

# **WAVERLEY TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING**

A meeting of the WAVERLEY TRAFFIC COMMITTEE will be held via video conference at:

10.00 AM, THURSDAY 23 MAY 2024

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# **AGENDA**

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## PART 1 – MATTERS PROPOSING THAT COUNCIL EXERCISE ITS DELEGATED FUNCTIONS

NOTE: The matters listed under this part of the agenda propose that Council either does or does not exercise the traffic related functions delegated to it by TfNSW. The recommendations made by the Committee under this part of the agenda will be submitted to Council for adoption.

# TC/C STATE ELECTORATE OF COOGEE

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- 2. Installs a raised pedestrian crossing in Newland Street and kerb extensions, 'Give Way' line markings and signs at the intersection with Walter Street, as shown in Figure 3 of the report.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the designs should on-site circumstances warrant changes.

# TC/V STATE ELECTORATE OF VAUCLUSE

# **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

- Approves the temporary traffic and parking changes for the street party in Gould Street, Gould Lane and Roscoe Street, Bondi Beach, on 20 July 2024 as shown in Figure 1 of the report, subject to the event organisers:
  - (a) Obtaining NSW Police approval.

- (b) Notifying NSW Ambulance Service and NSW Fire and Rescue (Bondi, Woollahra and Randwick fire stations) seven days prior to the event.
- (c) Notifying local residents and businesses via a series of notification letters and engagement sessions prior to the event.
- 2. Issues a schedule of conditions, with any additional conditions to be imposed by NSW Police and Transport for NSW.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the temporary traffic and parking arrangements should on-site circumstances warrant changes, including ongoing coordination with the Curlewis Street Streetscape Upgrade project.

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#### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

# That Council:

- 1. Approves the temporary traffic and parking changes for Bondi Festival in Park Drive South, Bondi Beach, as shown in Figure 1 of the report, subject to the event organisers:
  - (a) Obtaining NSW Police approval.
  - (b) Notifying NSW Ambulance Service and NSW Fire and Rescue (Bondi, Woollahra and Randwick fire stations) seven days prior to the event.
  - (c) Notifying local residents and businesses seven days prior to the event.
- 2. Issues a schedule of conditions, with any additional conditions to be imposed by NSW Police and Transport for NSW.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the temporary traffic and parking arrangements should on-site circumstances warrant changes.

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# **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

# That Council:

- 1. Installs '2P, 8 am–10 pm, Electric Vehicles Only While Charging' parking restrictions, including signs and line marking, for one car space in Francis Street, Bondi Beach, as shown in Figure 1 of the report.
- 2. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the signage should on-site circumstances warrant changes.

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## **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

## That Council:

- 1. Installs a 10 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in front of 54 Hastings Parade, North Bondi.
- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone as necessary.

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## **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

# That Council:

- 1. Installs a 13 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in Ramsgate Avenue, Bondi Beach, adjacent to 232–234 Campbell Parade.
- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone as necessary.

# TC/CV ELECTORATES OF COOGEE AND VAUCLUSE

Nil

# **PART 2 – TRAFFIC ENGINEERING ADVICE**

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# TC/TEAC STATE ELECTORATE OF COOGEE

## **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council notes the feasibility analysis of a left turn from Bronte Road into Carrington Road as part of the Charing Cross Streetscape Upgrade Project, as set out in the report.

# TC/TEAV STATE ELECTORATE OF VAUCLUSE

Nil

# TC/TEACV ELECTORATES OF COOGEE AND VAUCLUSE

Nil

# MINUTES OF THE WAVERLEY TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING HELD BY EMAIL ON THURSDAY, 18 APRIL 2024



# **Voting Members Present:**

Cr P Masselos Waverley Council – Chair

Mr D Gojak Representing Kellie Sloane MP, Member for Vaucluse Mr V Le Transport for NSW – Network and Safety Officer

Sgt A Leeson NSW Police – Eastern Suburbs Police Area Command – Traffic Services

Mr P Pearce Representing Marjorie O'Neill MP, Member for Coogee

#### **Also Present:**

Mr B Gidiess Transdev John Holland – Traffic and Events Manager

Mr R Mucciacciaro Transdev John Holland Ms T Islam Transport for NSW

Mr N Zervos Waverley Council – Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services

Mr S Mueller Waverley Council – Manager, Integrated Transport

This meeting was held by email between 18 May 2024 and 23 April 2024, in accordance with clause 5.4 of the Waverley Traffic Committee Charter.

# **Apologies**

Apologies were received from Cr T Kay (Deputy Chair) and Ms K Lewis (Transport for NSW).

# **Declarations of Interest**

The Chair called for declarations of interest and none were received.

# Adoption of Previous Minutes by Council - 28 March 2024

The recommendations contained in Part 1 – Matters Proposing that Council Exercise its Delegated Functions – of the minutes of the Waverley Traffic Committee meeting held on 28 March 2024 were adopted by Council at its meeting on 16 April 2024 with the following change.

1. TC/V.02/24.03 – Ray O'Keefe Reserve, North Bondi – Parking Restrictions.

Council adopted the recommendation of the Traffic Committee subject to an amendment to clause 1(b) and the deletion of clause 2 such that the recommendation now reads as follows:

That Council:

- 1. Installs the following parking restrictions and area signage at Ray O'Keefe Reserve, North Bondi:
  - (a) '2P, 6 am-10 pm, Permit Holders Excepted, Area 6 and Beach Parking.'
  - (b) 'No Stopping, 10 pm–6 am, Permit Holders Excepted, Area 6 and Beach Parking.'
- 2. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the location of signs and parking restrictions as necessary.

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# TC/C STATE ELECTORATE OF COOGEE

TC/C.01/24.04 28 Pacific Street, Bronte - Construction Zone (A03/2514-04)

## **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

- 1. Installs a 10.1 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in front of 28 Pacific Street, Bronte.
- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone as necessary.

# WTC RECOMMENDATION (UNANIMOUS SUPPORT):

That the Council Officer's Proposal be adopted.

Voting members present for this item: Representative of the Member for Coogee, NSW Police representative, TfNSW representative and Waverley Council representative (Chair).

TC/C.02/24.04 395 Bronte Road, Bronte - Construction Zone (A03/2514-04)

## **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

1. Installs a 14 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in front of 395 Bronte Road, Bronte.

- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone as necessary.

# WTC RECOMMENDATION (UNANIMOUS SUPPORT):

That the Council Officer's Proposal be adopted.

Voting members present for this item: Representative of the Member for Coogee, NSW Police representative, TfNSW representative and Waverley Council representative (Chair).

# TC/V STATE ELECTORATE OF VAUCLUSE

TC/V.01/24.04 Lag BaOmer Parade - Bondi Park to Barracluff Park, Bondi Beach - Special Event (A24/0156)

# **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

- 1. Treats the attachments to the report as confidential as they contain information that would, if disclosed, prejudice the maintenance of law.
- 2. Approves Option B and associated Traffic Management Plan, as set out in the report, for the route of the Lag BaOmer Parade on 26 May 2024, subject to the event organiser satisfying the conditions set out in section 3 of the report.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the Traffic Management Plan in consultation with Transport for NSW and NSW Police.

# WTC RECOMMENDATION (UNANIMOUS SUPPORT):

That the Council Officer's Proposal be adopted.

Voting members present for this item: Representative of the Member for Vaucluse, NSW Police representative, TfNSW representative and Waverley Council representative (Chair).

# TC/V.02/24.04 23 Beaumont Street, Rose Bay - 'No Parking' Zone (A24/0156)

#### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

- 1. Installs a 3.4 metre 'No Parking' zone between the driveways of 23 and 25 Beaumont Street, Rose Bay.
- 2. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the length, location, and duration of, or remove, the 'No Parking' zone as necessary.

# WTC RECOMMENDATION (UNANIMOUS SUPPORT):

That the Council Officer's Proposal be adopted.

Voting members present for this item: Representative of the Member for Vaucluse, NSW Police representative, TfNSW representative and Waverley Council representative (Chair).

# TC/V.03/24.04 58 Campbell Parade, Bondi Beach - Construction Zone (A03/2514-04)

#### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

#### That Council:

- 1. Installs a 15 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–5 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in front of 58 Campbell Parade, Bondi Beach.
- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Temporarily relocates the bus zone in front of 58 Campbell Parade for the duration of the construction zone, as shown in Figure 4 of the report.
- 4. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone and relocated bus zone as necessary.

# WTC RECOMMENDATION (UNANIMOUS SUPPORT):

That the Council Officer's Proposal be adopted.

Voting members present for this item: Representative of the Member for Vaucluse, NSW Police representative, TfNSW representative and Waverley Council representative (Chair).

# TC/CV <u>ELECTORATES OF COOGEE AND VAUCLUSE</u>

Nil.

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Nil.		
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		SIGNED AND CONFIRMED MAYOR
		21 MAY 2024

# **REPORT** TC/C.01/24.05

Subject: Newland Street, Bondi Junction - Raised Pedestrian

Crossing

**TRIM No:** A20/0069

**Author:** Alice McCosker, Senior Design Engineer

Hao Wu, Senior Transport Planner

Simon Mueller, Manager, Integrated Transport

Authoriser: Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services



#### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

- 1. Removes the pedestrian refuge and islands in Newland Street, Bondi Junction, north of Walter Street.
- 2. Installs a raised pedestrian crossing in Newland Street and kerb extensions, 'Give Way' line markings and signs at the intersection with Walter Street, as shown in Figure 3 of the report.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the designs should on-site circumstances warrant changes.

# 1. Executive Summary

This report seeks approval of the removal of the existing pedestrian refuge islands on Newland Street at the intersection with Walter Street.

Council officers have undertaken an investigation into improving safety for pedestrians navigating the intersection of Newland Street and Walter Street. Two treatments have been explored:

- Option A Installation of a raised pedestrian crossing on the north approach of Newland Street, at the intersection with Walter Street and kerb extensions on Walter Street.
- Option B Kerb extensions at the north approach of Newland Street, at the intersection with Walter Street and kerb extensions on Walter Street.

The key difference between the two options is the raised pedestrian crossing. Common to both treatments are the introduction of a 'Give Way' line marking and signage on Walter Street at the intersection, and upgrades to kerb alignments, landscaping, gutters, pavements, signage, and lighting.

Option A – a raised pedestrian crossing is recommended for its anticipated effectiveness in materially slowing down vehicle speeds at this location.

This project is intended to be submitted for grant funding from Transport for NSW's (TfNSW) 'Get NSW Active' Program or other grant opportunities as they arise.

Delegation of authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the designs should onsite circumstances warrant changes is also proposed.

Council will need to exercise its delegated functions to implement the proposal.

