

Mount Hawthorn Hawker Markets - Community Consultation Feedback

Total submissions received: 105

Support: 100
 Object: 2
 Neither Support nor Object: 3

SUPPORT

	NAME	ADDRESS	CONSENT for details to be made public?	COMMENTS
1	Chris Lorrimar	Fairfield Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Strongly Support, as well as food, the organiser should also consider a pop-up bar of some means for patrons to enjoy a drink with their meal
2	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	No comment, however strongly support
3	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	I support the proposal. I will bring myself, family, others along. Great for community, meet, greet, have fun, family friendly, old time's etc. chat and meet neighbours and friends and meet other. Fresh food to eat and take home. Teenagers will love the entertainment variety and food "concerts in the park" music will bring them out. See you there
4	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
5	Julian Vinciullo	Oxford Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	An excellent initiative and long overdue. Should be an ongoing 'event' throughout Spring, Summer and Autumn.
6	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
7	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Thank you for the chance to comment on this proposal. We fully support the proposed market and intend to patronise it. The market will add vitality and choice to the area and is an excellent initiative.
8	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	We think it is an excellent idea and we will be going down to support it.
9	Walter & Julie Antoniazzi	Fairfield Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Yes, yes, yes. This is the sort of thing Mt Hawthorn is crying out for! Congratulations for giving these types of ventures a go.
10	Heidi Sponiol	Hobart Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	In reference to Mt Hawthorn Hawker Market. I support the markets but would like the markets to include local arts, crafts and collectables (up recycle).
11	Vinko Radich	Edinboro Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	
12	Mark & Mel Casserly	Flinders Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Brilliant idea – Great for the vibrancy of the community – as long as there is more healthy food and less greasy crap!
13	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	We have a great community in Mt Hawthorn and I welcome anything that brings it together ie. Hawker Market.
14	David Ward & Gillian Skeer	Fairfield Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	
15	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
16	Anonymous		No	The markets last Friday had great potential however there are problems with the crowded venue. There was not enough space in front of food vans for both food queues and people wanting to walk past (no thoroughfare). There was no comfortable space for your 'bring a picnic blanket' idea. There should be some small tables and stools provided for people who don't have picnic blankets to sit and eat. If this park has to be the venue it needs space! Can you take over the vacant block or the road behind?
17	Tony Jupp	Fairfield Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Great initiative that was obviously VERY popular on Friday night – I image it will be even more so on a farm evening. The food was great and not your average market food. A few suggestions that might help improve things even more next time: 1. The entertainment ended as we arrived at 7pm – that's a bit early? 2. Some seating would be good 3. One of the generators (for the Indian food van I think, was REALLY loud which detracted from any atmosphere 4. Seeing parents didn't seem inclined to keep their kids from running amok in the gardens, some barriers might be necessary – that's if there's any garden left to protect ☺ Such a great part of the City and fantastic to see the Council making use of our public space thanks.

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18	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
19	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	This Hawkers Market idea is a great idea since it engages with the community, particularly at the eastern end of town. Axford Park is grossly underutilised other than ANZAC Day. The market offers some activity for people (families with young kids) on a Friday night when no one wants to work! The food is different to that available in local restaurants and is freshly cooked and healthy. People can see the market from SBR (Scarborough Beach Road) and Oxford Street. Surrounding businesses and the Church could be involved – Bodhi Tree, Beautician? While the park layout is not ideal, the number of food trucks and circulation pattern seemed to work well, Could there be seats and tables, say in the shelter, which seemed empty except for people sitting on the edges? Bean bags are good, fairy lights and some nice music early on. We wish the Market every success and it's great to see Mt Hawthorn come alive (a bit more) at this end of Town!
20	David Upstone	Scaborough Beach Road, Mount Hawthorn	Yes	
21	Lauren Tracey & Nick Bloomfield	Brady Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Very busy but will be back, was great to see a lot of people on the streets and local business appeared to have more patronage as a result.
22	Nichola Manship	Sydney Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	
23	Amanda Rowe		Yes	Fabulous!!! Great way to end the working week with family inc young kids and my friends living in the local community! Thank you COV!
24	Anonymous		No	Great idea
25	Angelina Hicks	Edinboro Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	The markets were vibrant and fun and family friendly and look forward to heading there most Friday nights for a cheap meal and fun with the neighbours and kids.
26	Marie Raheb	Carr Street West Perth	Yes	I attended the first Mt Hawthorn Hawker Market and was very impressed by the range of food choices and the vibrant family atmosphere. I attended between 7.30 and 8.30pm I'd like to provide feedback that more lighting is required for safety reasons. One of the park lights itself in the centre of the park was not functioning, but I still believe that additional lighting is needed. Thank you
27	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
28	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
29	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
30	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
31	Anonymous	Leederville	No	Great family / community idea
32	Anonymous		No	
33	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Lines too long
34	Culter	Church Street, Perth	Yes	
35	Anonymous	Joondana	No	
36	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
37	Sarah Bolitho	Ellesmere Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	My husband, daughter and I walked to the Hawker Markets on Friday night and had a great time. Great idea, and a wonderful opportunity to bring the community together. We loved it, and will continue to support this trial in the hope it becomes a regular feature of Friday nights in Mount Hawthorn. Our only comment is that the event was so popular, the little park was pretty crammed full of people. Any change of relocating to a larger park? With thanks, Sarah Bolitho
38	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	

