



Council pauses to listen, Lewis Park on the table

Knox Council has honoured its commitment to consider the future of the Lewis Park Skate Park at its 26 February meeting. Knox Mayor Jim Penna said the issue had been put on Council's agenda, showing it was listening to the community.

"Users of the older facility wanted us to reconsider the future of the Lewis Park site, and that's what we're going to do. We've been good to our word," Mayor Penna said.

"Council had always expected to replace the Lewis Park facility with the new, bigger, regional facility.

"But we have recognised the need to pause and review that in the wake of community concerns.

"We cannot pre-empt what Council will decide but we are fulfilling our promise to hold off pending a review." The 26 February report will consider the park's future, including maintenance and repair costs and its value to the community.

"We'll have a new report that considers options, and from there, we can make a decision on the future of the Lewis Park facility," Mayor Penna added.

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