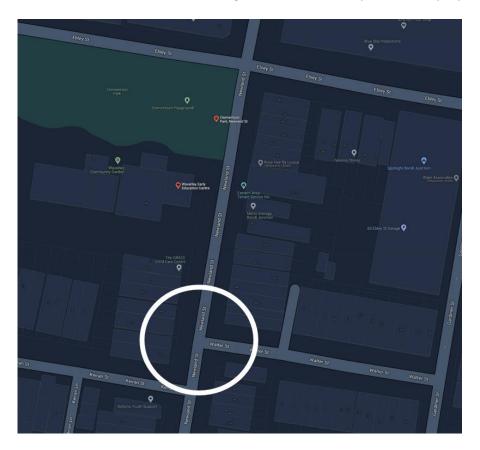


Figure 1. Location and context of the proposed raised pedestrian crossing.

# 2. Introduction/Background

The existing pedestrian refuge islands on Newland Street have been identified as needing an upgrade. The existing islands do not satisfy Transport for NSW (TfNSW) refuge island guidelines and safety issues have been identified with the crossing in its current configuration. Council has received input from community members and local parents attending the nearby Childcare and Education centres. Council has also resolved to introduce an area speed limit of 40 km/h and continues to work with partners on implementing that change.

Traffic Committee endorsement and Council approval of the upgrade will enhance the case once officers apply for the TfNSW's 'Get NSW Active' program grant funding. This program's application period is expected to be open between November and December 2024, with application outcomes being determined by early 2025.



Figure 2. The existing pedestrian refuge islands on Newland Street, Bondi Junction, north of Walter Street.

# 3. Technical Analysis

# Option A - Proposed raised pedestrian crossing on Newland Street and kerb buildouts on Walter Street

The conversion of the existing pedestrian refuge islands to a raised pedestrian crossing ensures vehicles slow down as they approach the designated crossing and provide pedestrians with increased safety and priority when crossing Newland Street.

Kerb buildouts reduce the crossing distances and exposure of pedestrians to traffic, improving the level of safety. It further assists in slowing vehicles. It provides the opportunity to modify parking restrictions, providing additional on-street parking within the vicinity. It also provides the opportunity to increase greenspace within the Waverley local government area (LGA) with garden beds and street trees assisting in urban shading and user comfort.

# Option B - Proposed kerb buildouts on Newland Street and Walter Street

Replacing the existing refuge islands on Newland Street with kerb buildouts reduces the crossing distance and exposure of pedestrians to traffic, improving the level of safety. It provides the opportunity to modify parking restrictions, providing additional on-street parking within the vicinity. It also provides the opportunity to increase greenspace within Waverley LGA with garden beds and street trees assisting in urban shading and user comfort.

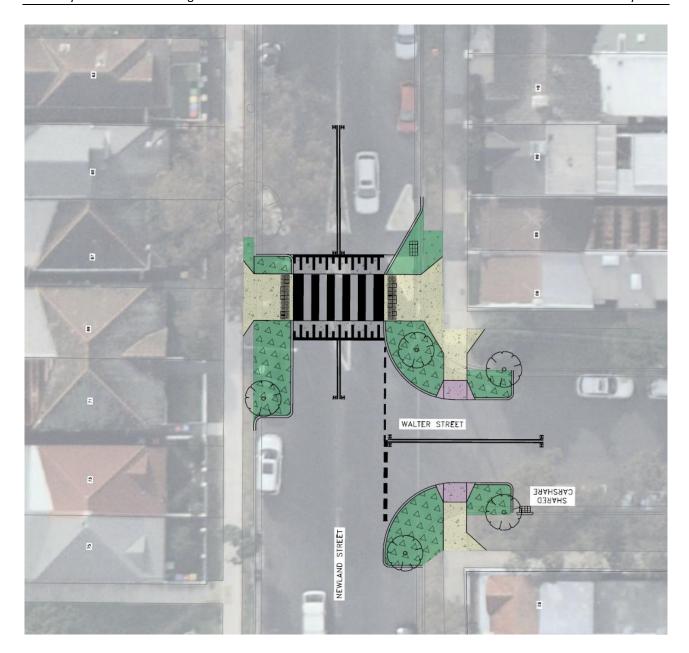


Figure 3. Option A concept plan.

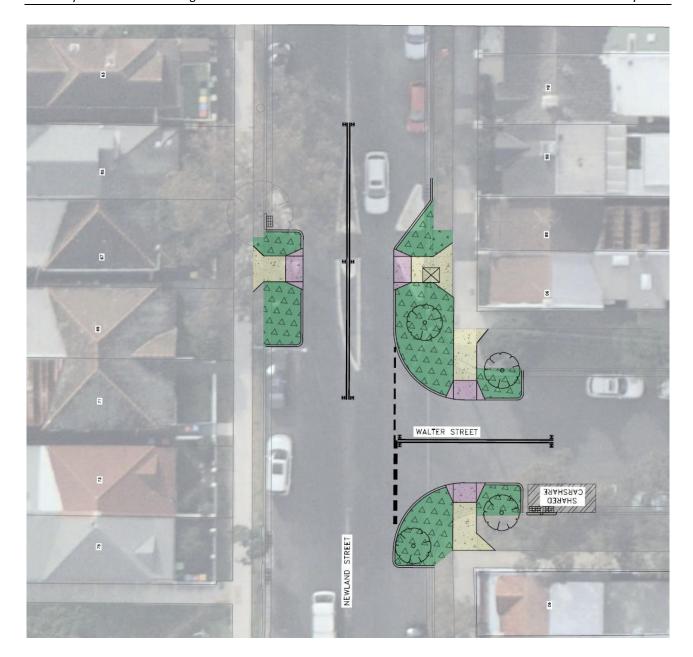


Figure 4. Option B concept plan.

# Recommendation

The technical analysis recommends the installation of a raised pedestrian crossing (Option A) for its effectiveness in materially slowing down vehicle speeds.

There is notable pedestrian volume and heavy vehicular traffic at the location of interest, despite its current classification as a local street. Figure 5 shows the relative traffic volume on Newland Street and other nearby roads. This crowd-sourced traffic volume data is consistent with a previous traffic count showing the Newland Street currently being used as vehicle movement corridor. Bidirectional Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) was measured at approximately 10k on Newland Street near Queens Park Road (2013), which was much higher than other local streets nearby. High traffic volumes typically make existing formal crossings more difficult. Other formal street crossings are located either 100 metres to the north on Ebley Street, or alternatively 120 metres to the south on Birrell Street; the need to reduce vehicle speeds at this location is further heightened by the nearby childcare centres cluster, and playgrounds.

Adequately slowing down traffic on Newland Street may also help divert some through traffic (i.e. vehicles that neither originated from, nor destined towards the Bondi Junction area) onto nearby movement

corridors (such as York Road, which is a regional road), and allow signal timing to prioritise pedestrians in high pedestrian areas over the longer term.

A kerb extension is anticipated to have a limited effect in reducing speeds. The current speed profile (table 1) suggests vehicle speeds at this location are generally below the existing 50 km/h speed limit, but higher than the proposed 40 km/h area speed limit change. The speed data is generally consistent with a previous measurement near this location (47 km/h, further down south from this location). However, the existing pedestrian refuge island (with small kerb extensions) appears to have limited effect in reducing vehicle speeds (Figure 6). No significant change in speed is observed near the existing refuge island. On the other hand, the presence of a raised speed bump has been previously shown to significantly reduce speeds at other locations in the Waverley LGA.



Figure 5. Vehicle traffic volume based on Compass IoT data. Location of the pedestrian refuge island marked with a red dot.

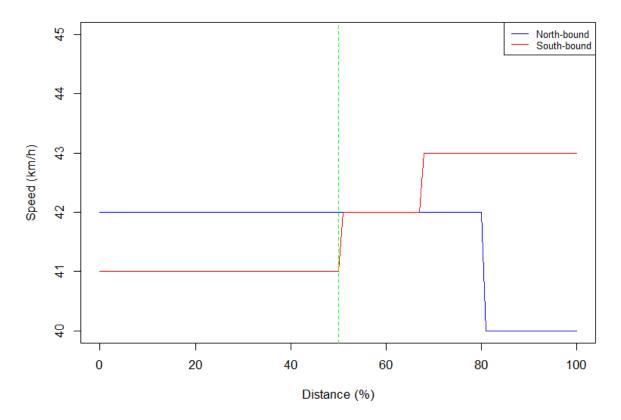


Figure 6. Vehicle speed profile (85th speed) near the existing ped refuge island (shown with a vertical green line) (traffic direction is from left to right)

	Average	Median	85th Percentile
North-bound	23.47 km/h	34.50 km/h	41.52 km/h
South-bound	28.92 km/h	35.60 km/h	42.65 km/h

Table 1. Vehicle speeds at the pedestrian refuge island location (Feb-Apr 2024)

# 'No Stopping' setback distance variations

The developed treatments propose the shifting of 'No Stopping' conditions within the vicinity of the intersection. All setbacks satisfy the required minimum sightline assessment undertaken, as seen in Attachment 1. The reduced distances of the 'No Stopping' signages deviate from the TfNSW guidelines recommended standard distances for intersections and pedestrian crossings, while aligning with those from Australian Standards.

The justifications for the reduced 'No Stopping' are listed below:

Appendix C of the Pedestrian Crossing Guidelines states the following:

- C2. NSW Supplements to the Australian Standards The NSW supplements to the Australian Standards have been written expressly for use by Transport for NSW on state roads. Local governments are not required to adhere to the supplements.
- C3. Austroads guides The Austroads guides are national guidelines established by state road authorities (or equivalent) in Australia and New Zealand and are skewed towards state road application. However, there are several guides that are applicable to the design and management of main streets, local roads and civic spaces and include guidelines relevant to pedestrian crossings.

- C4. NSW Supplements to Austroads Guides The Supplements to the Austroads Guides have been
  written expressly for use by Transport for NSW on state roads. Local governments are not required
  to adhere to the supplements but, where appropriate, adoption of enhance practice is encouraged.
- C5. TfNSW Technical directions The following technical directions provide some technical guidance related to pedestrian crossings as well as illustrating some alternate treatments that may be considered when exploring treatment options for a specific location.

The excerpts listed above shows that the guides and technical directions listed above are not required for local roads. This implies that only Australian Standards AS1742 would need to be applied for the location.

Furthermore, Appendix D.2 of the Guidelines states that 'depending on the width of the kerb blisters or kerb extensions, and therefore the effect on sight distances, the statutory no stopping distances may be reduced by permitting parking closer to the crossing.'

The Australian Standard AS1742-2009 - Manual for uniform traffic control devices (Part 10 - Pedestrian control and protection), provides the required framework for setting out the crossing and providing no stopping setbacks. AS1742.10 shows that the standard 'No Stopping' zone should be implemented 20 metres from both sides of the crossing.

