

Media Release



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UDIA NSW welcomes plans for Sydney's North West

The Urban Development Institute of Australia NSW (UDIA NSW) has welcomed the release of the plans for the Riverstone West Precinct, announced today by NSW Premier Nathan Rees.

UDIA NSW Chief Executive Officer, Nick Duncan said that the release of the plans is a positive step in ensuring the continued growth of the North West sector of Sydney.

“UDIA NSW is encouraged by the strategic approach shown by the NSW Government in the creation of Sydney's new communities. The release of this latest plan for the North West Growth Centre is a crucial step in securing the social and economic viability of this burgeoning region”, said Mr Duncan.

UDIA NSW seeks a timely delivery of the plans, and recognises that with the release of land comes the need for sufficient complementary infrastructure.

“We now call on the NSW Government to take the next step – deliver on all of the objectives laid out in the plans and commit to providing the key social and transport infrastructure essential for this region.”

UDIA NSW represents the leading participants in the urban development industry with over 550 member companies. A quarter of these members are based in regional NSW.

UDIA NSW's advocacy is focussed on three key themes for the development industry:

- affordability;
- investment certainty; and
- sustainability.

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