

Warringah Council

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*Fit For Future*

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IPART Submission  
29 June 2015

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# CONSULTATION RESULTS

The community's most preferred scenario:

- 69% Northern Beaches Council
- 20% Warringah alone (Status Quo)
- 6% Manly and Warringah
- 2% Pittwater and Warringah
- 3% Split Warringah

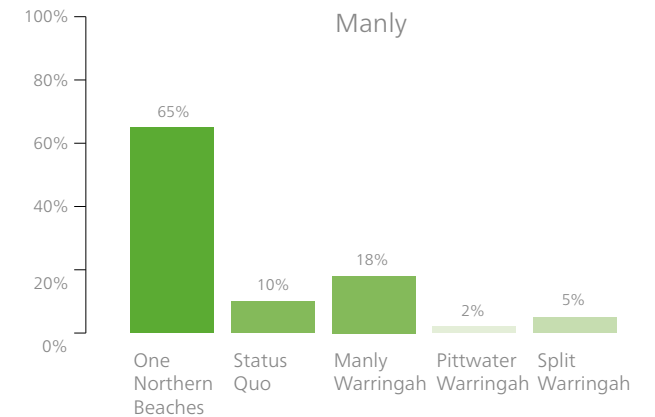
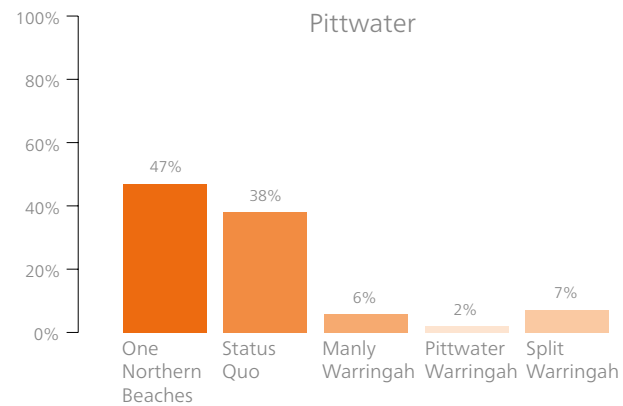
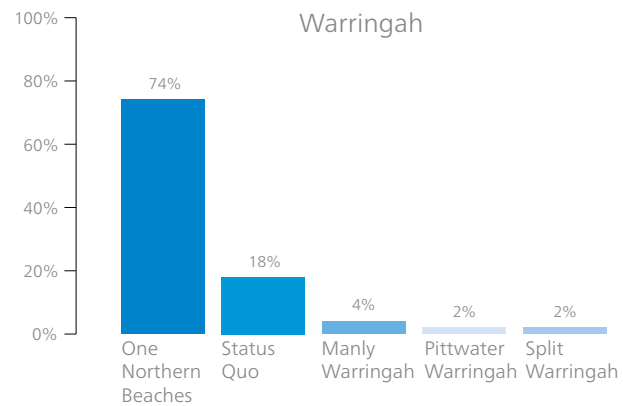
These results support data from two representative telephone surveys conducted in 2014 and 2015 (Jetty Research 2014 and Micromex Research 2015)

Strong community feedback:

- 2,001 submissions (online surveys or written)
- 1,300 conversations at community engagement stalls
- 420 comments on social media
- Over 200,000 people reached on social media

# CONSULTATION RESULTS, BY LGA

There is strong support for one Northern Beaches Council across all three Local Government Areas



# SAMPLE OF COMMUNITY SENTIMENT

- It makes sense
- Get on with it Premier
- 1 council is the only way to go! I really don't like any other ideas!
- Go for full amalgamation. Let us become one great community
- I can't wait to see one Northern Beaches Council, it should have happened years ago
- Time to think big. The Northern beaches is an identity all residents of the 3 councils can relate to
- Increased efficiencies and effectiveness
- The Northern beaches is a total community
- No need to have three separate councils duplicating services
- We are paying for too many councils
- Have a bigger say on larger issues

# SAMPLE OF COMMUNITY QUOTES

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# WARRINGAH update



A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR OF WARRINGAH, MICHAEL REGAN



This week many in our community have been affected by the earthquake disaster in Nepal. You may not know that Warringah is home to a significant number of people of Nepalese heritage. The images and stories coming out of Nepal following last Saturday's 7.8 earthquake are horrific and very sad. My thoughts are with the victims and their loved ones.

Not surprisingly, our amazing northern beaches community has, for the second time in as many weeks, pulled together to help others. The Nepalese community has been busy collecting money and clothing for those in need. I take my hat off to them for their proactive and positive response to this tragedy.

For those Warringah residents still cleaning up after the east coast low, this weekend is your last chance to request an extra vegetation waste service at your home. All the details are on our website. Again, I ask for your patience as Council gets to all the repair jobs.

Have a great weekend.

**Michael Regan**  
mayor@warringah.nsw.gov.au

## DON'T SPLIT THE NORTHERN BEACHES

Let's unite to create a more effective and efficient Northern Beaches Council for our community ... it just makes sense.