However, deviations could be allowed in accordance with the following excerpts from AS1742.10-2009:

- 6.2 The length of the no-stopping zones shown in Figures 1, 3, 4 and 7 are a minimum and may need
  to be extended if sight distance between approaching drivers and pedestrians about to use the
  crossing or refuge is inadequate for vehicles to stop in time to avoid a collision. If there is fully
  indented parking close to the crossing, the no-stopping zone may be foreshortened to exclude the
  indented parking area.
- 6.3a(ii) There shall be adequate sight distance between approaching vehicles and pedestrians about to use the crossing for the former to be able to stop in time to give way to the latter. This shall be achieved primarily by means of parking restrictions near the crossing (see Figure 1). Kerb extensions (Clause 9.3) may also be required.
- 9.3 Kerb extensions can be constructed at any point along a kerb where the kerbside lane is required neither for moving traffic nor as a cycle lane but are most common at intersections and at mid-block sites where a crossing facility exists. They minimize the width of roadway to be crossed, and they usually place the pedestrian in a position where visibility of approaching traffic is not impeded by kerbside obstacles or parked vehicles. It is not normally necessary to sign kerb extensions unless the signs are required for an associated pedestrian facility. However, they should be suitably delineated to avoid vehicles colliding with them.

The options presented have adopted the above clauses. The designs show kerb extensions that make fully indented parking which will make the above conditions apply.

Attachment 1 also provides a technical analysis of the required safe stopping distance for a vehicle on approach to the intersection, and the line of sight to a pedestrian about to cross indicating the safe stopping distance has been achieved.

Figure 7 shows the calculated stopping sight distance. The illustration shows that vehicles have clear sight lines of pedestrians who will be using the crossing well in advance of the crossing.



Figure 7. Sight stopping distance.

# 4. Financial Information for Council's Consideration

The project is currently unfunded. Council will apply for grant funding to deliver the project. If unsuccessful in securing grant funding, officers will make provisions within the Long Term Financial Plan to fund this safety project.

The estimated cost for a raised pedestrian crossing with lighting upgrades is \$250,000.

# 5. Attachments

1. Warrants - Intersection No Stopping Distance - Calculations - Newland Street at Walter Street &

## **Stopping Sight Distance**

No Stopping Distance - Calculations-Newland ST at Walter ST.xlsx

Also called minimum gap sight distance

Stopping Sight Distance (SSD) is the distance to enable a normally alert driver, travelling at the design speed on wet pavement, to perceive, react and brake to a stop before reaching a hazard on the road ahead. The formula is the same as for the approach sight distance.

Input Data			
Rt, reaction time	1.5	seconds	
V, 85%ile speed	40	km/hr	
d, coefficient of deceleration	0.15	km/hr	
a = longitudinal grade on approach (%)	9%		approximate
(positive for uphill,negative for downhill)			
Calculations			
Stopping sight distance (SSD)	58.4	metres	

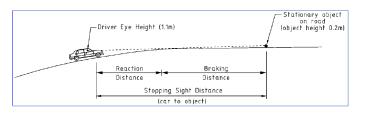
SSD =  $\frac{R_7 V}{3.6} + \frac{V^2}{254(d + 0.01a)}$ 

where

 $R_T$  = reaction time (sec) V = operating speed (km/h)

d = coefficient of deceleration (longitudinal friction factor)

a = longitudinal grade (%, + for upgrades and – for downgrades)



Source: AUSTROADS Guide to Road Design

Part 3 - Geometric Design Section 5.3 Stopping Sight Distance (SSD) Part 3 - Geometric Design

Rt, Reaction time (seconds)	Typical road conditions	Typical use
2.5	Unalerted driving conditions due to the road only having isolated geometric features to maintain driver interest Areas with high driver workload/complex decisions High speed roads with long distances between towns	Absolute minimum value for high speed roads with unalerted driving conditions.  General minimum value for:  • high speed rural freeways  • high speed rural intersections  • isolated alignment features
2.0	Higher speed urban areas     Few intersections     Alerted driving situations in rural areas     High speed roads in urban areas comprising numerous intersections or interchanges where the majority of driver trips are of relatively short length	Absolute minimum value for the road conditions listed in this road  General minimum value for most road types, including those with alert driving
1.5	Alert driving conditions e.g.: high expectancy of stopping due to traffic signals consistently tight alignments for example, mountainous roads restricted low speed urban areas built-up areas—high traffic volumes interchange ramps when sighting over or around barriers.	Absolute minimum value. Only used in very constrained situations where drivers will be alert Can be considered only where the maximum operating speed is \$ 90 km/h Should not be used where other design minima have been used

Vehicle	Coefficient of	Driver/road capability	Typical use
Type	deceleration (d)		
Cars	0.61	Braking on dry, sealed	Specific applications where the normal stopping sight
		roads	distance criteria applied to horizontal curves produce
			excessive lateral offsets to roadside barriers/structures
	0.46	Mean value for braking	Maximum value for calculating absolute minimum stopping
		on wet, sealed roads for a	sight distance. Only to be used in constrained locations,
		hazard. Maximum values	typically on:
		when decelerating at an	lower volume roads
		intersection	less important roads
			mountainous roads
			lower speed urban roads
			sighting over or around barriers
			tunnels
	0.36	About a 90th percentile	Desirable value for calculating minimum stopping sight
		value for braking on wet,	distance for most urban and rural road types, and level
		sealed roads. Maximum	crossings
		value allowed for	The state of the s
		deceleration lanes at	
		intersections	
	0.26	Comfortable deceleration	Not to be used without the approval of the relevant road
		on sealed roads. Normal	agency
		driving event	
			This value may be adopted for stopping sight distance for
			major highways and freeways in flat terrain, and for
			deceleration in turn lanes at intersections
			Its use can lead to an unnecessarily high standard and
			expensive design in undulating or hilly terrain.
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			Maximum value for calculation of horizontal curve
			perception sight distance.
	0.27	Braking on unsealed	Used to determine stopping sight distance on unsealed
		roads	roads. This value is very dependent on the surface material
			and should be verified where possible
Trucks	0.29	Braking by single unit	Maximum value for calculating truck stopping sight distance
		trucks, semi-trailers and	for most urban and rural road types, and level crossings
		B-doubles on dry, sealed	(),,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
		roads, Minimum value	
		required by vehicle	
		standards regulations	
Buses	0.15	- I - I - I - I - I - I - I - I - I - I	Desirable braking to ensure passenger comfort approaching
			a bus stop.



Warrants - Intersection No Stopping Distance - Calculations-Newland ST at Walter ST

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WAVERLEY

# **REPORT** TC/V.01/24.05

Subject: Bondi Festival - Gould Street Party - Special Event

**TRIM No:** A24/0156

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Corey O'Malley, Coordinator, Events

Authoriser: Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services



#### That Council:

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  - (b) Notifying NSW Ambulance Service and NSW Fire and Rescue (Bondi, Woollahra and Randwick fire stations) seven days prior to the event.
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- 2. Issues a schedule of conditions, with any additional conditions to be imposed by NSW Police and Transport for NSW.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the temporary traffic and parking arrangements should on-site circumstances warrant changes, including ongoing coordination with the Curlewis Street Streetscape Upgrade project.

# 1. Executive Summary

Council is in the planning stages of the inaugural Gould Street Street Party, to be held on Gould Street and Roscoe Street (east) on Saturday, 20 July 2024, from 11 am to 4 pm. This event will be part of the broader Bondi Festival program, which will run from Friday 5 July until Sunday 21 July 2024.

Bondi Festival is an annual arts and place activation event hosted in the Bondi Pavilion, Park Drive South and Bondi Park, including the Dolphin Court on the southern end of the Pavilion. This year, Gould Street and Roscoe Streets will be added to this, to activate the precinct, enliven the community and provide, economic benefits for the local business community.

Approval is sought for the closure of Gould Street and Roscoe Street (east) and the temporary reversal of the one-way direction along Gould Lane from 6 am until 7pm on Saturday, 20 July.

Parking and vehicular access will not be available to residents, businesses, visitors, or non-emergency Police business during the closure period. Plans are in place to offset these parking changes. Council will need to exercise its delegated functions to implement the proposal.

# Event Layout for Traffic Management and Patron Safety

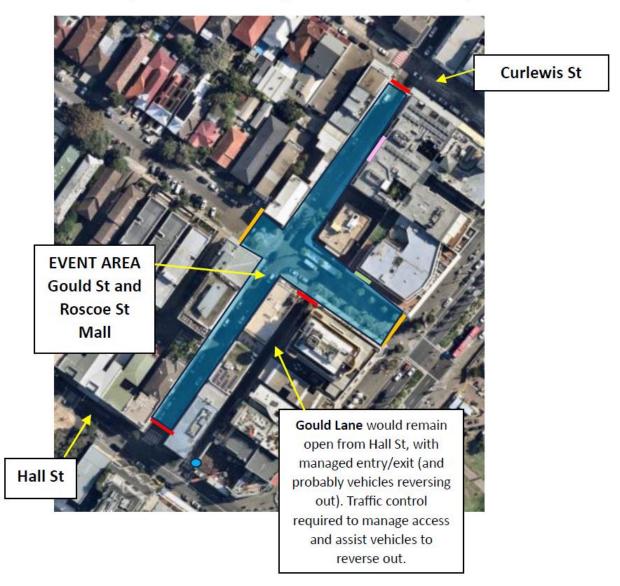


Figure 1. Event location.

# 2. Introduction/Background

Bondi Festival is a Council event that is planned and delivered by the Arts and Culture and Events teams in partnership with the Bondi and Districts Chamber of Commerce.

In 2020, the event merged two standalone Council events, Bondi Feast and Bondi Winter Magic, into one arts and culture and place activation event. The event aims to support local businesses in Bondi Beach by providing entertainment activities for residents and attract visitation during the winter school holidays.

This year, the Gould St Street Party will broaden the footprint and reach of Bondi Festival and provide a fun and novel experience for residents and visitors to enjoy, whilst providing benefits for local businesses during the low season.

The event will require the closure of Gould Street between Curlewis Street and Hall Street from 7 am until 7 pm on Saturday 20 July, with parking spaces in the street being progressively claimed from 5pm on Thursday 18 July to ensure that the spaces are available for the event build and the event itself. The primary event build will commence once this road closure is in place. A stage build on Gould Street, that straddles the kerb at Roscoe Street adjacent to the Police station will take place on Friday, 19 July. This will not require a road closure; the build area will be within water-filled barriers. Some temporary reallocation of Police parking will be required for this. See below for details of alternative arrangements for police vehicle parking.

# 3. Technical Analysis

# Road closures and other changes

Gould Street will be closed to all traffic between 7 am and 7 pm on Saturday, 20 July. Resident vehicles will, however, be permitted to leave until 9 am.

From 9 am onwards, hard closures will be in place across resident driveways. These closures will be removable, however, in a genuine emergency.

A four-metre emergency access corridor will be retained along Gould Street during the event, for the duration of the closure period, with emergency vehicle access available if required under escort from the Curlewis Street end of Gould Street.

Both ends of Gould Street will be secured with high order hard closures (i.e. vehicles) from 9 am until 7 pm.

Roscoe Street (east) will also be closed from 7 am until 7 pm on Saturday, 20 July.

Gould Lane will remain open, but entry and exit will be via managed access from Hall Street. There will be no through access into Roscoe Street.

Ten parking spaces at the eastern end of Roscoe Street (west) will be set aside for police detective vehicles that will be unable to park on Gould Street for the duration of the road closure period.

For details, refer to the attached traffic guidance schemes (TGSs) (Attachment 1) and traffic management plan (Attachment 2).

