

Newport Residents Association Inc.

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The General Manager Northern Beaches Council PO Box 1336 Dee Why NSW 2099

Dear Sir,

Various Housekeeping Matters for Newport

Further to our correspondence of 18th August 2018 we would appreciate council attending to the following items to the general maintenance of Newport and its surrounds;

The steps on the track climbing to South Bilgola Headland, from the Northern end of the dunes pathway, your reference number PK2018/1385. From the first landing we suggest a fine gravel between the timber risers as the sand has been washed out. After the third rise of steps the path is finished well, all the way to the first green resting chair. The top section is okay but will need to be re-gravelled annually to ensure that the water drains away. Fine road base would be best. There are exposed tree roots along the top & we suggest road base & gravel be put around them so they are not damaged. Also could the signs be updated on the path to current NBC signage.

A large bush has grown across the Council easement at the Eastern end of the Boulevard. This is obscuring the sea views from the dedicated seat. The bush was planted very close to the boundary of No 1 Calvert Pde some years ago. We asked if council could cut this bush back to the boundary with No1. Your reference PK2018 /1386. That has been done but we suggest it be cut back further as the tree needs more pruning and the fence is collapsing.

There are also a number of street lights out in Newport from the 7 Eleven petrol station to 337 Barrenjoey Rd. Also one on Bramley Avenue near the entrance to the car park and one on the corner of Ross St & Myola Rd. At the bottom of Calvert Pde & the Boulevarde there is one light out (leading to the beach). Could these please be attended to.

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Yours sincerely

Wendy Dunnet, Secretary