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### 12 May - 2 Jun GREY MEDALLION PROGRAM

Every Tuesday 11.30am-1.30pm  
Free  
Warringah Aquatic Centre  
Aquatic Drive, Frenchs Forest  
Water safety and lifesaving skills for grandparents.  
Register your interest now.  
Call Warringah Aquatic Centre on 9451 8000 or  
wacprograms@warringah.nsw.gov.au

### 12 May - 2 Jun MORE ZING WITH ZUMBA

Every Tuesday 10am-12pm  
Free  
Limited spaces available  
Collaroy Swim Club, Collaroy Beach SLSC, Collaroy  
Perfect for active older seniors who are looking for a modified lower intensity class. Health tips and a delicious morning tea after each session.  
Bookings essential through Healthy Lifestyles on (8677 5303)

#### COUNCIL NOTICES

##### Scam Warning

Please be warned that someone, pretending to act for Council, has gone to a home demanding immediate payment to them of supposedly outstanding rates.

If someone comes to your door, saying that they are collecting Council rates, please call the police immediately.

##### Notice Of Commencement

Warringah Council has adopted the Warringah Section 94A Development Contributions Plan 2014 (Amendment 1), which will become effective from Monday 4 May 2015.

##### HAVE YOUR SAY

##### Warringah Draft Developer Contributions Plan 2015

Council is seeking community feedback on the Draft Warringah Development Contributions Plan 2015.

For more information call Taylor Richardson on 9942 2111.  
Submissions close Monday 1 June.

##### Northern Beaches - Our Community, Our Future

The NSW Government is requiring us to consider merging Manly, Pittwater and Warringah Councils into one new organisation under its Fit for the Future program.

This is a unique opportunity to take the best parts of each Council and create a new and more efficient and effective Northern Beaches Council.

Visit [www.northernbeaches.sydney](http://www.northernbeaches.sydney) to find out more and have your say.

- Come along to an information stall:
  - Wed 6 May 1.30-3pm Forestville Shops
  - Thu 7 May 1.30-3pm Freshwater Shops
  - Sat 9 May 9am-12pm Terry Hills Shops
  - Sun 17 May 9am-12pm Narrabeen Markets Berry Reserve

##### Narrabeen Lagoon Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan

Warringah and Pittwater Councils are investigating measures to reduce the impacts of flooding on existing properties and future development in the Narrabeen Lagoon catchment. An online survey is now available for your input.

For more information please call Valene Turk on 9942 2111.  
Submissions close Monday 25 May.

##### PROPOSED LEASE

##### Wyatt Park Tennis Centre Wyatt Avenue Belrose

In accordance with Section 47 of the Local Government Act 1992, Warringah Council gives public notice of its intention to consider a lease for a term of five years for the land known as Wyatt Park Tennis Centre Part of Lot 1 Deposited Plan 752018.

The purpose of the lease for Wyatt Park Tennis Centre is for tennis courts and recreation activities.

For enquiries contact Council's Property Department on 9942 2143.  
Submissions close Friday 22 May.

##### DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

##### 1395 Pittwater Road Narrabeen

Council is in receipt of Application No. DA/2015/0206 for alterations and additions to an existing Community Centre (Narrabeen Framed and Community Centre) at Lot 1 DP 839408 and Lot 18 DP 12600, 1395 Pittwater Road Narrabeen.

The proposal does not constitute designated development. Warringah Council is the consent authority. The applicant is Warringah Council.

For enquiries contact Kevin Short, Senior Planner, 9942 2111 or [council@warringah.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@warringah.nsw.gov.au).

Exhibition period Monday 4 May to Tuesday 19 May 2015.

The above drafts, plans and accompanying documents are available at [warringah.nsw.gov.au](http://warringah.nsw.gov.au) and the Civic Centre. Submissions for Development and Planning Proposals are invited in writing online or to Warringah Council, 225 Pittwater Rd, One Why NSW 2099. Submissions for Public Exhibitions should be sent to [ccouncil@warringah.nsw.gov.au](mailto:ccouncil@warringah.nsw.gov.au) or to the above street address, marked with the name of the exhibition. Plans for Public Exhibition can also be viewed at Warringah Libraries.

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# PRESENTATION AND CONSULTATION MATERIALS

*Appendix 3.1C*



# IMAGINE THIS...

What future do you want for the northern beaches? These are all possible if we had one new northern beaches council. Share your ideas at [www.northernbeaches.sydney](http://www.northernbeaches.sydney).

One beach parking sticker for all the northern beaches

One voice to more effectively lobby for better roads and public transport (about time!)