# Arrangements for removing parked vehicles from the closure area

Gould Street is not a designated resident parking zone. Metered parking is in place from 8 am until 9 pm, with no overnight parking restrictions in place.

A Special Event Clearway (SEC) will not be implemented to clear Gould Street. It is therefore necessary to take steps ahead of the event to ensure that Gould Street (and the police parking area on Roscoe Street (west) is vehicle-free when the road closure is activated and the event build commences at 7 am on Saturday, 20 July. The operation to achieve this will commence on the afternoon/evening of Thursday, 18 July.

Thursday 18 July

40 bollards will be placed at Gould Street at 3 pm on Thursday, 18 July.

Council staff will be on site from 5 pm on this date to progressively deploy these bollards in parking spaces as they become vacant. Overnight security will be in place overnight from 18–19 July to monitor the area to ensure that vehicles do not park and to continue to claim parking spaces throughout the night.

# Friday 19 July

Council event staff and the stage building crew will be onsite (time TBC) to commence the stage build on Gould Street, straddling the kerb at Roscoe Street adjacent to the police station. The build area will be protected with water-filled barriers.

Traffic controllers will be onsite from 8 am-8 pm to progressively enforce the no parking procedure and claim any further parking spots as they become available.

Security will again be in place overnight from 8 pm until 6 am on Saturday, 20 July (event day), when traffic controllers and event staff arrive on site.

The above parking restrictions will not prevent vehicles from driving along Gould Street, nor will residents with parking spaces within property boundaries be prevented from parking.

Saturday 20 July

The full road closure will then be put in place at 7 am and lifted at 7 pm, when all arrangements will return to normal.

# Alternative parking arrangements - Residents and businesses

Temporary parking permits will be provided to all residents and businesses within the closure who ordinarily have parking spaces on private properties within the closure area. These will be valid from Friday, 19 July, until Sunday, 21 July. Due to the hours of the closure on 20 July, it may not be convenient for people to move and/or return their vehicle to their premises on event day itself.

The temporary parking permits will allow people to park on Park Drive North or Queen Elizabeth Drive for this period. Spaces will not be set aside or guaranteed, but it is anticipated that at this time of year enough spaces will be available.

# Alternative parking arrangements - Police

Bondi Beach Police Station is within the Gould Street road closure area. The police vehicles that park here are primarily detectives' vehicles, not operating marked police vehicles.

As stated above, ten parking spaces at the eastern end of Roscoe Street (west) will be set aside for police detective vehicles that will be unable to park on Gould Street for the duration of the road closure period.

# Notification processes and messaging

An extensive resident and business notification and engagement process is already underway.

Initial resident and business notification letters were hand-delivered to all residents and businesses within the road closure area (and beyond) by Events and Arts and Culture staff on Monday, 22 April. This process will be ongoing, with at least two more resident letters to be delivered ahead of event day.

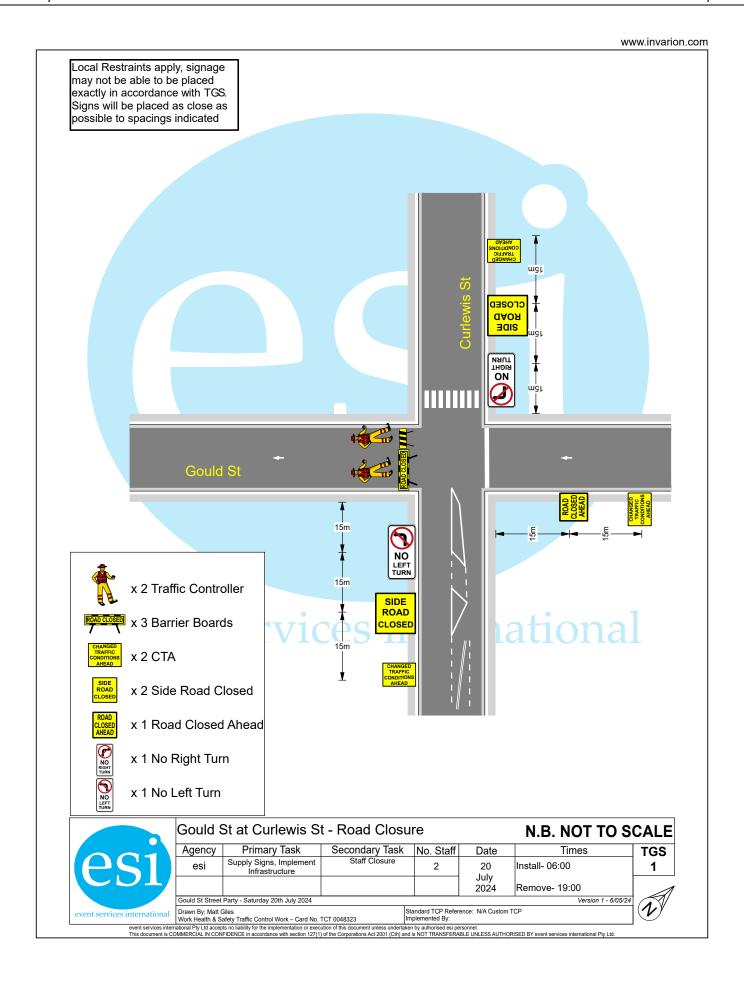
The initial resident notification letter and business engagement flyer is attached to this report (Attachment 3).

A visual messaging system (VMS) board will be deployed at the northern (entry) end of Gould Street two weeks before the event to ensure that all residents are fully aware of the pending event and its impacts

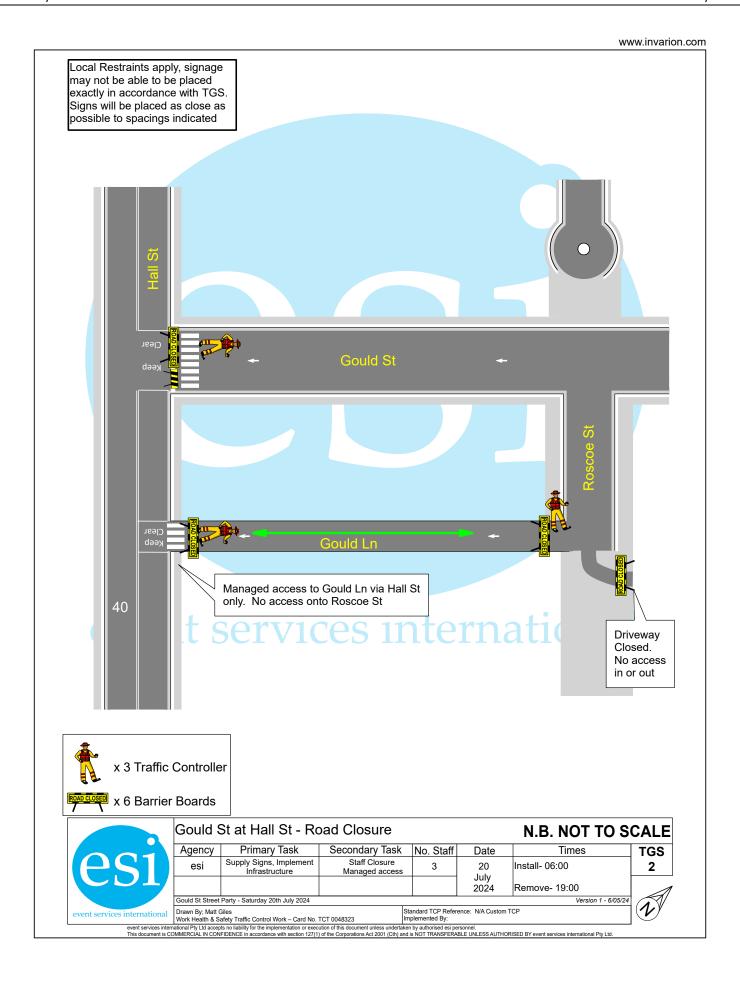
upon their parking access. An additional VMS board will also be placed near the corner of Roscoe Street Mall and Campbell Parade.

# 4. Attachments

- 1. TGS Gould Street Street Party Bondi Festival 😃
- 2. TMP Gould Street Street Party Bondi Festival 😃
- 3. Resident Notification Letter Gould Street Street Party Bondi Festival 😃



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# BONDI FESTIVAL Gould St Street Party 2024

# TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN

Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Version 1: 08/05/24

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Traffic Management Plan

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# SPECIAL EVENT TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN

The Gould St Street Party event in Bondi Beach requires the temporary changes to normal road conditions for the delivery of the activities at designated event site. The following Traffic and Transport Management Plan, known as the TMP, outlines the intended management of Traffic and Transport for all aspects of the Gould St Street Party event held at Bondi Beach.

# 1.1 Event Summary

Event Name	Gould St Street Party
Event Organisers	Waverley Council
Event Category	Category E Minor Cultural/Sporting Events—one-off or recurring events that
	generally attracts less than 20 000 people and/or have an impact on the traffic
	and transport network as per the NSW Major and Special Events categories
	Class 2 Event – Transport for NSW RMS
<b>Event Location</b>	Gould Street Bondi Beach
Event Date	Saturday, 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2024
Event Capacity	TBC
Event Setup	18 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024
Events Start	11:00 – 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2024
Event Finish	16:00 – 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2024
Event Dismantle	21st July 2024

# 1.2 Description of Event

Bondi Festival's newest event, bringing festival action to the doorstep of Gould St at the Gould St Street Party. Waverley Council are bringing festival audiences to Gould Street with staged and roaming performances, local artists, drop-in activities and the opportunity for all Gould St businesses to trade or activate outdoors.

# 1.3 Objectives of the Traffic Management Plan

- Provide an overview of the Gould St Street Party event, primary event site, associated activities, event timing and key event contacts
- Provide a detailed description and operational plan of the traffic management elements involved with delivering the identified Gould St Street Party event activities
- Provide a structure within which the organisers and the respective agencies can use to develop their own plans for Gould St Street Party event
- Serve as the key document that is agreed to by all parties, and receives final approvals from relevant authorities
- Serve as the reference document for "on the ground" use by road crews, Police, TfNSW personnel and event personnel

# 1.4 Authority of the TMP

This Traffic Management Plan (TMP) when approved by the relevant authorities becomes the prime document detailing the traffic and transport management arrangements under which an event is to proceed.

Changes to the final version of the TMP require approval by the Police, TfNSW and where necessary local traffic authorities. All functional or single agency supporting plans are to be developed and recognise the primacy of the TMP, and nothing contained in those plans should contravene any aspect of the TMP.

Signatories to this TMP should normally be the event organisers and agencies.

In case of emergencies, or for the management of incidents, the Police are not subject to the conditions of the TMP but will make every effort to inform the other agencies of the nature of the incident and the Police response.

# 1.5 Approvals

Approvals will be sought by the event organiser from the following organisations:

NSW Police

Central Metropolitan Region – Eastern Suburbs (ES) PAC

Local Government Councils

**Waverly Council** 

Transport for NSW

**Customer Journey Planning** 

# 1.6 Key Agency Notification and Coordination

The following key agencies are to be notified and consulted as required, to ensure coordination of public, private and corporate sector services, directly and indirectly involved are adequately maintained.

