

bcc: W.D. Scott & Co. /McConnell, Smith & Johnson

November 18, 1970

Ald. Andrew Briger  
Vice Chairman  
City Development Committee  
Town Hall  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

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Dear Ald. Briger :

re: Letters to Local Groups

On November 10, 1970, you wrote and conveyed to me Ald. Draper's suggestion that the letter to be sent to community, social and welfare groups should be rewritten, so as to eliminate jargon and to pose some simply worded questions.

Ald. Draper's point is well taken. We attach herewith a revised draft of this letter for your approval.

We now recommend that this revised letter be sent to all those on the lists supplied by Ald. Draper, and edited by us. We have edited Ald. Draper's lists so as to delete those who have already been written to. We attach a xerox copy of the edited version of Ald. Draper's original list, together with a xerox of the edited version of a second list supplied by Ald. Draper, which we received on 13.11.70.

When all these have been written to, a total of 107 social and/or welfare community groups will have been contacted. This is, of course, in addition to the 80 Commonwealth and State Government bodies also written to, and the approximately 80 Institutes, Associations, Societies, Institutions and the like also written to. The grand total of such letters now approaches 270.

Yours faithfully  
URBAN SYSTEMS CORPORATION PTY LTD



George Clarke, Project Director  
City of Sydney Strategic Plan

cc: Mr Lambert and Ald. Draper

Enclosures (see File G.5)

**DRAFT LETTER OVER SIGNATURE OF VICE CHAIRMAN  
OF CITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

**To : Community, Social and Welfare Groups  
as per attached list.**

**18.11.70**

**Dear :**

**Because of your involvement in the community life of Sydney, we feel sure you can contribute ideas towards making the city a more human and better place in which to live.**

**Your City Council is currently preparing a Strategic Plan for the City of Sydney, to provide guidelines on how the Council and other authorities should make decisions concerning the future development of the city.**

**We are not thinking simply in terms of bigger buildings and better traffic flow, but of the people who live and work in the city. Their needs are most important, and so we ask you help.**

**We want to know what special groups, for instance, young people, the aged or the migrant, might need particular facilities that are at present inadequate or non-existent. Do you believe the city needs, for example, more parks, more playgrounds, more community facilities and, if so, where should these be, and what should they be like?**

**We want your views because we believe that you know your area and its people well.**

**In order to consider your views during the preparation of the Plan, we would like to receive a written statement of your views no later than Monday, January 18 next.**

**Yours sincerely**

**Andrew Briger, Vice Chairman  
City Development Committee**

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