Improved playgrounds, sportsfields and parks

Less red tape for businesses and organisations dealing with Council

Improved waste management and more recycling

Extra love for Brookvale Oval

Full-time Mayor to meet your needs

NORTH HEAD



One Council (not three) to manage lagoons and waterways

One set of planning rules and faster DA processing

Coordinated coastal management and beach services

One voice to work better with State health bodies

Protection of the lifestyle for your children

Environment improved with coordinated management and greater resources

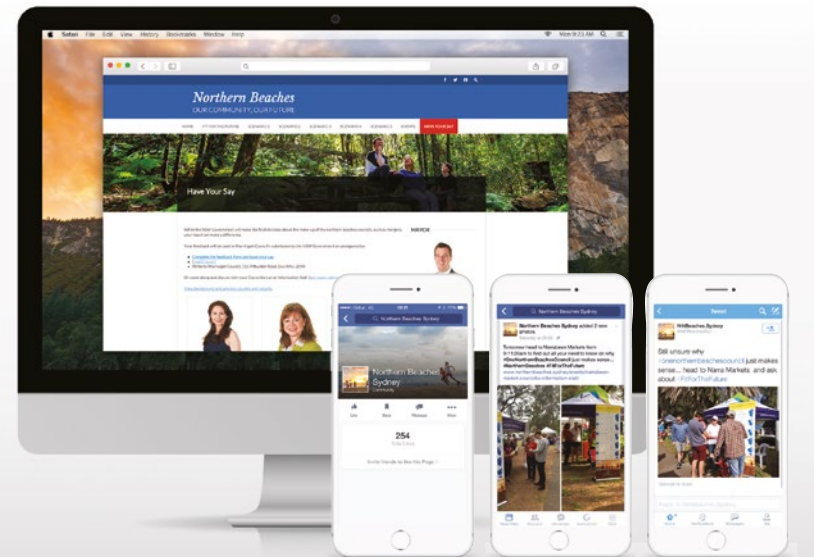
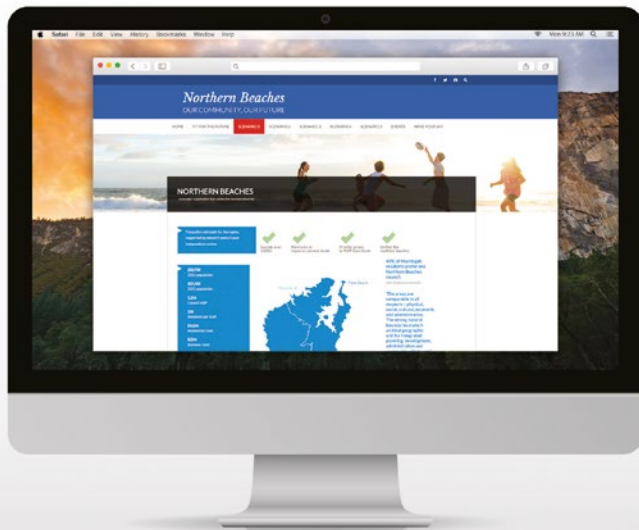
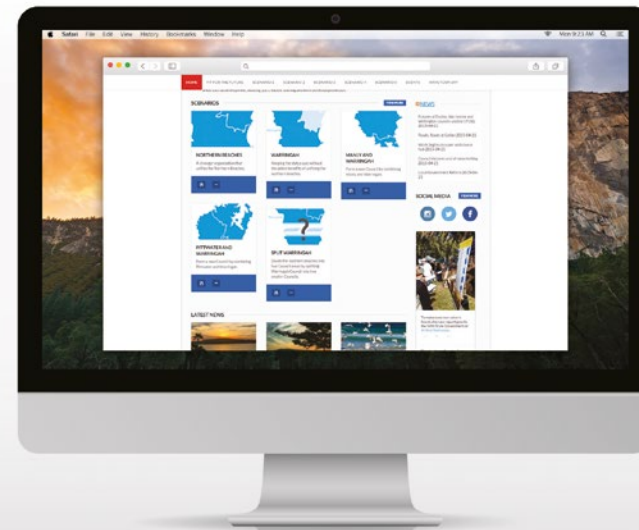
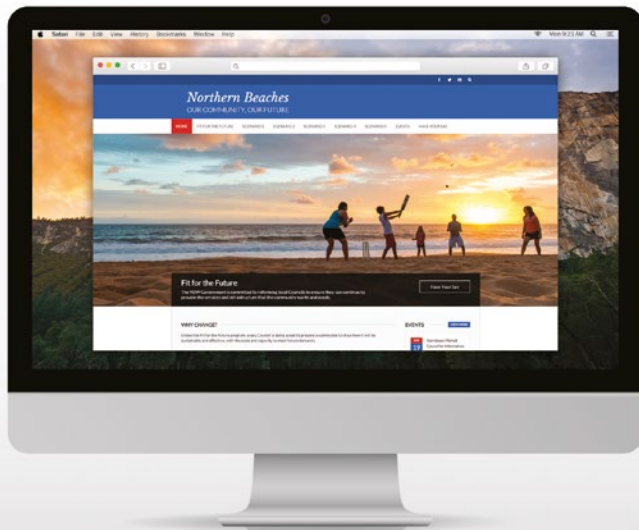
BARRENJOEY HEAD