- NSW Health
   Ambulance Service of NSW
- NSW Fire Brigade

## 1.7 TMP Distribution List

The Traffic Management Plan will be distributed in part or full as required to:

Agency	Contact
NSW Police – Eastern Suburbs PAC	Sergeant Anthony Leeson
Waverly Council	Corey O'Malley

Other Agencies, Authorities and interested parties as required.

# 1.8 Event Planning Contacts

# **Event Organisers**

# Corey O'Malley, Coordinator, Outdoor Events, Waverley Council

Mobile: 0424 129 501

Email: <a href="mailto:corey.omalley@waverley.nsw.gov.au">corey.omalley@waverley.nsw.gov.au</a>

# Matthew Giles, Traffic Manager, event services international Pty Ltd

Mobile: 0408 202 118

Email: mgiles@eventservicesinternational.com.au

## **Government Agencies**

Sergeant Anthony Leeson - NSW Police
Phone: Mobile: 0458 131 736
Email: lees1ant@police.nsw.gov.au

# 2. SUMMARY OF EVENT DAY ACTIVITIES & OPERATIONS



# 2.2 Event Day Contact List

The event day contact list will be incorporated into event manuals which will available to Agencies on request.

# 2.3 Key Agency Roles & Responsibilities

Agency	Responsibility
Event Organiser – Site Manager – Waverley Council Events Team	Develop and coordinate the TMP with respect to the activities that are to be held and in accordance with the guidelines set down by the Police and local traffic authorities
NSW Police	Endorse TMP and advise of issues relating to these closures for the event
Waverly Council - Traffic	Add value to and approve traffic / parking arrangements for Gould St Street Party.
event services international Pty Ltd	Develop TGS's, assist with coordination of TMP, and oversee implementation of TGS's on the event day

# 2.4 Event Run Sheets and Site Production Schedules

Specific Event Run Sheets and Production Schedules are still to be developed in relation to the event

## 2.5 Radios

Event staff and supervisors will be contactable by 2-way radio. Re-charged batteries will be available as required during the day.

# RISK ASSESSMENT & MANAGEMENT PLANS

# 3.1 Risk Management – Event

A comprehensive set of risk management plans are being developed to cover the program of events.

# 3.2 Risk Management – Traffic

A risk assessment and management plan is incorporated into the TMP approval process whereby this plan will be discussed with the key agencies to identify any issues with the TMP.

All TGS's are created, and implemented in accordance with Australian Standard AS 1742.3 and the Work Health & Safety Traffic Control manual.

All staff for this event will have copies of the event Traffic Guidance Scheme (TGS's) with them at all times.

All Staff used in traffic control will have appropriate training and qualifications, as per SafeWork NSW guidelines. Appropriate qualifications completed by staff will have a SafeWork NSW Traffic Control Work Training Card to work in traffic control.

# 3.3 Workplace Health & Safety

All agencies and their personnel rostered to work on this event must work in accordance with the Workplace Health & Safety guidelines that are relevant to the working environment and the tasks they are asked to perform.

Personnel involved with the management of traffic and transport must be appropriately trained and attired and will include:

- NSW Police personnel
- event services international Pty Ltd
- Security

# 3.4 Public Liability Insurance

Waverley Council has in place public liability insurance to the value of AU\$20,000,000, to cover the risks of its activities associated with the Gould St Street Party Bondi Beach Party.

# 3.5 Notification Process to Affected Residents and Businesses

The following channels will be used to give notification of altered traffic conditions:

- Waverley Council website
- Letter to Residents and Businesses within the road closure area
  - o This letter contains instructions on how to access the affected area during closures
- Letter to Neighbours around the road closure area;

# 3.6 Variable Message Boards – event warnings

Two weeks prior to the event, two temporary Variable Message Boards (VMS) will be installed in key locations surrounding the event area. Pre warning messages will be broadcast on temporary VMS continuously, to increase event notability, to warn for increase traffic volume and advise on detour routes if needed.

VMS 1 – Gould Street (west side )near Curlewis Street

VMS 2 – Roscoe Street Mall (north side) at Campbell Parade

# 4. TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

Temporary road closures and managed vehicle operations will be in effect around Gould Street Bondi to establish event precinct.

# 4.1 Summary of Change Conditions

# **Changed Traffic Conditions**

- Bump In 18<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024
- Event 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024

## Bump In

Gould St, Bondi Beach	Between Hall St and Curlewis St	Parking Removal
Event		L
Gould St, Bondi Beach	Between Hall St and Curlewis St	Road Closure

# Re-opening roads

Traffic controllers will communicate when it's safe for roads to reopen.

Operations around Gould Street will be progressively re-instated to normal conditions by esi after clearing of patrons and event infrastructure.

See section 4.4 for greater detail

# 4.2 Special Event Clearways / Parking Removal

No special event clearways are proposed for the area, any vehicle parked inside the closure at the time of implementation will be managed by Event Staff and onsite Traffic Controllers.

Parking along Gould Street will be gradually taken offline to allow for the event footprint as listed below.

# 4.3 Summary of Restricted Access Points

Restricted Access points will be managed by esi Traffic controllers and not open to through traffic.

#### Bump In

18th - 19th July 2024

#### Restricted access to parking on Gould Street

Parking removal will be taken offline by Waverley Council to set event footprint

## Thursday 18th July

- Waverley Council event staff will remove any available parking spaces on Gould Street with T Top
   Bollards to take the parking offline to set the event footprint.
- This will be Managed by Waverley Council event staff 5am 8.30pm
- 2 x Overnight security from 8pm-8am to continue to monitor the parking removal on Gould Street and further maintain/enforce/removal of parking spots as they become available.

# Friday 19th July

- 2 x Traffic Controllers onsite from 8am-8pm to continue to monitor the parking removal on Gould Street and further maintain/enforce/removal of parking spots as they become available.
- 2 x Overnight security from 8pm-6am to continue to monitor the parking removal on Gould Street and further maintain/enforce/removal of parking spots as they become available.

# **Event**

07:00 20th July 2024

#### • Restricted access to Gould Street

- o Road Closure Gould Street from Hall St to Curlewis St
- Authorized vehicles access will be granted via a traffic control managed access point to the following:
  - Emergency Services Vehicles only

# • Restricted access to Gould Lane

- o Managed Road Closure of Gould Lane from Hall St to Roscoe St
- Gould Lane will be converted into two way flow with access only with genuine need from Hall Street only
- Authorized vehicles access will be granted via a traffic control managed access point to the following;
  - Emergency Services Vehicles
  - Any vehicle with genuine need requiring access to Gould Lane

# · Restricted access to parking on Roscoe Street

- Parking removal will be taken offline by Waverley Council for event parking and additional spaces for Police Parking;
  - North Side From #116 to #120
  - South side From #87 to #89

#### Overview of Precinct

#### Traffic

**Stage 1:** Event site bump-in will commence on 18<sup>th</sup> July with managed access to suppliers on Gould Street and various parking removal bays on Gould Street as required by Site.

**Stage 2:** Event external traffic management will commence at 07:00 on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024 with the installation of event traffic control infrastructure, and commencement of traffic management as per TGSs with the closure of Gould Street from Hall Street to Curlewis Street.

**Stage 3:** Bump out will commence post event on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July with the pack-down all event infrastructure. Bump out concludes as per the TGS's with the removal of all traffic control infrastructure and personnel.

TCP Number	Notes	Staffed
TGS 1	- Closure of Gould Street at Curlewis Street	Gould Street at Curlewis Street
		Staffed by 2 x esi Traffic Controllers
TGS 2	- Closure of Gould Street at Hall Street	Gould Street & Gould Lane at Hall
	- Managed closure of Gould Lane at Hall	Street
	Street	
	- Gould Lane managed two way flow	Staffed by 3 x esi Traffic Controllers

#### **Event Patrons**

Walking is the only available means of accessing / egressing the event site. Main entry point is via Roscoe St from Campbell Parade.

### **Vehicle Access Permits**

Vehicles requiring access to event site will receive event vehicle access passes (VAP), to ensure only accredited vehicles enter the restricted access areas. There will be no vehicle movement on Gould Street during event phase. Limited event parking bays will be reserved on Roscoe Street and managed by Waverley Council.

# 4.4 Event Parking

There is limited on street parking space around Bondi Beach.

Patrons will be advised via information on the event website, the best way to attend the Gould St Street Party is by public transport.

### 4.5 Towing & Car Removal

It is not envisaged that towing of vehicles will be required.

### 4.6 Contingency Planning

Proposed Traffic changes as contingency measures will be discussed and finalised closer to the event. These decisions will be at the discretion of the Police, Waverley Council and event services international (traffic control company) on site, or via telephone with field officers as and when required.

Traffic Management Plan

# PUBLIC TRANSPORT

It is not envisaged that any public transport agencies will be affected by activities that will take place in the delivery of this event. Public transport agencies will be notified via Waverley Council traffic committee.

Patrons planning to utilise public transport will be directed to visit <a href="http://www.transportnsw.info/">http://www.transportnsw.info/</a> or consult apps for public transport information.

### 6. EMERGENCY SERVICES ACCESS

**EMERGENCY SERVICES VEHICLES** – will have a 4m access corridor through the event site during the event.

# 7. WET WEATHER PLAN

All traffic management plans will continue irrespective of weather.

### 8. LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

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ATTACHMENT TITLE	DESCRIPTION			
TGS	Traffic Guidance Scheme Version 1			
	Resident notification letter and map			
	VMS Overview			

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Traffic Management Plan



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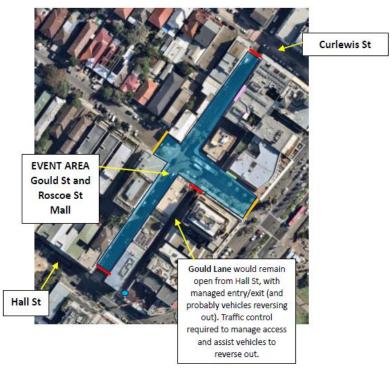
Dear Resident,

### Re: Gould St Street Party & Road Closure - Local Resident Notification

Waverley Council will host a street party on Gould Street on Saturday 20 July as part of its annual arts festival, Bondi Festival. For this community event, Gould Street will be closed to traffic from Curlewis Street to Hall Street from approximately 7:00am – 7:00pm AEST.

The Gould St Street Party will activate a two-block area and will also incorporate the Roscoe St Mall. There will be a variety of entertainment, market stalls and free family-friendly activities from 11am - 4pm.

The event will require temporary traffic diversions and road closures. Please refer to the map below for impacted areas.



Traffic and pedestrian safety measures will be implemented during this time to ensure the smooth movement of people and vehicles.

### **Waverley Council**

PO Box 9, Bondi Junction NSW 1355 ABN: 12 502 583 608

### **Customer Service Centre**

55 Spring Street, Bondi Junction NSW 2022

Bondi Pavilion Customer Service (Welcome Centre)

Queen Elizabeth Drive, Bondi Beach NSW 2026

### Contact us

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Waverley Council will also provide temporary parking permits to local residents and businesses to minimise the disruption to any permanent parking areas. More information will be provided about this in due course.

