



CITY OF VINCENT



# RECONCILIATION ACTION PLAN 2020 – 2021 REPORT

## Acknowledgment of Country

The City of Vincent acknowledges the Traditional Owners of the land, the Whadjuk people of the Noongar nation and pay our respects to Elders past and present.

We recognise the unique and incomparable contribution the Whadjuk people have made and continue to make to our culture and in our community. We will continue to seek the input of the Traditional Owners.

The land on which we live, meet and thrive as a community always was and always will be Noongar land.

Throughout this year, we experienced several challenges with COVID restrictions, however, our dedication and commitment to Reconciliation continued by transitioning our workshops and events for our community to online.

We celebrated Noongar culture and tradition through numerous events, activities and workshops.

Our commitment to reconciliation changed focus as we gained an even deeper understanding of our sphere of influence and focused on procurement and employment.

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**MAKURU**  
(June – July)

- Renewal of Reconciliation Western Australia membership
- Welcome to Country and online Cultural Awareness workshop
- Involvement in the Koori Kids school competition initiative

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**DJILBA**  
(August – September)

- First Internal Reconciliation Action Plan Working Group meeting
- Support provided to Moorditj Footprints Oral History Project for East Perth

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**KAMBARANG**  
(October – November)

- Bran Nue Dae Screening at Backlot Cinemas with Executive Director Naomi Pigram and Welcome to Country by Uncle Noel Nannup
- The Australian Dream Screening at Backlot Cinemas and catering by Gather Foods with a panel discussion including Des Headland and dance performance by Andrew Beck and his group
- AFL Showcase with East Perth Football Club, Aranmore Catholic College and Polly Farmer Foundation
- Lighting of the Beaufort Street sign and North Perth Common to represent the Aboriginal colours

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**BIRAK**  
(December – January)

- Full Council endorsement of the Uluru Statement from the Heart
- Development of Aboriginal Artist brief for Beatty Park

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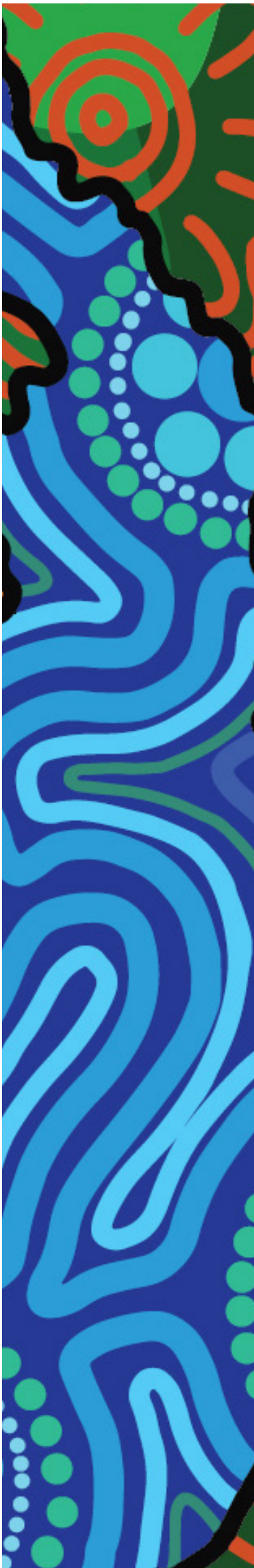
**BUNURU**  
(February – March)

- Social media post - Anniversary of the National Apology Day
- Community Heritage Grant submission to develop interpretive trail
- Staff Cultural Awareness training

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**DJERAN**  
(April – May)

- Boodjamooling experience at Hyde Park with Barry McGuire
- City recognised National Sorry Day on 26 May
- Lighting of the Beaufort Street sign and North Perth Common to represent the Aboriginal colours
- Participation in Reconciliation Week Street banner project





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