40km

Northern Beaches Recreational Activities

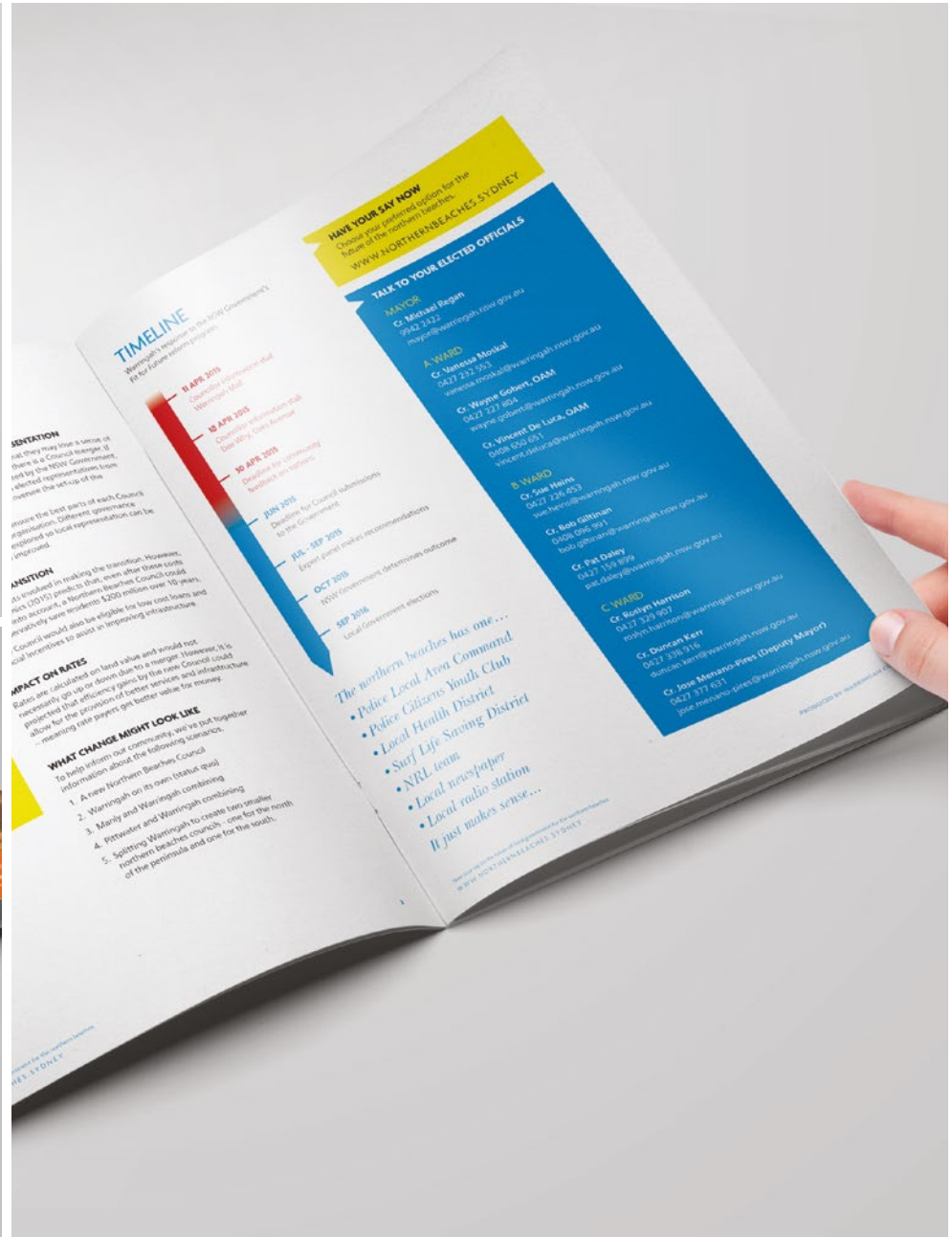


WWW.NORTHERNBEACHES.SYDNEY - Dedicated community engagement website and social media properties (over 27,000 visits)

























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**SCENARIO SUMMARY AT A GLANCE**  
 Produced by Warringah Council

**1 NORTHERN BEACHES COUNCIL**  
 Population 258,938  
 Combining Manly, Warringah and Pittwater into one new Council. A stronger organisation that unifies the northern beaches community. The preferred model for the region, supported by research and a 3-year independent review.

- ✓ Savings over \$100m
- ✓ Maintains or improves service levels
- ✓ Priority access to NSW Govt funds
- ✓ Unifies the northern beaches

**2 WARRINGAH (STATUS QUO)**  
 Population 152,636  
 Warringah is a high-capacity Council with an excellent record in financial and asset management. It is financially sustainable.

- ✗ Savings over \$100m
- ✓ Maintains or improves service levels
- ✓ Priority access to NSW Govt funds
- ✗ Unifies the northern beaches

**3 MANLY AND WARRINGAH**  
 Population 196,868  
 A relatively small sized Council, unifying some of the northern beaches population and improving financial sustainability and assets.

- ✓ Savings over \$100m
- ✓ Maintains or improves service levels
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**4 PITTPATER AND WARRINGAH**  
 Population 214,706  
 A relatively small sized Council, unifying some of the northern beaches population and improving financial sustainability and assets.

- ✗ Savings over \$100m
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**5 SPLIT WARRINGAH**  
 Population North Council 138,388  
 Population South Council 120,550  
 Divide the northern beaches into two Council areas by splitting Warringah. Creates two Councils, smaller than Warringah Council's current size. Would potentially cost more than it saved over 10 years.

