



# Media release

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## **Positive discussions with Albany Agricultural Society**

City of Albany CEO Andrew Sharpe has thanked the Albany Agricultural Society for agreeing to meet with City representatives today.

This afternoon (Tuesday 18 August), members of the Albany Agricultural Society's executive met with key City officers, together with Albany Mayor Dennis Wellington, regarding the Society's future use and operation within the Centennial Park Sporting Precinct.

Mr Sharpe said the discussions between the two parties were very positive.

"I would like to thank the Albany Agricultural Society for agreeing to come to the table today," he said.

"The meeting was very encouraging and constructive. I believe that moving forward there will be a renewed sense of optimism on both sides with regard to this issue.

"I am hopeful that we will be able to continue these discussions and bring a potential option or options back to Council in the near future."

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