Waverley Council will work to mitigate the event's impact on local residents and businesses. Further event information and notifications will be distributed in the coming weeks.

If you have any questions, please email streetparty@waverley.nsw.gov.au or call 9083 8000.

Yours sincerely

Tanya Goldberg

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Executive Manager, Arts, Culture and Events

**Waverley Council** 

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# **REPORT** TC/V.02/24.05

Subject: Bondi Festival - Ferris Wheel and Ice Rink - Special Event

**TRIM No:** A24/0156

**Author:** Eashan Sharma, Senior Traffic Engineer

Corey O'Malley, Coordinator, Events

**Authoriser:** Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services



That Council:

- 1. Approves the temporary traffic and parking changes for Bondi Festival in Park Drive South, Bondi Beach, as shown in Figure 1 of the report, subject to the event organisers:
  - (a) Obtaining NSW Police approval.
  - (b) Notifying NSW Ambulance Service and NSW Fire and Rescue (Bondi, Woollahra and Randwick fire stations) seven days prior to the event.
  - (c) Notifying local residents and businesses seven days prior to the event.
- 2. Issues a schedule of conditions, with any additional conditions to be imposed by NSW Police and Transport for NSW.
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### 1. Executive Summary

Council is in the planning stages of the annual Bondi Festival to be hosted between Friday, 5 July, and Sunday, 21 July 2024.

Bondi Festival is an annual arts and place activation event hosted at the Bondi Pavilion, Park Drive South and Bondi Park including the Dolphin Court on the southern end of the Pavilion.

Two integral and long-standing components of the event are a temporary outdoor ice rink located at the southernmost end of Park Drive South and a 27 metre Ferris wheel on the Dolphin Court at the southern end of the Pavilion.

Approval is sought for the occupation of parking spaces and temporary signage associated with the event.

There will be 50 parking spaces reallocated during the seven-day bump in and five-day bump out period for the ice rink. During the three-week ice rink operation at Park Drive South 35 parking spaces will be reallocated (see Figure 1). These spaces and associated aisles will be occupied by the ice rink, a generator and a turning area for drivers to make a three-point turn.



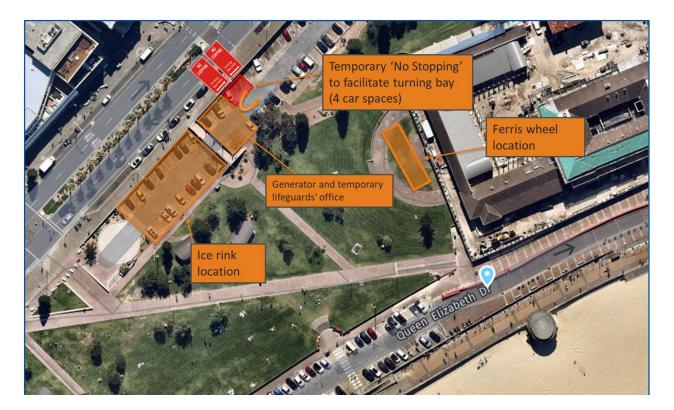


Figure 1. Event location.

Council will need to exercise its delegated functions to implement the proposal.

# 2. Introduction/Background

Bondi Festival is a Council event that is planned and delivered by the Arts and Culture and Events Teams in partnership with the Bondi and Districts Chamber of Commerce.

In 2020, the event merged two standalone Council events, Bondi Feast and Bondi Winter Magic, into one arts and culture and place activation event. The event aims to support local businesses in Bondi Beach by providing entertainment activities for residents and attract visitation during the winter school holidays.

2024 will be the 14th year an ice rink has been installed at Bondi Beach and the sixth year for a Ferris wheel. The combination of these two activities attracts up to 60,000 visitors to Bondi Beach, providing an opportunity to bring the community together, economic benefit to businesses and revenue for Council.

The Events team, in consultation with Integrated Transport, Open Spaces, Major Projects, Parking, and Infrastructure Services has previously considered several locations for both activities.

Key guiding considerations for identifying locations were risk and safety, minimising disruptions to park operations and park users, ensuring access to three-phase power, and the need to bring all Festival activities together in one central Festival hub, ideally focussed near local businesses.

### 3. Technical Analysis

### **Alternative location investigations**

The following alternative locations have been previously assessed for the Ferris wheel and ice rink.

- North Bondi Park. This location has level ground to accommodate the ice rink and Ferris wheel, but
  it is too far from the Festival hub and has no access to three-phase power. Major damage to the
  park would also occur.
- Bondi Park (between Hall and Roscoe Street). The ice rink was located in a section of this park several years ago. The sloped gradient of the park created considerable site challenges. It also resulted in damages to the grass and irrigation lines. The same gradient and damage issues apply to the Ferris wheel. A small flat section of Bondi Park near the Campbell Parade bus stop between Hall and Roscoe Street was considered for the Ferris wheel. It was ruled out due to risks related to privacy for residents on the other side of Campbell Parade and potential traffic issues for motorists.
- South Bondi Park. This location presents the same issues as Bondi Park regarding gradient and damages. It is also too far from the Festival hub and has no access to three-phase power.
- Bondi Beach Promenade. A potential location on the promenade next to the Skate Park was
  identified for the Ferris wheel. However, it is too far from the Festival hub and has no access to
  three-phase power.

### **Timeline**

Table 1. Schedule of activities.

Bondi Festival 2023 – Traffic Controls					
Date	Time	Location (Activity)	Details		
Monday 24 June	0700	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Events Team take delivery of water-filled barriers and temp fencing on Park Drive South (PDS).		
Monday 24 June	0700	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Parking spaces to the south of pedestrian bridge and ten spaces to the north (both sides) taken out. (Return six spaces to public at 1700 on Friday 5 July. Return all remaining spaces at 1700 on Wednesday 24 July). Events staff to erect temporary fence to protect this area. Install signage. Cars may leave but not enter.		
Monday 24 June to Thursday 27 June	All hours	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Events Team to monitor and maintain the area and ensure that no cars are entering restricted area.  Events staff to contact resident parking permit holders by phone to ask them to remove any cars still in the restricted area.		
Friday 28 June	0700	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Stars on Ice Site Management and rink infrastructure arrives on site. Ice rink bump in commences.		
Monday 1 July	1200	Queen Elizabeth Drive to Dolphin Court (Ferris Wheel)	Events Team to facilitate temporary removal of bollards at southern end of Bondi Pavilion forecourt to create access for Ferris wheel semi-trailers and crane truck to enter Dolphin Court		

2100 Queen Elizabeth Drive to		Ferris wheel trucks enter Queen			
		Dolphin Court (Ferris	Elizabeth Drive to install Ferris wheel in		
		Wheel)	the Dolphin Court.		
Monday 1 July –	2100 - 0700	Dolphin Court (Ferris	Primary assembly of Ferris wheel		
Tuesday 2 July		Wheel)	commences (overnight)		
Tuesday 2 –	Business	Queen Elizabeth Drive	Assembly of Ferris wheel continues		
Thursday 4 July	Hours	(Ferris Wheel)			
Friday 5 July	0700	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Water-filled barriers to be deployed		
			and filled for turning bay and rink		
			protection.		
Friday 5 July	0900	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Ice Rink box office opens		
Friday 5 July –		Park Drive South (ice rink)	Ice Rink operational		
Sunday 21 July					
Sunday 21 July	СОВ	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Empty water-filled barriers		
Monday 22 July	0700	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Ice Rink bump out commences		
Wednesday 24 July	1700	Park Drive South (ice rink)	Ice Rink bump out concludes. Clean of		
			event area. Events staff remove		
			temporary fencing. All park drive south		
			spaces returned to public. Note – this		
			includes a 'contingency' day. May be		
			complete Tuesday 23 July.		
Wednesday, Late October Date	19 July – Traf		rk Drive South return to normal		
TBC		Dolphin Court (Ferris Wheel)	Ferris wheel ceases operation		
Late October Date		Queen Elizabeth Drive to	Events Team to facilitate temporary		
TBC		Dolphin Court (Ferris	removal of bollards at southern end of		
		Wheel)	Bondi Pavilion forecourt to create		
			access for Ferris wheel semi-trailers		
			and crane truck to enter Dolphin Court		
Late October Date		Dolphin Court (Ferris	Ferris wheel dismantled		
TBC		Wheel)			
Late October Date		Queen Elizabeth Drive	Ferris wheel trucks depart Dolphin		
TBC		(Ferris Wheel)	Court and exit Queen Elizabeth Drive		
Late October Date		Queen Elizabeth Drive	Ferris wheel bump out concludes.		
TBC		(Ferris Wheel)	Events Team to facilitate reinstating of		
			bollards at southern end of Bondi		
			Pavilion forecourt. Note – this		
			timeframe will include a contingency		
			timeframe will include a contingency day.		
Denotes timelin	e related to th	e Ice Rink installation and whi			

### 4. Financial Information for Council's Consideration

Council will fund the cost of the event from the existing events budget.

### 5. Attachments

Nil.

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Denotes timeline related to Ferris Wheel installation and minimal impact to the transport system

# **REPORT** TC/V.03/24.05

Subject: Francis Street, Bond Beach - Electric Vehicle Charging

Station

**TRIM No:** A17/0586

**Author:** Sam Kelley, Electric Vehicle Project Manager

**Authoriser:** Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services

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### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

That Council:

- 1. Installs '2P, 8 am–10 pm, Electric Vehicles Only While Charging' parking restrictions, including signs and line marking, for one car space in Francis Street, Bondi Beach, as shown in Figure 1 of the report.
- 2. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to modify the signage should on-site circumstances warrant changes.

### 1. Executive Summary

In May 2023, Ausgrid conducted community consultation on a community battery proposal for Francis Street, Bondi Beach. Ausgrid and Council are now working together to extend the existing kerb to accommodate the battery in the road reserve directly opposite Thomas Hogan Reserve next to the existing Ausgrid kiosk. As part of this project, Ausgrid will be installing a dual port electric vehicle (EV) charger on Francis Street opposite the proposed battery. Council has consulted the 10 nearest residents in the area on the electric vehicle charger and proposes to install 'Electric Vehicle Only While Charging' parking restrictions for one of the two potential electric vehicle locations.

Council will need to exercise its delegated functions to implement the proposal.

### 2. Introduction/Background

In 2023, Council adopted the Leading the Charge Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Strategy, which outlined that a significant increase in EV chargers will be required in the eastern suburbs. The installation of this dual port charger will assist with the implementation of this Strategy and is in a location where there are no public EV chargers nearby, and there is a high density of dwellings with no off-street parking.







Designated electric vehicle charging space

Figure 1. Proposed location for the EV charger on Francis Street, Bondi.