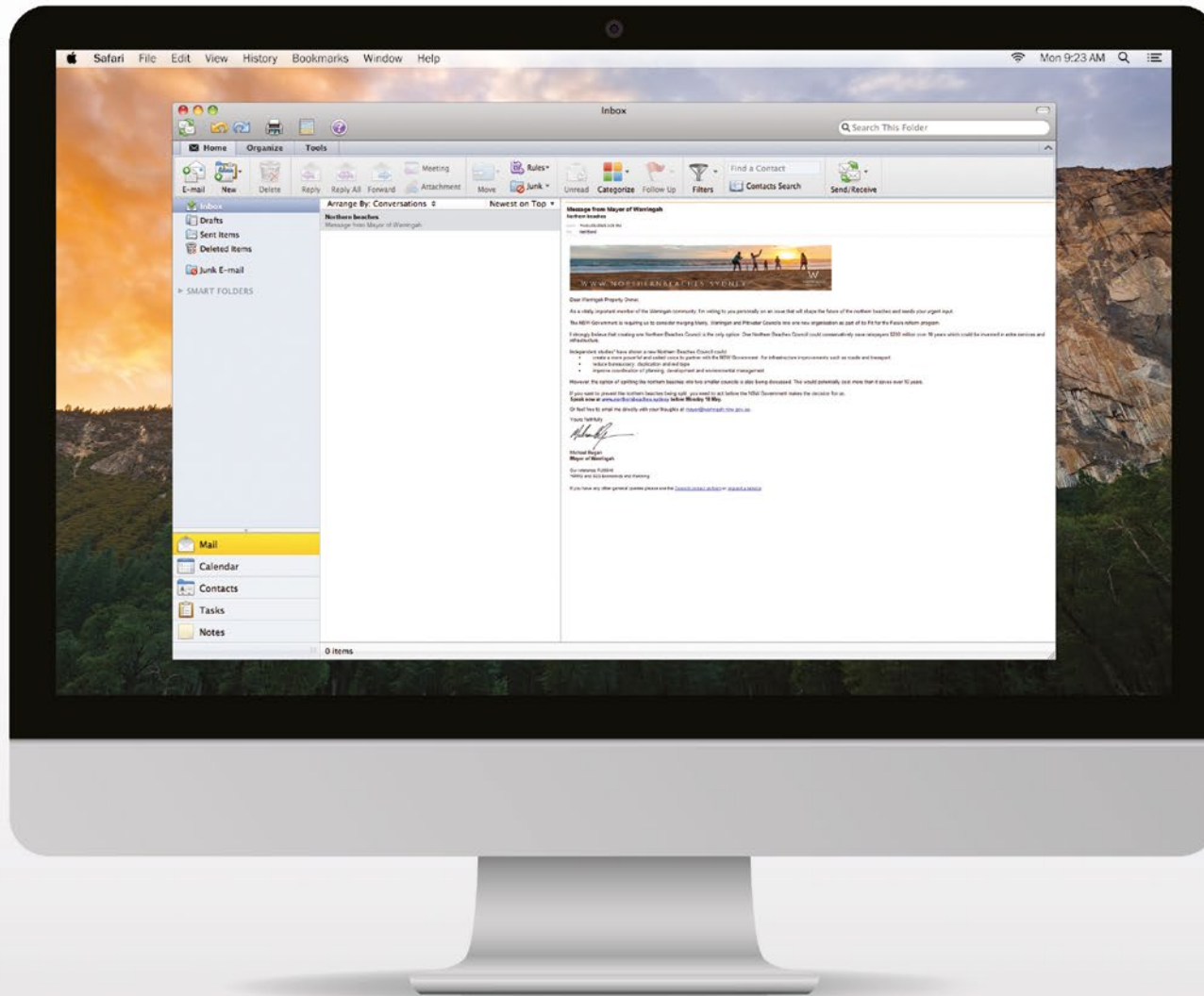
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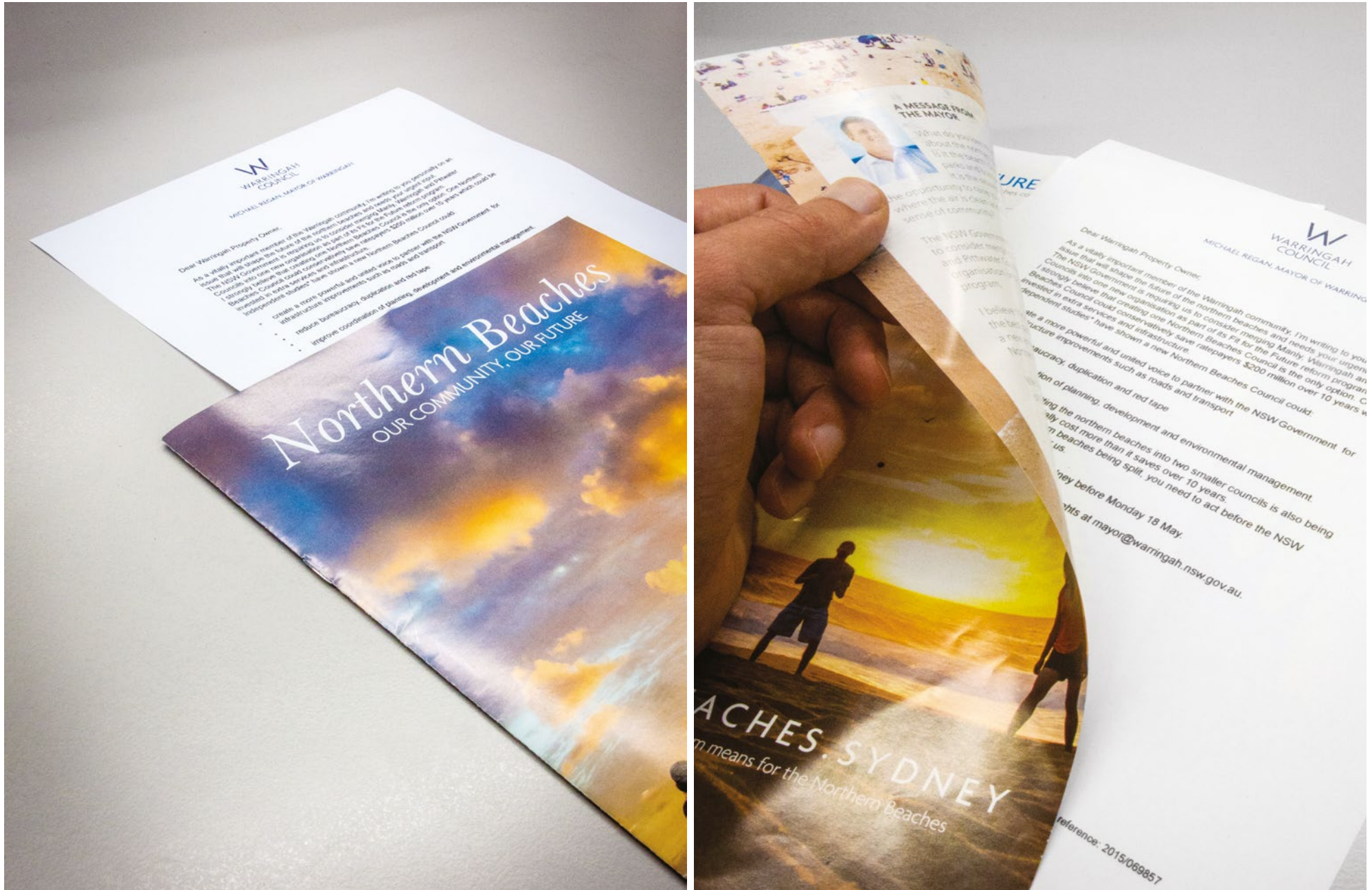
Digital displays at Local community centres and prominent outdoor positioning