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39	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Great idea to activate that area of Mount Hawthorn and bring families and residents to an area of Scarborough Beach Road on Friday evenings that has previously only been used by the Paddington Ale House patrons. More toilets and possibly blocking of the street behind Axofrd Park might make the market feel less crowded.
40	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	The Mt Hawthorn Hawker Markets has the potential to add significant social, cultural and economic value to the area. It is a wonderful community initiative and I sincerely hope it will be successful and evolving.
41	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	I think it's great to have more pop up events like this. Fully in support, but I question what will this do the local shops, can we give them more flexibility and support to be able to open longer or one night a week have all The Mezz area of Scarborough Beach Road close to traffic and give the local vendors more opportunity. Please also fix up the bizarre regulation for alcohol being served at The Mezz. If I sit at a table I can be served dinner and alcoholic beverage. If I sit in a comfortable chair and watch the kids play in the playground I can have dinner but no alcohol. Surely this whole seating area should be conducive to families and serving of alcohol.
42	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
43	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	I think the market would add a new dimension to Mt Hawthorn and add to its vibrancy. I don't think the local retailers would be affected – different culture, in fact I think more people would be attracted to the area! I don't think unruly behaviour would occur.
44	David Calcei – Icorp	Oxford Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	
45	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Please find attached my support for the proposed Mt Hawthorn Hawker Markets until March 2015. As a resident I am pleased the Hawker Markets are in our Community.
46	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	What an excellent way to end the working week, relax and enjoy the good food with the company of friends/neighbours and also be able to walk back home!
47	Rachelle Rose	Shakespeare Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Please find my feedback form attached. We love the Hawkers Markets!! Love it love it love it ☺
48	Anonymous		No	Thought it was excellent – well organised and most of the vendors ready to sell food at 5pm, which is when my two little boys eat dinner.
49	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
50	Michael Beringer		Yes	
51	Anonymous		No	
52	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Good community event. Great idea to hold an event in the evening, given the hot Perth weather over summer – no obvious litter or deterioration at Axford Park so far
53	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Keep the hawkers markets but change the layout of the food vans somewhat to avoid bottlenecks and block traffic noise and danger. We thought the markets were great, although owing the small site, there were some very crowded sections, once queues started forming. It was fantastic to see people taking picnic rugs down and making a family night of it. Would it be possible to have the food vans lined up with their "backs" along the Scarborough Beach Road side, as a more physical barrier to the traffic – especially for those with small children?
54	Celeste Browing	Sasse Avenue Mount Hawthorn	Yes	I think it is a welcome addition to the wonderful suburb that is Mount Hawthorn and as a resident I would love for it to become a permanent fixture over the summer months!
55	Karen Smart		Yes	A brilliant event for Mt Hawthorn and surrounding residents! Please keep it running
56	Anonymous		No	Retain the Friday night Hawkers night at Axford Park – although relocating it to Braithwaite Park would be much better for room. As Axford Park is quite small it would be great to relocate it to Braithwaite Park.

