

## **Glebe Society Strategic Goals – priorities for 2009**

*The following strategies and related actions, from the Society's Strategic Goals 2008 – 11, were identified as the highest priority for 2009 by a workshop of Management Committee in December.*

### **Improve and extend public transport, encourage walking and cycling and minimise traffic on our streets.**

- Support the extension of light rail and integrated ticketing.

### **Retain and strengthen our unique heritage as a substantially intact 19<sup>th</sup> century townscape and important urban conservation area.**

- Research history and heritage of the built environment to strengthen heritage controls within the town plan
- Encourage the maintenance and restoration of heritage buildings by individuals, businesses and organisations

### **Develop and extend open space linkage within Glebe and to adjoining communities, as well as developing opportunities for recreational green spaces.**

- Ensure completion of walkways to the Fish Markets and beyond, and along Orphan School Creek to Parramatta Road
- Promote pedestrian traffic and recreation.

*Other specific actions that received priority were:*

- Preserve the village atmosphere, including diverse, small-scale businesses that cater to both locals and visitors
- Continue to hold events that foster inclusiveness across social groups
- Support sustainable public and private gardens, and creation of habitat for biodiversity

*The workshop identified the following strategies as those where most progress had already been made:*

### **Promote and enhance the intellectual and cultural life of Glebe for all age groups.**

### **Develop and extend open space linkage within Glebe and to adjoining communities, as well as developing opportunities for recreational green spaces.**

### **Celebrate Glebe's diverse population and perspectives.**