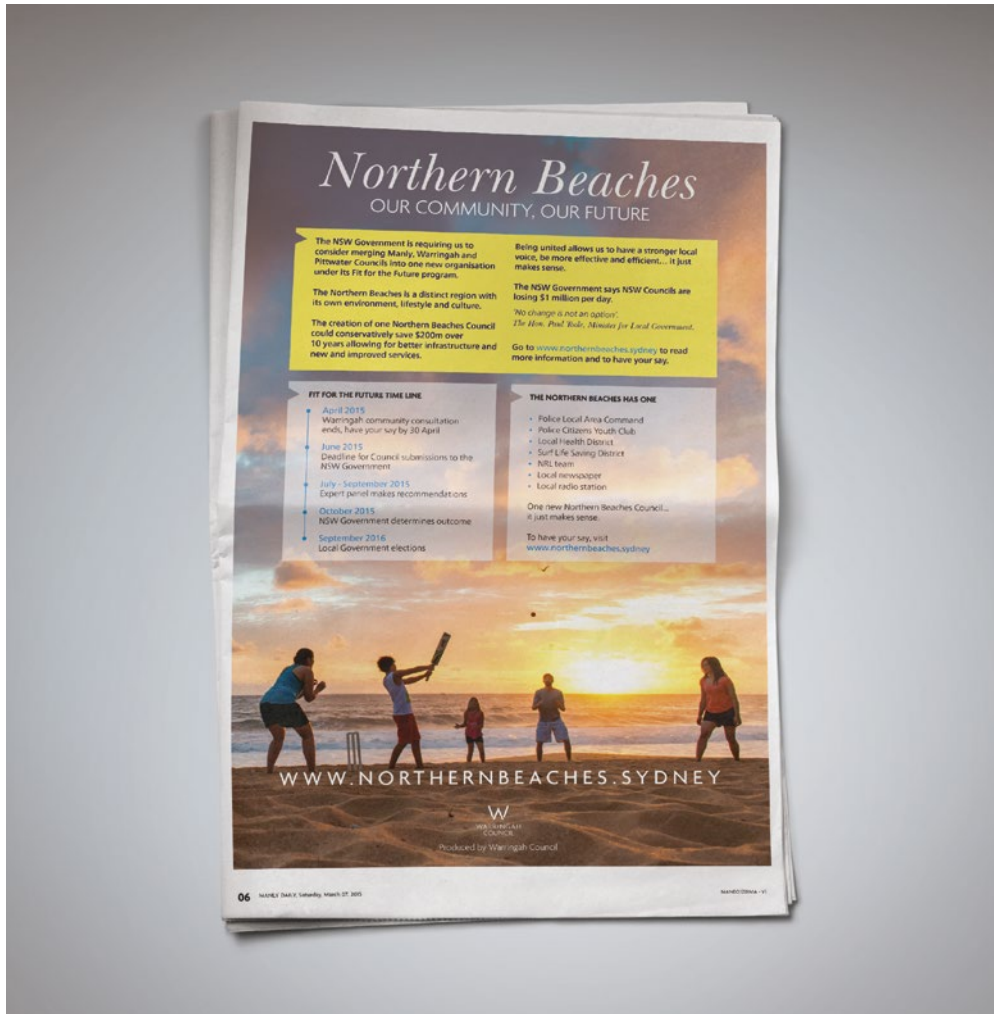


Fit for Future - Email from Mayor Regan to non resident rate payers (over 2,300 recipients)









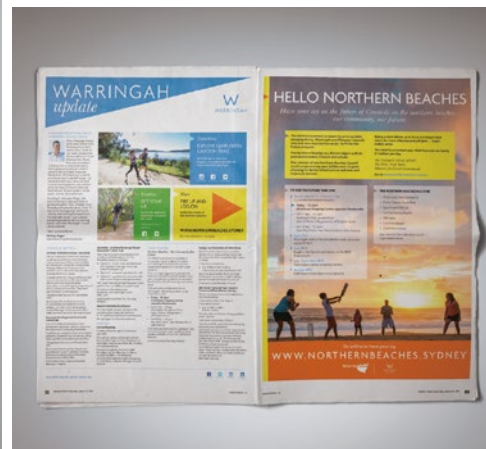
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MANLY DAILY EDITION - 18 APR 2015