### 3. Technical Analysis

### Consultation

On 11 April 2024, Council letterboxed 10 nearby residents on this proposal and received support for the EV charger and signage from 1 resident and opposition from 2 residents. As a result of this feedback, Council officers amended the proposal so that instead of two parking spaces being reserved for EV charging only one space is proposed to have EV-only regulatory signage. It should be noted that if the adjacent unrestricted space is vacant, a second EV will be able to access this charge point.

# **Parking implications**

With the number of electric vehicles in the eastern suburbs doubling year-on-year, there is a need to balance access to public charging infrastructure with access to on-street parking for non-electric vehicles. As such, this report recommends that the street pole EV charging sites include line marking for one parking spot and '2P, 8 am-10 pm, Electric Vehicles Only While Charging' signage as shown in Figure 2 below. The signage is consistent with signage already approved for other EV sites in residential streets.



Figure 2. Proposed signage.

This line marking and signage has been proposed for the following reasons:

- The electric vehicle chargers are 22 kW AC chargers, which will charge an average electric car 30% in around 2 hours and add 150 km of range.
- The average charge time on the public charging network, which comprises of 22 charging stations (22 kW AC), is 2 hours.
- The proposed site is not located where there is paid (metered) parking.

The chargers will be installed by Ausgrid and then owned and managed by Council.

### 4. Financial Information for Council's Consideration

The costs associated with signage and line marking are estimated to cost approximately \$2,000 and will be paid for by Ausgrid.

# 5. Attachments

Nil.

# **REPORT** TC/V.04/24.05

Subject: 54 Hastings Parade, North Bondi - Construction Zone

**TRIM No:** A24/0156

Author: Baqir Husain, Traffic Engineer

Authoriser: Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services



### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

### That Council:

- 1. Installs a 10 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in front of 54 Hastings Parade, North Bondi.
- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone as necessary.

### 1. Executive Summary

Council has received an application for the installation of a construction zone in front of 54 Hastings Parade, North Bondi. The site location is shown in Figure 1. Council officers propose the installation of a 10 metre construction zone as shown in Figure 2.

Council will need to exercise its delegated functions to implement the proposal.



Figure 1. Site location.



Figure 2. Location to install construction zone signs.

# 2. Introduction/Background

In accordance with standard practice at Council, it is proposed that the construction zone is signposted 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' for the approved construction hours under the development consent. Council will then supply the applicant with transferable permits to be used on the applicant's construction vehicles. Council's requirements for permit approvals are a minimum length of 9 metres along the site frontage and a minimum period of 13 weeks.

## 3. Technical Analysis

The subject site has a frontage of 12.2 metres on Hastings Parade. The applicant has requested a 10 metre construction zone along the frontage on Hastings Parade. Council officers propose to install a 10 metre construction zone. The existing and recommended parking allocation is shown in Figure 3. Parking restrictions revert to unrestricted parking after the prescribed construction hours and during Sundays.

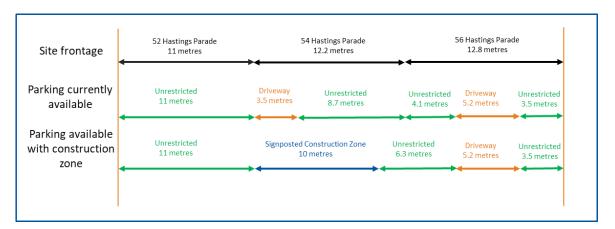


Figure 3. On-street parking for site and adjacent properties.

Table 1. Application details.

Applicant	Kevin Le		
Development application	DA-186/2020		
Approved hours of construction	7 am–5 pm Monday–Friday; 8 am–3 pm Saturday		
Frontage length	12.2 metres		
Road	Hastings Parade		
Existing parking	Unrestricted		
Length requested by applicant	10 metres		
Length to be signposted	10 metres		
Effective construction zone - Total	10 metres		
length available for construction			
Duration	20 weeks		
Fee area	Low-density residential		

# Signage

The proposed signage is shown in Figure 4.

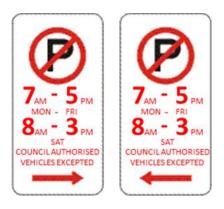


Figure 4. Proposed signage.

# **Notification**

Residents in the vicinity of the construction zone will be notified prior to it being installed.

Figure 5 shows the properties to be notified about the construction zone.



Figure 5. Notification area (hatched).

# 4. Financial Information for Council's Consideration

The cost to the applicant for the 10 metres made available for construction vehicles will be \$775.00 per week during the 2023-24 financial year. The estimated weekly fees are shown in Table 2.

Table 2. Calculation of estimated fees (2023-24 financial year).

Category	Unit	Number/ Dimensions	Rate (GST Exempt)	Weekly Fee
Fee (Areas zoned low, medium, or high density residential)  - Parallel parking  - Angle parking	per metre per week	10 0	\$77.50 \$156.00	\$775.00 \$0.00
Fee (Areas zoned neighbourhood centre, commercial core, or mixed use)  - Parallel parking  - Angle parking	per metre per week	0	\$107.50 \$210.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
Occupation of metered parking spaces (in addition to the above fees) - 5.5 metres per unmarked parallel space - 2.8 metres per unmarked angle parking space	per space per week	0	\$430.00	\$0.00
			Weekly Fee	\$775.00

# 5. Attachments

Nil.

# **REPORT** TC/V.05/24.05

Subject: 232-234 Campbell Parade, Bondi Beach - Construction

Zone

**TRIM No:** A24/0156

Author: Baqir Husain, Traffic Engineer

**Authoriser:** Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services



### **COUNCIL OFFICER'S PROPOSAL:**

#### That Council:

- 1. Installs a 13 metre 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' construction zone in Ramsgate Avenue, Bondi Beach, adjacent to 232–234 Campbell Parade.
- 2. Requires the applicant to notify residents in the vicinity of the construction zone prior to it being installed.
- 3. Delegates authority to the Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services, to adjust the length and duration of, or remove, the construction zone as necessary.

### 1. Executive Summary

Council has received an application for the installation of a construction zone in Ramsgate Avenue adjacent to 232-234 Campbell Parade, Bondi Beach. The site location is shown in Figure 1. Council officers propose the installation of a 13 metre construction zone as shown in Figure 2.



Figure 1. Site location



Figure 2. Location to install construction zone signs.

Council will need to exercise its delegated functions to implement the proposal.

# 2. Introduction/Background

In accordance with standard practice at Council, it is proposed that the construction zone is signposted 'No Parking, 7 am–5 pm Mon–Fri, 8 am–3 pm Sat, Council Authorised Vehicles Excepted' for the approved construction hours under the development consent. Council will then supply the applicant with transferable permits to be used on the applicant's construction vehicles. Council's requirements for permit approvals are a minimum length of 9 metres along the site frontage and a minimum period of 13 weeks.

# 3. Technical Analysis

The subject site has a frontage of 24.6 metres on Ramsgate Avenue. The applicant has requested a 13 metre construction zone along the frontage on Ramsgate Avenue. Council officers propose to install a 13 metre construction zone. The existing and recommended parking allocation is shown in Figure 3. Parking restrictions revert to unrestricted parking after the prescribed construction hours and during Sundays.

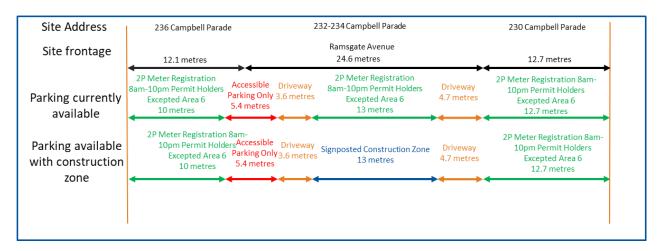


Figure 3. On-street parking for site and adjacent properties

Table 1. Application details.

Applicant	Declan Bitar		
Development application	DA-165/2023/A		
Approved hours of construction	7 am-5 pm Monday-Friday; 8 am-3 pm Saturday		
Frontage length	24.6 metres		
Road	Ramsgate Avenue		
Existing parking	2P Meter Registration 8am-10pm Permit Holders Excepted Area 6		
Length requested by applicant	13 metres		
Length to be signposted	13 metres		
Effective construction zone - Total	13 metres		
length available for construction			
Duration	36 weeks		
Fee area	Low-density residential		

# Signage

The proposed signage is shown in Figure 4.



Figure 4. Proposed signage.

# **Notification**

Residents in the vicinity of the construction zone will be notified prior to it being installed. Figure 5 shows the properties to be notified about the construction zone.

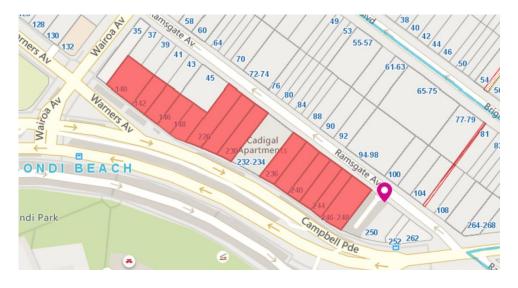


Figure 5. Notification area (hatched).

# 4. Financial Information for Council's Consideration

The cost to the applicant for the 13 metres made available for construction vehicles will be \$1,007.50 per week during the 2023-24 financial year. The estimated weekly fees are shown in Table 2.

Table 2. Calculation of estimated fees (2023-24 financial year).

Category	Unit	Number/ Dimensions	Rate (GST Exempt)	Weekly Fee
Fee (Areas zoned low, medium, or high density residential)  - Parallel parking  - Angle parking	per metre per week	13 0	\$77.50 \$156.00	\$1,007.50 \$0.00
Fee (Areas zoned neighbourhood centre, commercial core, or mixed use)  - Parallel parking  - Angle parking	per metre per week	0	\$107.50 \$210.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
Occupation of metered parking spaces (in addition to the above fees) - 5.5 metres per unmarked parallel space - 2.8 metres per unmarked angle parking space	per space per week	0	\$430.00	\$0.00
			Weekly Fee	\$1,007.50

# 5. Attachments

Nil.

# REPORT TC/TEAC.01/24.05

Subject: Charing Cross Streetscape Upgrade - Left Turn from

**Bronte Road into Carrington Road** 

**TRIM No:** SF24/1816

**Author:** Cameron Eccles, Senior Project Manager

**Authoriser:** Nikolaos Zervos, Executive Manager, Infrastructure Services



That Council notes the feasibility analysis of a left turn from Bronte Road into Carrington Road as part of the Charing Cross Streetscape Upgrade Project, as set out in the report.

### 1. Executive Summary

The purpose of this report is to provide further information, as requested by the Traffic Committee at its meeting on 28 March 2024, on the viability of maintaining vehicular left turn movements from the southern Bronte Road arm onto the southern Carrington Road arm as part of the Charing Cross Streetscape Upgrade project.

The project proposes to restrict the above movement to improve the safety and functionality of the Traffic Control Signal (TCS).

## 2. Introduction/Background

The Charing Cross Streetscape Upgrade project was reviewed by the Traffic Committee at its meeting on 28 March 2024 (TC/C.01/24.03) with the proposal unanimously supported by the Committee. A request for information was raised by the Committee on the functional impact of the Bronte/Carrington/Victoria intersection if the left-turn into Carrington Road southbound from Bronte Road northbound were retained. The Committee requested that Council officers provide more information on the matter as soon as possible. This report summarises the contemplated turning movement's impact.

