

WALSH BAY ARTS PRECINCT

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Illustration of the proposed new waterfront square, with Pier 2/3 in background

Walsh Bay Arts Precinct

A planning application has been lodged for Stage 2 of the Walsh Bay Arts Precinct redevelopment. The Stage 2 State Significant Development Application (SSDA) outlines plans for an integrated performing arts and cultural precinct along with an enhanced public domain in Walsh Bay.

The Walsh Bay Arts Precinct SSDA covers major construction work along with plans for new commercial and event uses. This application follows on from the Stage 1 Concept application approved in May 2015.

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Key features of the proposal include:

- » A new waterfront square between Pier 2/3 and Wharf 4/5
- » Use of the precinct for arts festivals, events and pop-ups with potential to include restaurants, cafés and bars
- » Provision of flexible and adaptable spaces in Pier 2/3 and Wharf 4/5 for arts and cultural activities
- » Events within the waterfront square and outdoor spaces
- » Heritage modifications and interventions required to Pier 2/3 and Wharf 4/5 including stairs, balcony and roof modifications.

Sydney Theatre Company Upgrade

An upgrade of Sydney Theatre Company's (STC) existing facility at Wharf 4/5 is proposed as a separate development application. This proposal includes more flexible theatres, rehearsal and workshop spaces to help realise STC's distinctive theatrical vision. Coming to The Wharf has always been a unique Sydney experience and improved facilities will ensure that STC can offer an even better visitor experience.

Find out more

The detailed plans for the Walsh Bay Arts Precinct are on public exhibition from Thursday 17 November to Friday 16 December. We encourage you to view the detailed plans and make a submission.

Find out more about the plans for the future of the Walsh Bay Arts Precinct and Sydney Theatre Company Upgrade and have your say by:

- » **Joining us at an upcoming Community Information Session** at Pier 2/3, Hickson Road Walsh Bay.
Drop in any time between **10am and 2pm on Saturday 3 December** to see the project display and talk to our team.
- » **Visiting the NSW Department of Planning and Environment website to see the detailed plans and make a submission**
(www.majorprojects.planning.nsw.gov.au)
- » **Visiting the Arts NSW website**
(www.arts.nsw.gov.au)
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