

Responses received to additional questions

Create NSW
Ms Kate Foy

1. Is Create NSW still in charge of the night time economy taskforce?

a) If not, who is in charge?

Yes, Create NSW is coordinating the night time economy taskforce established by the Government in 2016. The Taskforce has been responsible for the implementation of the 25 Night Time Economy actions, with 19 of the 25 actions completed and 6 in progress.

In addition to coordinating the progress of the Taskforce Actions, Create NSW leads the NTE Announcement working group, working with City of Sydney, Inner West Council, City of Parramatta, Liverpool City Council.

2. Is Create NSW still in charge of the night time economy policy for the Government?

b) If not, who is in charge?

Create NSW, as part of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, continue to work and engage across industry on the night time economy policy. This includes coordinating the cross government working group implementing the night time economy project, including the Night Time Economy Announcement made on 24 January 2019, which includes funding of \$1.5 million to stimulate arts and cultural activity across four Sydney local government areas. This provided 30 applicants with total funding of \$1 million under the Music Now live music program, while \$500,000 was provided for 14 projects under the Activate Sydney at Night program.