*Participate, be heard and let us know your views on the **COUNCIL PLAN 2025 – 2029** by entering our Survey Competition*

Every four years Hobsons Bay City Council develops a Council Plan that sets the strategic direction and objectives for Council's work and the provision of services to the Community. We would like to know what you think about the Plan and invite you to let us know your thoughts by participating in this survey competition.

Survey Competition – Terms and Conditions

1. The Promoter is Hobsons Bay City Council.
2. Entry is open to all residents of Hobsons Bay. However, Council employees, Councillors, and their immediate families are not permitted to enter the competition.
3. Entry into the competition means you agree to be bound by the terms and conditions.
4. The competition:
    a. Commences on **Wednesday 30 April 2025 at 9am,** and
    b. Closes on **Friday, 6 June 2025 at 4.30pm**.
5. <u>How to enter?</u>
    a. Visit the competition website at www.participate.hobsonsbay.vic.gov.au/ and enter by completing and submitting the online survey form.
    b. To complete the online survey form, you must:
        i. Submit your survey response on the "Council Plan 2025 – 2029".
        ii. Provide your full name, email and phone number for contact purposes.
        iii. If the entrant is under 18 years old, you must provide the consent and contact details of the parent or guardian.
        iv. Each person can only submit one online survey form

6. Prize Draw Selection

    a. Winners will be determined by a random draw of the submitted entries at the end of the competition.

    c. The entries will be drawn, and the winner determined on:

        i. **Tuesday 10 June 2025** by Hobsons Bay City Council community engagement team.

        ii. The winners will be notified that they have won a prize via email and/or by phone call.

7. The Prize

    a. There will be 6 winners drawn at random.

    b. Each winner will receive one of the following prizes:

        a. A gift card - for $100 (3 prizes available for general entrants); or

        b. A gift card – for $100 (3 prizes available for entrants under 18 years of age).

8. Prize Acceptance

    a. Prizes are not redeemable for cash, nor are the prizes transferable or exchangeable once allocated by the Promoter.

    b. If, after making all reasonable attempts, the Promoter cannot contact the winner, the Promoter may, at its sole discretion, select another entrant as the winner or retain the unclaimed prize.

    c. The Promoter's decision is final, and the Promoter will not enter into correspondence regarding the competition result. The Promoter accepts no responsibility for any late, lost or misdirected entries.

    d. The Promoter reserves the right to verify the validity of entries and to disqualify any entry which, in the opinion of the Promoter, includes objectionable content, profanity, potentially insulting, inflammatory or defamatory statements, disqualify any entrant who tampers with the entry process, who submits an entry that is not in accordance with these Terms & Conditions of Entry or who has, in the opinion of Promoter, engaged in conduct in entering the promotion which is fraudulent, misleading, deceptive or generally damaging to the goodwill or reputation of the promotion and/or Promoter.

Privacy Statement

Hobsons Bay City Council (Council) is committed to protecting your privacy. Your survey responses will help Council to plan and improve its services, plans and programs and the personal information supplied by you (your name, email, and phone number) will be used solely for the purposes of administering the prize draw in this competition. Council has engaged Conversation Corporation Pty Ltd (the Company) to assist with the online collection and analysis of the survey responses and your personal information and responses will be kept confidential and securely stored in accordance with all privacy legislation and Victorian laws

and will only be used for the purposes as outlined in this Privacy Statement. Your personal information will not be disclosed by Council or the Company to any other third party without your consent, unless authorised according to law. Please note, there is an option in the online survey form for you to choose whether or not you wish to provide consent for your contact details to be used by Council or the Company to contact you regarding Council's other community engagement projects. As part of the competition, Council can share public posts and display the first name of the winners through its social media platforms and website. You have the right to access your personal information and make corrections. If you have any queries or wish to gain access to amend your information, please contact Council's Privacy Officer on 1300 179 944.

Thank you – we look forward to your survey response and good luck!!