

Topic	Examples
Parks, sport facilities & play spaces	Equitable access to open spaces, inclusive playgrounds, multipurpose sportsgrounds and community infrastructure (e.g. aquatic centres)
Diversity & inclusion	Welcoming, cohesive and accessible places for people of all ages, abilities and backgrounds
Libraries, community services & facilities	Extensive library networks, programs for diverse community groups; access to facilities including community halls and outdoor spaces
Education	Quality lifelong learning including early childhood, primary, secondary and tertiary offerings
Housing choice & affordability	Provision of housing that caters to diverse households and provides access to community infrastructure nearby
Cost of living	Affordability of basics including groceries and energy. Addressing other issues such as rental/mortgage stress
Transport	Availability and reliability of transport options including public and active transport links
Health, wellbeing & safety	Infrastructure and strategies that address health concerns experienced by our community and the level of safety felt
Environmental sustainability	Matters including circular economy, climate change, tree canopy coverage, urban heat, EV charging infrastructure, etc
Strong & resilient communities	Community preparedness for, responsiveness to and cohesion throughout natural disasters such as floods and fire, and other significant events such as pandemics
Jobs & business opportunities	A thriving 24-hour economy, support for businesses and opportunities for residents to work locally
Innovation & technology	Using new and innovative solutions including technology to improve the lives of the community and tackle key issues
Culture & creativity	Supporting artists to celebrate culture and inspire creativity across the City
Built environment & local character	A well-planned built environment, focusing on what makes Parramatta unique
History & heritage	Preserving heritage, recognising the significance of migrant stories and the importance of First Nations history
Events, festivals & entertainment	Hosting local, state and international sports and cultural events; also events that represent our diverse community including Lunar New Year and Diwali