 Frances Street, Randwick

Lionel Bowen Library
669-673 Anzac Parade, Maroubra

Malabar Library
1203 Anzac Parade, Matraville

Margaret Martin Library
Level 1, Royal Randwick Shopping Centre, Randwick