













# Parent Update Meeting













Heritage Early Childhood
Centre recognises that
teaching and learning have
continued on the Land on
which our centre stands for
many thousands of years, and
we are honoured to continue
to live and learn on this Land.
We pay our respects to Elders
past, present, and emerging
and acknowledge The
Traditional Custodians, The
Ngunawal, Ngunnawal, and
Ngambri Peoples of the
Canberra Region.

### **Director's Update**



- Thank you for support
- Strong beliefs
- Strength and value of our community
- Investment in early years learning
- Respect for nature and environment
- Long term approach to respect and upholding our values

# What we're fighting for

- Values
- Philosophy
- Commitment to learning
- High quality early childhood education and care
- Educators quality, working conditions, and retention
- Community Heritage and ANU
- Community of learners, not for profit
- Continuity of services childcare, employment, community



#### Timeline of events

- ANU announcement
- Initial assessment & response
- Engagement ANU, media, politicians
- Establish a plan

ANU updates and direction

 Heritage Community engagement Current HECC commercial license with ANU ends

Mid-July

21-Jun

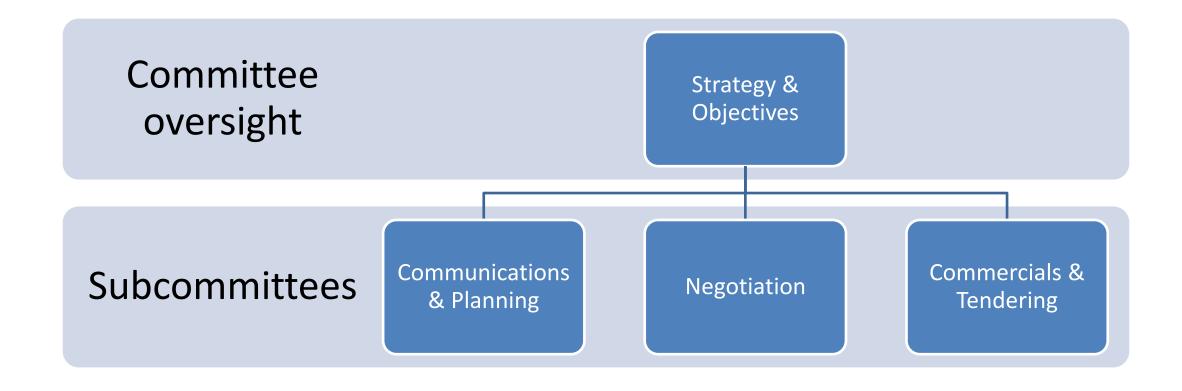
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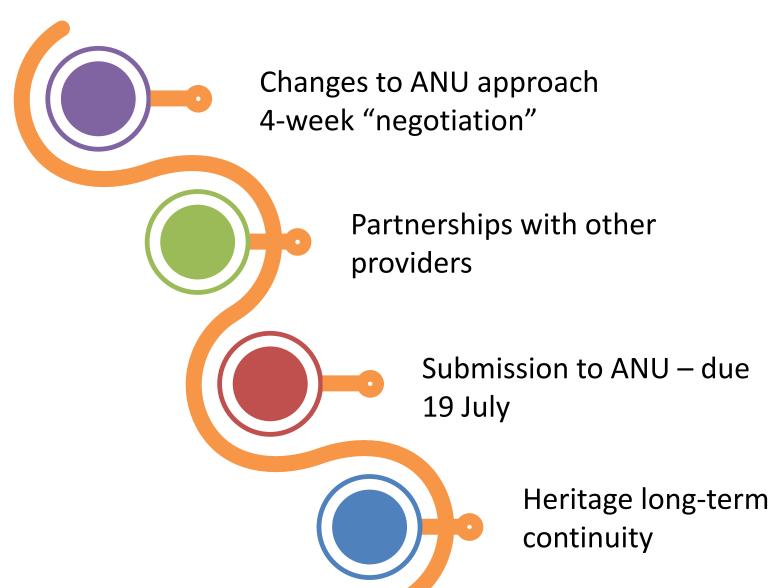
- Consultation and negotiation
- Adjustments to plan
- Focus on immediate engagement with ANU

25-Jun

 ANU public commercial tender commences Jan-2025

# What the plan is





Where we are up to

# The ask of parents

- Community input
- Lobbying
- Involvement in subcommittees
  - Communications & Planning
  - Negotiation
  - Commercials & Tendering



#### **Identified Skills**

- Communications & Planning
  - Lobbying, advocacy, corporate communications
- Negotiation
  - Strategy, consultants, negotiation
- Commercials & Tendering
  - Scoping, rapid research, tender writing, project management, procurement



#### **Next Steps**

- Let us know how you can help (QR code)
- Continue open discussion
- Transparent communications weekly at minimum



#### Questions



#### Note:

- We have shared much of what we know.
- Multiple options exist for continuity.
- Heritage is in a healthy position community, finances, staff.