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57	Anonymous	Leederville	No	As a local resident I strongly support the Mt Hawthorn Hawkers Markets continuing until March 2015. They have been a positive addition to the area and great opportunity to increase the sense of community.
58	Anonymous		No	Yay love it!!!
59	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	The Mt Hawthorn Hawker Markets are great. We attended on the first night – very busy and popular
60	Anonymous	Leederville	No	
61	Anonymous	Leederville	No	
62	Christina Kelly	Sasse Avenue Mount Hawthorn	Yes	This is such a great idea and I would love to see it stay. The Mount Hawthorn central strip has been buzzing the last few Fridays and is providing a lot of exposure for local businesses. I congratulate the Town of Vincent on their commitment to trying new things and really giving the Vincent area a strong identity! I love being a resident of Mount Hawthorn / Town of Vincent.
63	Anonymous		No	
64	Anonymous		No	I have only been to one hawkers market, but I think they are a great initiative by the local council. It was great to see so many families out for an evening and just shows the strong community spirit we have in the City of Vincent. Only thing I would recommend, is maybe hose it at the Braithwaite Park near the local school as there is more play equipment and space for dogs and children.
65	Alyce Sanders		Yes	I think this a great initiative that really brings the community together. I strongly believe this should continue until March 2015
66	Anonymous		No	Please keep the markets! We live in Mt Hawthorn and they defiantly have neighbourhood live and healthy activities to do on a Friday night!
67	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Love it...variety of foods...family friendly...great atmosphere. Can only get better as weather warms up. Brings the community together
68	Alex Caslte		Yes	I think it's a fabulous idea and has been a lovely community evening so far. Love the selection of food on offer and the atmosphere. Well done CoV!
69	Anonymous		No	This is a wonderful community event but the location is unsuitable as it is too small, there is nowhere to sit and I believe it's dangerous for young children as the park is surrounded by busy roads. I think that Britannia Park opposite the primary school would be much more suitable location.
70	Booth		Yes	This is a fabulous idea, should be more of it.
71	Silvana		Yes	Love to continue with the market ;) will be nice to have it going and to participate also
72	Kelly Scorey		Yes	I think the Mt Hawthorn Hawker Markets is a fabulous family friendly night out. Taken out family twice so far and will go again each Friday night. I hope you consider keeping it for Summer.
73	Anonymous		No	
74	Anonymous		No	The proposal is to use Axford Park, the corner of Oxford Street and Scarborough Beach Road, for a weekly Mt Hawthorn Hawker Markets on a Friday evening from 5.00pm – 9.00pm
75	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	My family really enjoyed the Hawkers Market and we think it's great for community spirit!
76	Emma	Orara Way, Merriwa	Yes	A great family friendly event bringing the community together it needs to stay.
77	Anonymous		No	
78	Rebecca Lord	Loftus Street	Yes	Such a wonderful evening embracing international foods and cultural diversity. If the markets were to continue through to March 2015, there weather is going to improve much more over the summer period and be an even more pleasant evening and helps to continue supporting small local business and draw may crowds to support local businesses around Axford Park and Mt Hawthorn.
79	Anonymous		No	Definitely we need to keep this market for Friday nights. All the different types of food that they have are delicious. And it gives us something to do as a family.
80	Laura Van Der Meulen	Dunedin Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	This is a great community event. My husband and I are 30 years old. Our friends live in Shakespeare St and we walked there on 14 Nov. I saw other friends there from our street and other friends that also live in Mt Hawthorn.

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				It was so nice to see so many families and people of all ages along with their pets attend. It highlighted what a great community spirit Mt Hawthorn has. It also wasn't too busy or crowded. The space is perfect size for the event. We went to the Paddo after dinner and when we left at 10pm it was good to see how quickly and well the vent was packed up. We are going again this Friday (21). I hope it continues until March and every year thereafter.
81	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Keep it going – give MH a bit of life.
82	Michale Gibcus	Salisbury Street Leederville	Yes	
83	Anonymous		No	I strongly support the introduction of this family friendly, vibrant community event.
84	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	Dear CoV, you've done it again, progressive and inclusive. I love that hawkers market, week 2 was much better than week 1 with all the vendors on the outside of the park facing in, with good lighting. Love the venue its close, we can ride our bikes. Love that it's a small space, local and the hawkers can use it as it is. No need for a bigger park with more more more, if it's too crowded people can go elsewhere. No need for seating, bring a rug! Plus I love that the park is always spotless the next morning. I hope it's the punters that take their rubbish home. I'm going again tomorrow night, can't wait. Let's keep it til March. Thanks
85	John Ferrington		Yes	Awesome atmosphere, great place to catch up with friends from all over CoV! Thumbs up!
86	Dale		Yes	
87	Pia Faletti		Yes	The Hawker Markets are a great initiative. They provide a friendly evening atmosphere and are an asset to the community.
88	Patricia Edwards	Redfern Street North Perth	Yes	
89	Anonymous		No	
90	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
91	Rev Hollis Wilson	Green Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	I applaud the initiative and have been a very happy observer and patron of the Hawkers Market. It brings a real vibe and buzz to that part of our town. I whole-heartedly support its continuance through March.
92	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	We love it! Great food, great atmosphere, and its brought more vibrancy to the Mt Hawthorn end of Oxford Street. its so wonderful that the Bodhi tree remains open for longer while the markets are on. A few more bins and a bit more light would be helpful. I just hope that the markets don't outgrow Axford Park!
93	Belinda Grandoni		Yes	Such a good initiative – love it!
94	Anonymous	Leederville	No	
95	Lisa Perriam	Bondi Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Keep the Mount Hawthorn Hawker Markets running until March 2015
96	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	I support the proposal.
97	Peter and Kerryn Doyle.	Hobart Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	We think the markets are a great idea and a fantastic addition to the community. The park however is too small for them so moving to a bigger park nearby or open space would be fantastic. Kids at the first market we went to had no where to sit and play and the park was getting a bit of wear and tear in terms of the gardens and statues. Keep it going, just maybe a better venue with more space which would also attract to the less mobile members of the community as well. Thanks Peter and Kerryn Doyle.
98	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	
99	David Hawkins	Harrow Street Mount Hawthorn	Yes	Brilliant idea Went tonight.... great community initiative Wonderful atmosphere, well supported, great for the MH community Outstanding in all facets
100	Damian Davini	PO Box 330	Yes	My family and I support and are in favour of keeping the hawker markets in Mt Hawthorn until March 201

