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Submission to Future Melbourne Committee

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Agenda Item FMC Agenda item Agenda item 6.1 Northern Undercroft and City Road Park - Concept Design

Southbank Residents Association (SRA) is pleased we are finally proceeding with what appears to be substantial progress on this site, albeit long overdue.

However, we are astonished with the lack detail in the concept plan. It appears officers have created an over-arching concept thereby leaving them with a great amount of lee-way with what the final design will look like. We have never experienced council with such vagueness across similar concept plans across the municipality. Can we refer you to the Transforming Southbank Boulevard concept plans where we were provided detailed renders of what the community could expect in each space. There are no such renders here and instead we are left with using our imagination.

In principle, the concept appears to address the desires of the community and we look forward to being able to continue to engage with council officers as each space is more clearly defined, as we did with Southbank Boulevard.

Regards

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