## Social and Amenity Management in Fitzroy and Acland Street Precincts for April 2022 (issued 5 May)

## Monthly statistics from Council's Rapid Response team and City Amenity team

Activity	Fitzroy	Acland
Councill teams' clean ups undertaken at high-volume rubbish sites	35	2
Cubic metres of rubbish and waste removed during clean ups	168	
Syringes collected during clean ups	192	
Abandoned collections of belongings stored by Council after clean ups	3	0
Shopping trolleys removed from the streets	15	6
Hygienic wash down cleaning programs completed (3 times per week)	32	24
Additional spot pressure cleaning programs completed (Daily)	30	30
Dog off lead actions taken	6	2
Footpath trading breaches discovered	0	0
Council officers' interactions with members of the public during patrols	70	60
Offers made to refer people sleeping rough to support services	30	5
Joint patrols undertaken with outreach services	6	4
Abandoned patrols by Rapid Response team due to safety concerns	5	3
Abandoned clean ups by City Amenity team due to safety concerns	22	0

<sup>\*</sup>The total cubic metres of rubbish removed and syringes removed is a combined amount for the entire St Kilda precinct..

## **Rough Sleepers Initiative**

\*There are 99 people active on the Port Phillip By Name List (BNL), on average Council officers reported 5.1 rough sleepers in Fitzroy Street and 1 in Acland Street.

Of the 99 people currently active on BNL, 34 were sleeping rough including in squats and vehicles.

The highest count on Fitzroy Street was 9 people on 7 April 2022.

The Port Phillip Zero Hotspot partnerships noted that the greatest number of people gathering occurs in the afternoons in both Fitzroy and Acland Streets. This is a social gathering not specific to people experiencing homelessness.

Council continues to work with partners to support a coordinated response to Rough Sleeping. This has included partnered activities and planning across Housing and Homelessness, City Amenity, Community Health, Indigenous Policy and Victoria Police.

\*Data is provided by Launch Housing in April representing the Rough Sleeper Initiative service statistics for the previous month.