### 3. Technical Analysis

### **Swept paths**

To achieve an adequate swept path for vehicular traffic, the geometry for the corner will need to change by increasing the kerb return radius. This results in the kerb return moving south from the proposed design by approximately 5.8 m.

Attachment 1 depicts the kerb geometry presented during the concept phase of the project that would have allowed the left-turn movement as well as the current proposal resolved during the detailed design phase for a side-by-side comparison.

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## **Intersecting crossing points**

Due to the required geometry changes to accommodate a vehicle swept path, the resulting pedestrian crossing points on the Bronte Road south and Carrington Road south arms will intersect. When referencing Attachment 1 (and Figure 1 below), the intersecting crossing points do not comply with the design guidelines of Transport for NSW and would not be accepted by this authorising body.

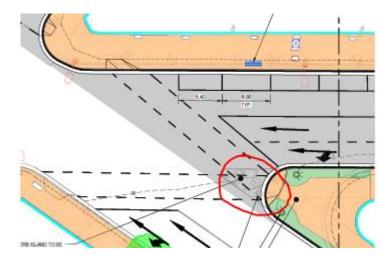


Figure 1. Intersecting Carrington Road south arm and Bronte Road south arm.

The geometry changes would also result in an increased crossing distance for pedestrians, which in turn would cause decreased pedestrian amenity and increase vehicular delays.

### Vehicular delays

With reference to Attachment 2, the SIDRA analysis allowing the left turn from Bronte Road onto Carrington Road shows the following:

- In all instances, the addition of the left turn from Bronte Road to Carrington Road increases the average delay for the Bronte Road south leg.
- In all instances, the addition of the left turn from Bronte Road to Carrington Road increases the degree of saturation for the Bronte Road south leg.
- In all instances, the left turn resulted in no measurable change in 95th percentile queue length (this is because the longest queue is for the through movement in each scenario).

### 4. Financial Information for Council's Consideration

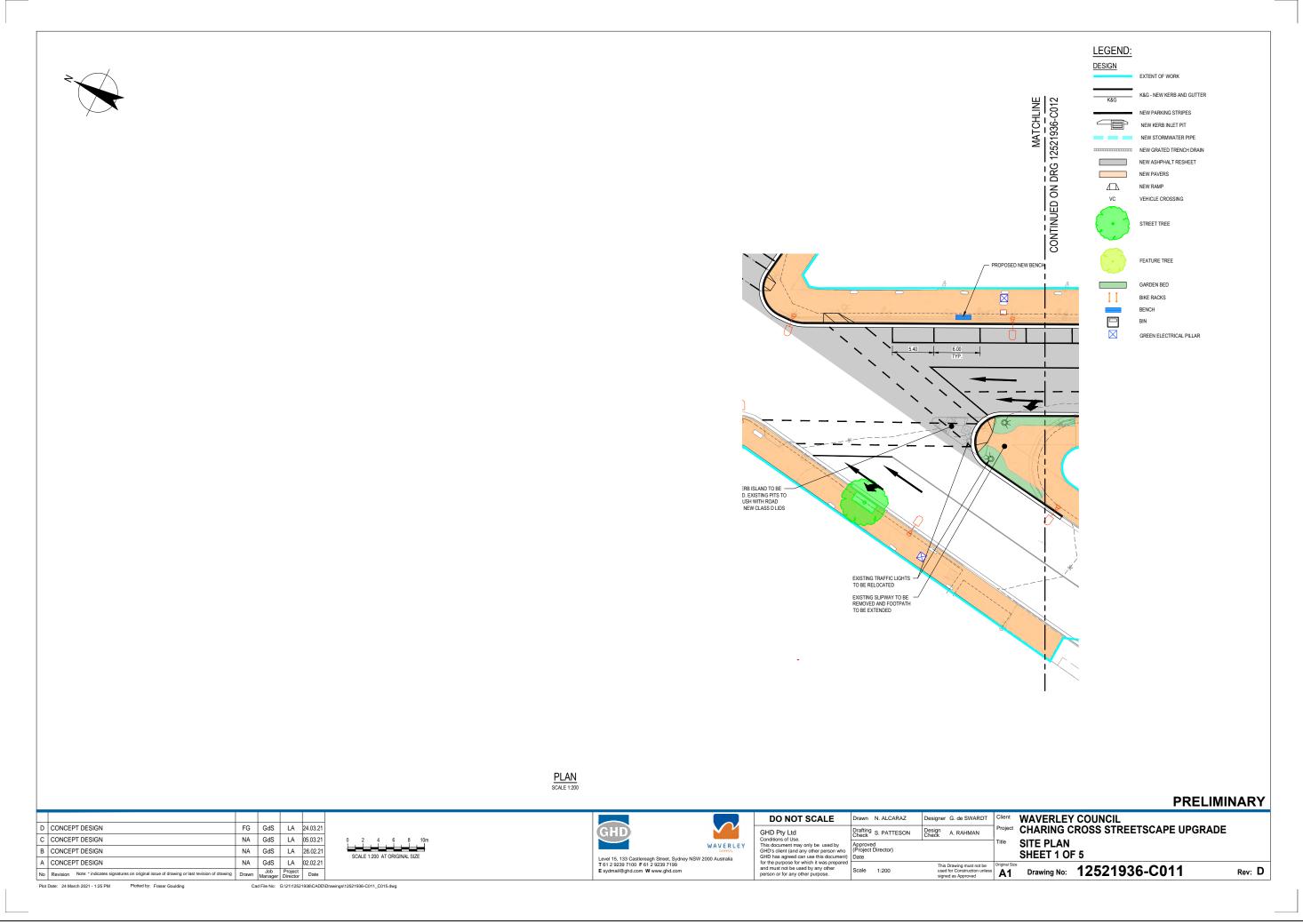
Not applicable.

### 5. Attachments

- 1. Charing Cross Streetscape Upgrade plans J.
- 2. Left turn analysis  $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}$

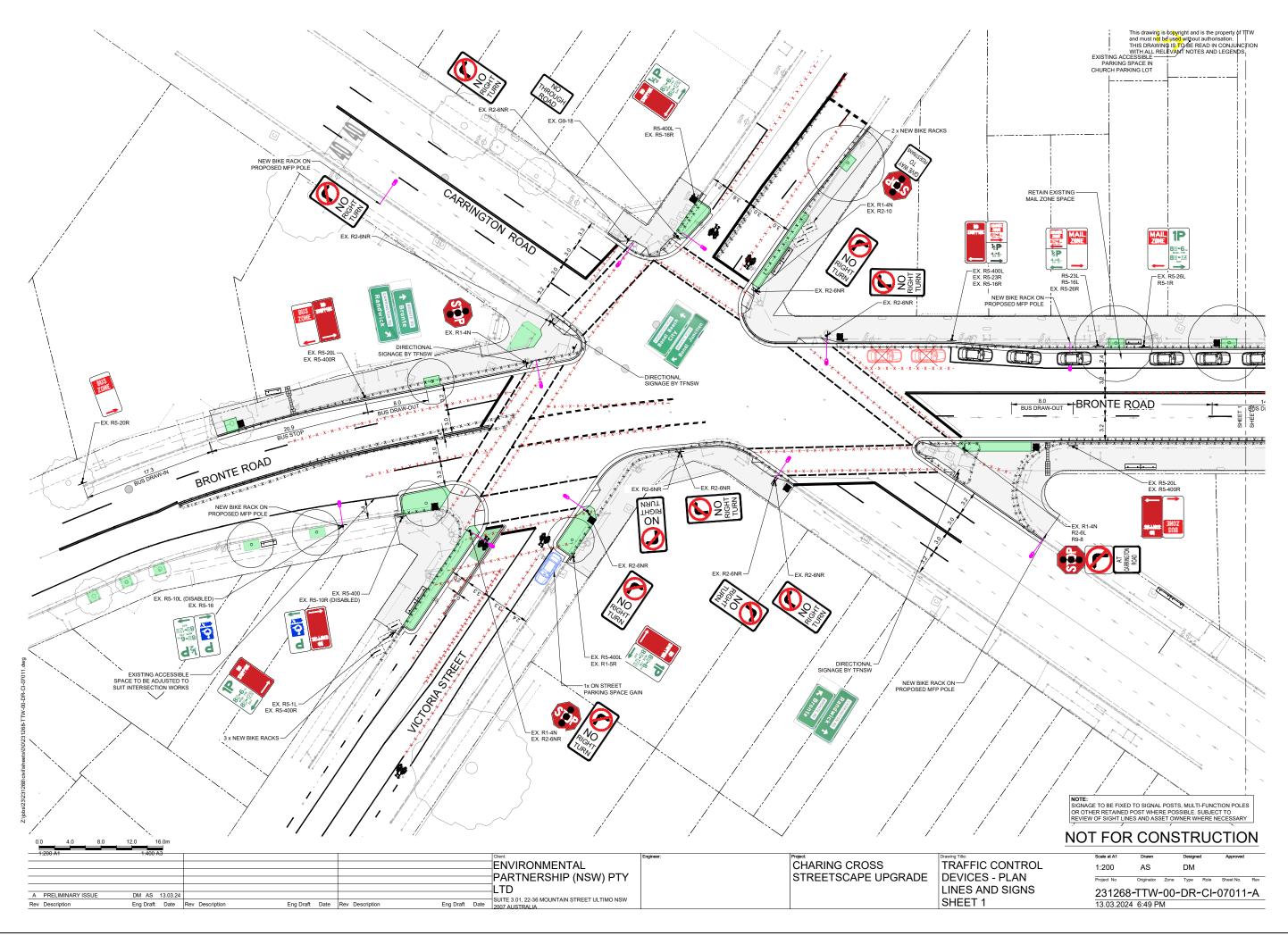
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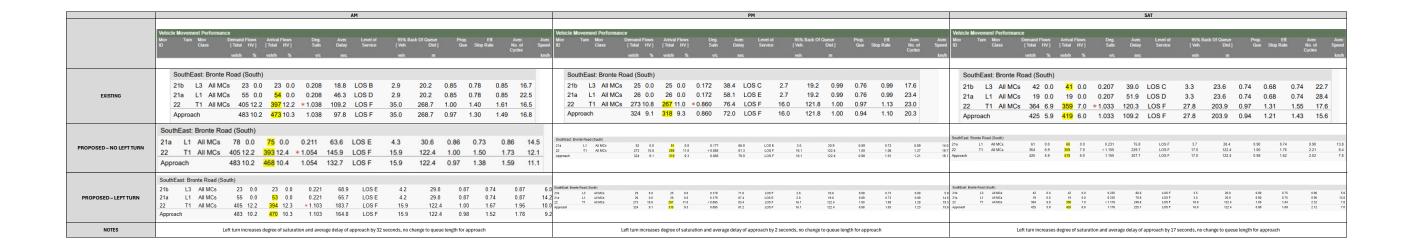
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