

## Dogs on Beaches Community Working Group membership selection summary

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There are **30 people** on the Dogs on Beaches Community Working Group.

### 1. Users of the Beach & Foreshore Reserves – with and without dogs

Our aim is for this to be a representative group of local people who **regularly use the beach and foreshore reserves** who can bring a diversity of insights and ideas to rules regarding dogs on beaches and foreshore reserves.

Within this group there are 30 people who regularly use the beach and foreshore reserve areas. This includes people who bring the specific knowledge and insights that we allocated 6 places for in section 2.7 of the Recruitment & Selection Plan.

The representation summarised below doesn't include the nominated representative of the Beach Dogs of LeFevre Peninsula because we don't have their demographic details.

There are -

- **17 people** who regularly visit the beach and foreshore **with their dogs**, and
- **12 people** who visit the beaches and foreshore reserves **without a dog**.

Of the 17 people who visit the beaches and foreshore reserves with a dog –

- **8 people have their dog both on and off leash.**
- **5 people have their dog off-leash.**
- **4 people have their dog on-leash.**

**5 of the dog owners have a reactive dog** (a dog who doesn't like other dogs).

Of the 12 people who visit the beaches and foreshore reserves without a dog there are -

- **3 people who are scared or uncomfortable around dogs.**
- **3 people who feel indifferent about dogs.**
- **7 people who love or like dogs.**

**1 person who visits the beach without a dog says they have a reactive dog.**

### 2. People from across the Lefevre Peninsula as well as the rest of our city

There are mix of people who live in the **7 Council wards** across the whole of the City Port Adelaide Enfield.

Whilst we want to ensure we include voices from across our whole city as many residents travel to our beaches and foreshore reserves, we assume that there will be a greater level of interest from people who live closer to the beach and foreshore reserves and assume a

greater level of impact on these people by any decisions that get made. Therefore, we allocated more places on the working group to people who live in these suburbs.

Ward	Suburbs	People (suburbs)
<b><i>Eastern Wards</i></b>		
<b>Enfield</b>	Blair Athol, Broadview, Clearview, Enfield, Kilburn, Manningham and part of Sefton Park.	1 person (1 person from Manningham)
<b>Klemzig</b>	Klemzig, Windsor Gardens, Holden Hill, Gilles Plains and part of Dernancourt.	1 person (1 person from Windsor Gardens)
<b>Northfield</b>	Hampstead Gardens, Greenacres, Hillcrest, Northfield, Northgate, Oakden, and parts of Walkley Heights and Valley View.	4 people - one of these people is a dog trainer (2 people from Oakden, 1 from Hillcrest, 1 from Walkley Heights)
<b>Parks</b>	Dry Creek, Ottoway, Wingfield, Gepps Cross, Mansfield Park, Angle Park, Woodville Gardens, Ferryden Park, Regency Park, Croydon Park, Dudley Park and Devon Park.	2 people - one of these people is dog trainer – (1 person from Angle Park, 1 person from Croydon)
<b><i>Beach side wards</i></b>		
<b>Outer Harbor</b>	Outer Harbor, North Haven, Taperoo, Osborne and part of Largs North.	6 people (1 from Largs North, 3 from North Haven, 2 from Taperoo)
<b>Port Adelaide</b>	Alberton, Ethelton, Glanville, Gillman, New Port, Port Adelaide, Queenstown, Rosewater and Semaphore South.	5 people (2 from Exeter, 1 from Rosewater, 1 from New Port, 1 from Port Adelaide)
<b>Semaphore</b>	Exeter, Semaphore, Birkenhead, Peterhead, Largs Bay and parts of Largs North.	10 people (6 from Semaphore, 3 from Largs Bay, 1 from Peterhead)

There are a high number of people from the Semaphore ward because during the selection process it was observed that 7 of the expressions of interest from people who visit the beach without a dog, lived in this ward. Given a low number of expressions of interest from this group, they couldn't be easily reduced. Within the 10 people representing this ward, 6 live in the Semaphore Ward, 3 live in Largs Bay and 1 person lives in Peterhead.

### 3. People who use the beach and foreshore reserves at different times of day and night

The group includes a mix people who use the beach and foreshore reserves at **different times of day** to account for people who work full time, people who work shifts, people who don't work, and so on. **2 participants stated in their expressions of interest that they work shifts.**

### 4. People from different age groups

We aimed to have at least one person under 30 years old, and at least one person over 65 years old. These aims have been achieved.

The mix of all ages is as follows –

Age	Participants
20-29	3 people
30-39	2 people
40-49	3 people
50-59	8 people
60-69	9 people
70+	4 people

### 5. People from different cultural backgrounds

To acknowledge this cultural diversity, we aimed for between **2-10 people who speak a language in addition to/other than English at home** to be on the Community Working Group.

Out of the 30 people selected, 2 people speak a language other than English at home.

### 6. People with a disability

We aimed for at least 2 participants who need help with their day-to-day lives due to a disability, or who care for someone with a disability.

**3 participants have a disability, and 3 participants care for someone with a disability.** 1 participant said they would rather not say.

### 7. People with specific knowledge and insights

Our group of 30 people represent a broad range of specific knowledge and insights. This includes affiliations, but not limited to –

<b>Target</b>	<b>Representation</b>
At least 1 representative from a <b>business/events group</b>	Member of the Semaphore and Port Adelaide RSL; 1 former President of an event organising committee; other local business owners
At least 1 representative from a <b>sporting club</b> (SLSC or yacht)	1 kayaker; 1 member of the Port Adelaide Hockey Club and Semaphore Beach Walkers
At least 1 representative from <b>environmental protect/care group</b>	1 participant who is a part of the Save our Shores local dunes volunteer group
At least 1 representative nominated by the <b>Beach Dogs of LeFevre Peninsula group</b>	1 nominated representative of the Beach Dogs of LeFevre Peninsula  2 participants (in addition to the nominated representative) indicated a connection to the group
At least 1 representative from <b>dog training/behaviour centre/group</b>	1 owner & senior trainer of dog training club; 1 professional dog trainer/instructor; 1 person involved in dog training; 1 member of dog obedience club
At least 1 representative from Kaurna or Aboriginal community, nominated by <b>Council's Aboriginal Advisory Panel or local Aboriginal community</b>	1 person with an affiliation with Reconciliation SA