OBJECT

	NAME	ADDRESS	CONSENT	COMMENTS
1	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	While we do not oppose the concept of the Hawkers Market we are concerned that its location on such a small park will create access problems for us with regard to traffic blocking the southern end of Axford Lane. For many of us who back onto Edinboro and Fairfield Streets, Axford Lane is the only vehicular access we have to our garages. The car park between Axford Lane and Axford Park is very small and is easily congested. We have already experienced delays in exiting Axford Lane at school pickup time when the food vans were arriving and setting up. This is an extra sensitive issue for us as we are regularly frustrated by delivery trucks that block Axford Lane while at Piscoeris and by builders/tradesmen who happily and repeatedly block the laneway several times a week for periods of 6-12 months when someone on the laneway is renovating or building. While builders are not likely to be blocking the laneway on Friday evenings they often leave building materials/equipment in the laneway for days at a time. Just two weekends ago a builder left his equipment trailer completely blocked the laneway over the weekend – because the laneway is open at both ends they do not see this as a problem. THIS WILL HOWEVER BE A SERIOUS PROBLEM FOR US IN CONGESTION OR ILLEGAL PARKING ASSOCIATED WITH THE HAWKER'S MARKET ALSO CAUSES AXFORD LANE TO BE BLOCKED AT AXFORD PARK END – THIS WILL PREVENT US FROM DEPARTING OR ACCESSING OUR HOMES. Please also take into account that some of us live opposite the Mezz therefore parking at the front of our house is not always a viable alternative. Further exacerbating the problem, is the dogleg in Axford Lane which prevents drivers being able to see in advance if the lane is blocked, therefore you must drive halfway through to discover the blockage and then have to reverse all the way back, circle the block and re-enter the laneway from the other end (assuming that's not blocked). Even as I write, a pallet of pavers (for 2 weeks) and a load of sand (for 4 days) has been left in Axford Lane – while small cars are not obstructed, larger vehicles would be blocked. These are frustrations we live with weekly which we fear may be exacerbated by a Hawkers Market being held in Axford Lane.
2	Anonymous		No	I live in Mt Hawthorn. I think the concept is good but I do not support weekly markets. I support monthly markets. The reason being it will be more of an event but also to reduce competition with local businesses, who I expect have fairly high rents.

NEITHER SUPPORT nor OBJECT

	NAME	ADDRESS	CONSENT	COMMENTS
1	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	I have attended the 2 nights of the Hawkers Markets that have been held so far. It has been fun and interesting to try the various kinds of cuisine. The 1 st night was better than the 2 nd in terms of there were more choice of different cuisine of the 1 st night. I do have concerns of the amount of litter that is not disposed of thoughtfully and the litter ends up blowing around the surrounding streets. So far it has been ok. Hopefully that continues. Thus far the markets have been attended by law-abiding locals and I fear that as the markets continue through to March and becomes more well-known to people outside the area i.e. That the riffraff patrons that the Paddington alehouse tend to attract, will join in and ruin it with their anti-social behaviour – drinking alcohol to excess, throwing up, tossing their empty beer bottles and cans everywhere, urinating in public and generally causing a ruckus. Something I've become accustomed to expect of the patrons of the Paddo. Perhaps a stronger police presence might be required if that should occur. I tentatively support the proposal for the Hawkers Markets to continue to March but the event is in its infancy and I have my concerns that it won't continue to be a pleasant event to attend.
2	Sheree		Yes	
3	Anonymous	Mount Hawthorn	No	I think the hawker markets to be held in Axford Park is a good idea for the community in the local area, however when the market is on there has been cars parked partly on my verge and my neighbour's verge, my neighbour has a City of Vincent 'no parking sign' on her verge too, which she has payed for. There was also a man and a boy who were walking to the market who had stopped to look inside my partners car and he and the boy had their hands over the car. Our car is parked on our cross-over. The big increase in traffic around our house and cars parked on our verge is troublesome for us. Regards – I forget to mention, we cannot park our cars at our house other than the cross-over as we do not have a carport.