MANLY DAILY EDITION - 28 APR 2015



MANLY DAILY EDITION - 2 MAY 2015



MANLY DAILY EDITION - 09 MAY 2015



MANLY DAILY EDITION - 16 MAY 2015



MANLY DAILY EDITION - 23 MAY 2015



*“...look beyond today into the future.”*

The Hon Paul Toole  
Local Government Minister





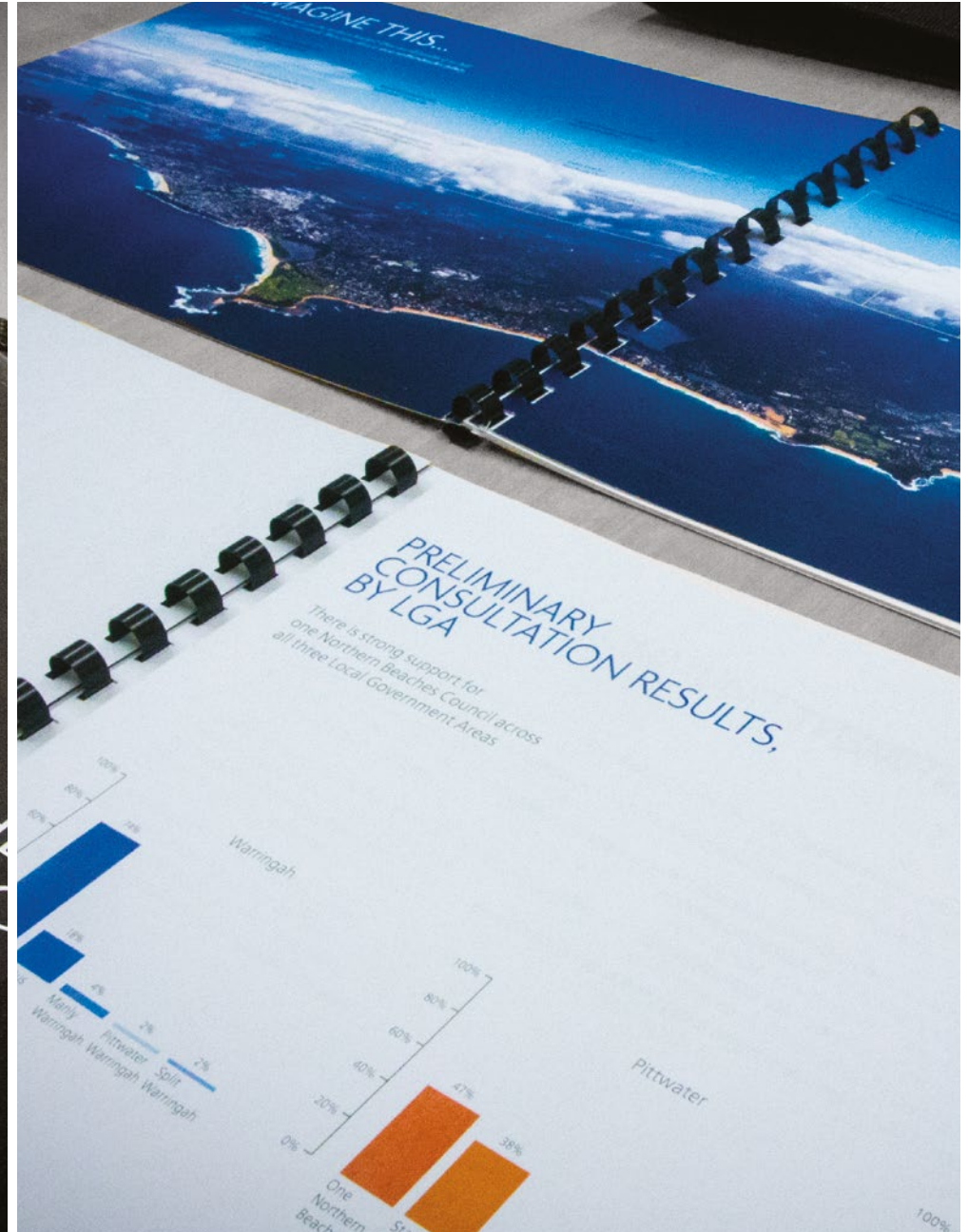
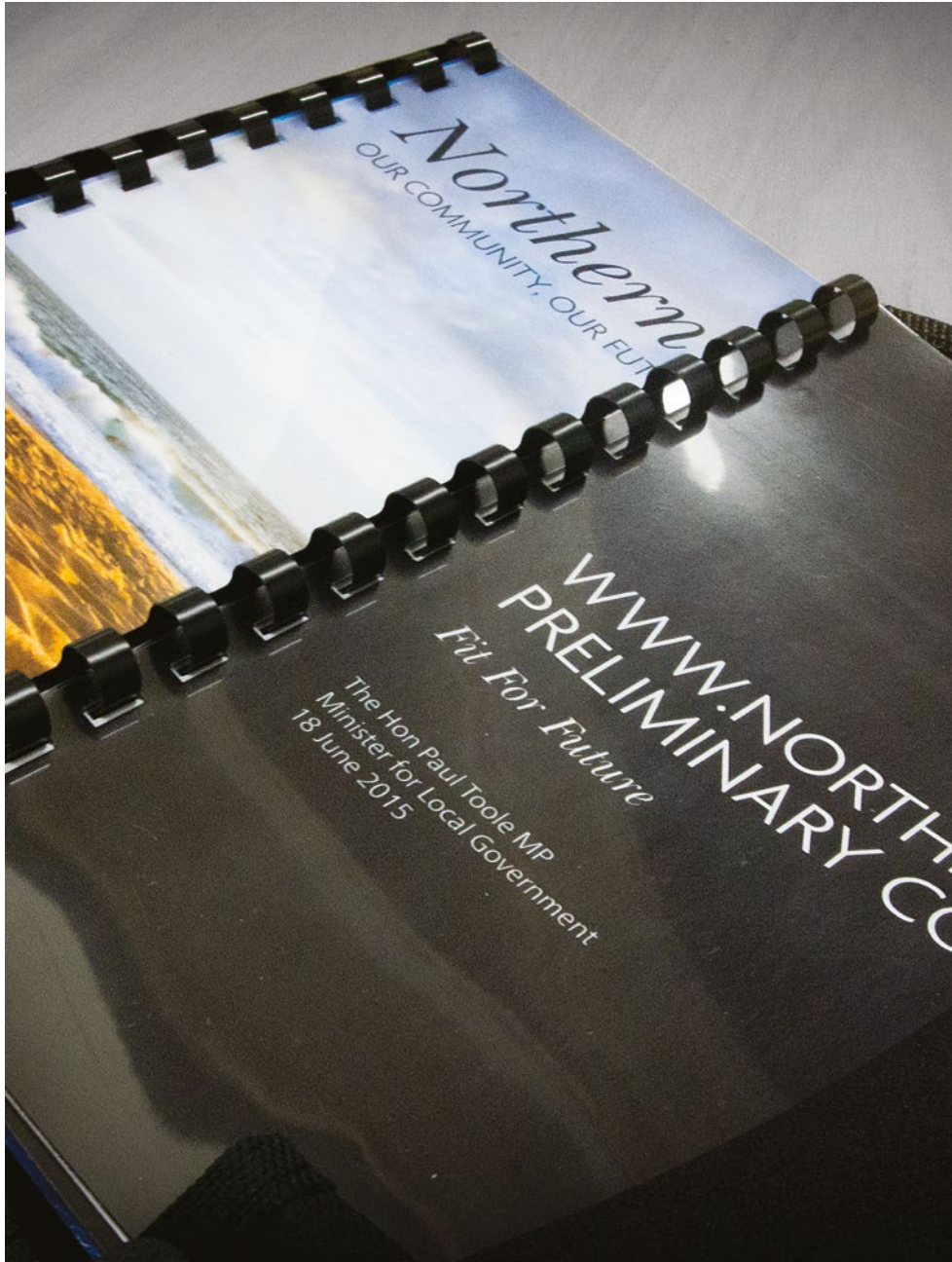
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