

**Dear Community leader,**

I hope you & your family are staying well during this incredibly difficult period. I am working from home - as so many of us all. I'm feeling incredibly grateful to those working in health services, supermarkets, services like electricity & water, and agriculture in particular.

**This crisis certainly focusses you on what's important!**

**Please find DA information below.**

I have also included some of the changes coming through from Hornsby Council - and the link to find out all the details.

## **DAs Lodged and Determined under Delegated Authority**

- [\*\*DAs Lodged 16-20 March 2020 - 52kb\*\*](#)
- [\*\*DAs Determined 16-20 March 2020 - 57kb\*\*](#)

Please also note:

- Council's playgrounds, outdoor fitness equipment, skateparks and tidal pools are temporarily closed until further notice. Sportsgrounds are open but please strictly observe social distancing guidelines.
- Council's Administration Building, including the Customer Service Centre, is closed to public access. Our customer service teams are still able to assist you via telephone and online during usual business hours of 8.30am-5pm.
- Lodgement of [\*\*Development Applications\*\*](#) will be online only until further notice.
- Face to face meetings with the [\*\*Duty Planning Officer\*\*](#) are temporarily suspended. Telephone enquiries will continue to be available.
- The Thornleigh Community Recycling Centre (CRC) and the CRC Customer Service desk are closed to public access. Until further notice, we will no longer be able to provide face to face assistance with enquiries or information hand outs and customers will no longer be able to purchase worm farms and compost bins.
- Council's aquatic and leisure centres and community centres are closed to public access.
- Bookings within Council's parks, reserves and ovals are closed until further notice.
- Our libraries are offering [\*\*some services\*\*](#) online where possible but are not open to the public.
- Citizenship Ceremonies are cancelled until further notice.
- We're relocating our workforce to be based from home, wherever possible.

For all information about Council & the response to COVID-19 [go here](#).

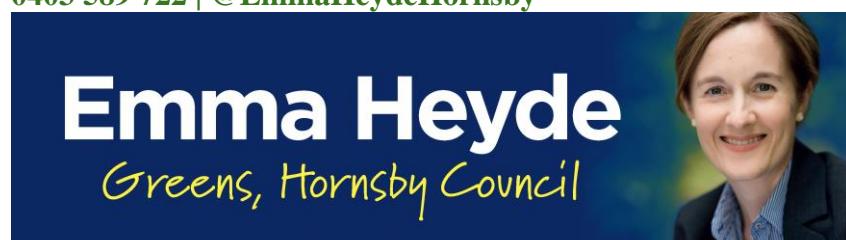
**Keep well, happy and home!**

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