



Retail tenants flock to Coorparoo Square

Commitments for space total 80 per cent

Brisbane – 1 February 2017 – Retail tenants seeking to capitalise on the potential of Coorparoo Square have committed to 80 per cent of the total available lease area following unprecedented demand to be part of the unique mixed-use precinct.

The landmark development, due for completion in the third quarter of 2017, has secured 13 tenants, including cinema group Dendy and supermarket giant ALDI.

The leasing campaign has also attracted a range of innovative food outlets, including two burger retailers, Remy's and Hello Harry, Mexican specialist Poblano, Saffron Indian, Mission Vietnamese and Kivahan bakery, as well as hairdresser TigerLamb and barber Chop Spot.

Coorparoo Square, a joint-venture project between Frasers Property Australia and Honeycombes Property Group, will deliver a major mixed-use precinct to the heart of Coorparoo, just 4.5km from the Brisbane CBD.

Coorparoo Square has been developed in line with the Brisbane City Council's Eastern Corridor Neighbourhood Plan which showcases the principles of high quality urban design with a focus on transit-oriented communities catering to residents and workers. The precinct is a major transit hub within the city's bus network.

The \$252 million development, which comprises 366 residential apartments and 6,700sqm of retail space is appealing to a broad suite of tenants.

Cameron Taudevin, Head of Retail Leasing Queensland at JLL, said leasing enquiry has been strong for Coorparoo Square, complementing a near sellout of residential apartments in the development. He said Dendy and ALDI have been significant drawcards that have led to strong interest from national and local business operators.

"Coorparoo Square offers a great inner Brisbane location and the retail precinct benefits from the many apartments within the development," said Mr Taudevin.

"We have worked closely with the developers to strategically enhance the offering at Coorparoo Square as we wanted to ensure a mix of convenience, entertainment and lifestyle, which is something we have achieved.

"Although Coorparoo Square is still under construction, we are pleased that many of the specifically targeted tenants have already secured tenancies within the centre.

"A number of prospective tenants who enquired as early as 2015 have secured leases in Coorparoo Square with the aim to open upon completion of construction in the third quarter of 2017.

"The mix of tenants at Coorparoo Square is very unique, with the precinct set to be active and buzzing from morning to evening.

"The centre offers an eclectic food and beverage laneway with each tenancy offering impressive interiors and a multitude of culinary experiences.

"We have also secured a contemporary hair salon and boutique barber, offering greater amenity to the centre's residents and surrounding community."

Coorparoo Square has 12 tenancies remaining for lease, ranging in size from 53sqm to 87sqm at street level, and 200sqm for a lower ground level tenancy.

"The strong enquiry we continue to receive is overwhelming," said Mr Taudevin.

"Our current focus is on groups with particular uses that suit the retail amenity, such as an artisan baker, beauty therapist, optometrist and complementary medical uses."

Retail leasing enquiries at Coorparoo Square are being handled Cameron Taudevin and JLL Leasing Executive Taylor Macri.

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