



MEDIA RELEASE

LIGHTING UP THE FORESHORE

The City of Port Lincoln is currently installing new programmable LED up-lights under the plane trees bordering the foreshore car park in front of the Town Jetty. The installation will allow colourful lighting displays to take place at different times throughout the year, adding a new vibrancy to Port Lincoln's foreshore precinct. Installation is currently due for completion this week, which will allow the lights to provide their maiden display this Friday during Carols by the Foreshore.

The lights can be controlled remotely, and are capable of highly specific programming for static colours, themes and sequencing. The ability to choose both the colours and sequencing of lights will allow Council to highlight significant events, dates and celebrations including public holidays, charity fundraising events, local festivals and sports team victories.

Mayor Bruce Green said "The foreshore is now home to a colourful public art display and we are all very excited to see the plane trees lit up this Friday for the Carols on the Foreshore and during this year's festive season - adding a pop of colour along Tasman Terrace".

The project was initially conceived in 2016 when Council was considering ways to add vibrancy to the foreshore area over the festive period. The Councillors decided that a permanent installation of low energy use LED lights that provided benefits all year round offered better value for money than lights that were only up during the Christmas period and were quite labour intensive to install and dismantle each year.

This system is also expandable, enabling extra lights to be added in the future as sections of the foreshore get re-developed.

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