

Public Question Time – answers to questions taken on notice*

Question from James Woollett:

Q1: Asked (Regarding the Middle Park Library Public Consultation Meeting) if this is a public meeting that the Council will not allow the media to attend? >

Response

This matter was subsequently discussed with residents at the public forum on the Middle Park Library on 13 February 2018.

Residents were advised that, as per Council's usual community engagement policy, we strongly request people do not film or record the proceedings due to considerations including privacy provisions. Attendees were further advised that note-taking is fine and official note-takers at the meeting will write down community members' comments which will later be compiled and circulated to any participants who want a copy of that report.

Media were advised that if they wanted to attend and conduct an interview, the facilitator would be available to do so after the meeting.

**Please note: answers to any questions in Public Question Time which were answered at the meeting are included in the minutes of that meeting.*