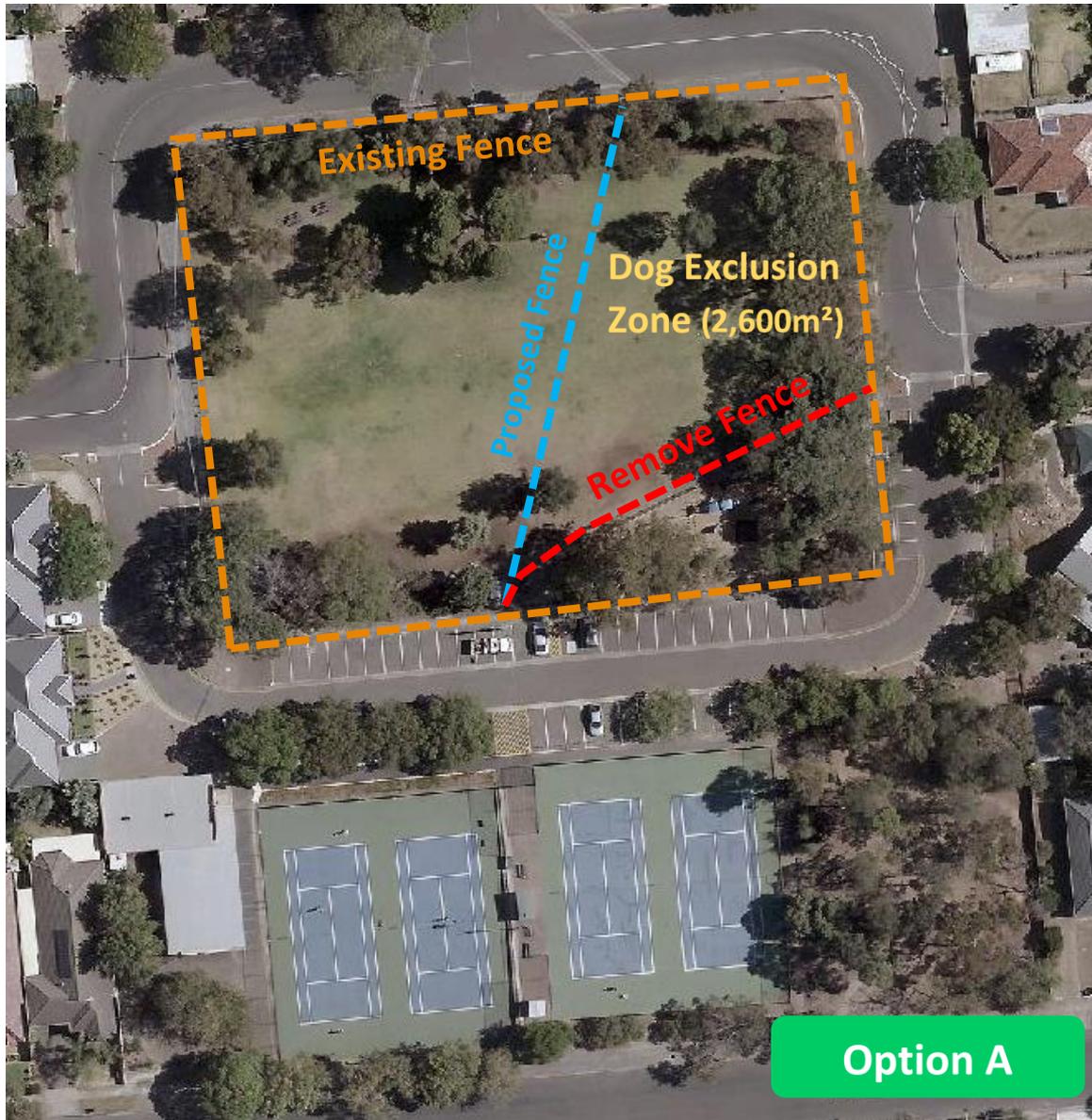




## IMPROVING EQUITY OF USE AT DOVER SQUARE RESERVE - FOUR PROPOSED OPTIONS

### *Option A – Minor works and fencing alterations*

Option A includes the installation of a new fence through the reserve running north/south, leaving one side of the reserve under existing reserve conditions and the other side zoned as a dog exclusion area for play and recreation activities. This option would include the removal of the fencing around the playground which currently blocks access between the play area and open space. Within the Dog Exclusion Zone no dogs would be allowed on or off leash.





***Option B – Implementing dog off leash restrictions***

Option B is the implementation of dog off leash restrictions, requiring dogs to be on leash at all other times. This is similar to restrictions in place along Holdfast Bay beaches. Careful consideration would need to be given to determining times that would allow sufficient sharing of access for all users.





**Option C – Connect Dover Square Reserve to the Almond Grove**

Option C includes permanently closing a portion of road on the south eastern corner between Dover Square Reserve and the Almond Grove and the installation of a fence through the middle of the reserve, allocating one side of the reserve to remain under current reserve conditions and the other side as a Dog Exclusion Zone specifically for play and recreation activities. This option will provide an opportunity to expand the open space and increase play and recreation opportunities. Within the Dog Exclusion Zone no dogs would be allowed on or off leash.





***Option D – Extend current playground fence***

Option D involves extending the current playground fence west to enclose the existing BBQ shelter, picnic table and southern boundary entry gate. These modifications will increase the fenced play and recreation area.

