## ITEM 3. ITEM FOR COMMITTEE INFORMATION – PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS – COWPER WHARF ROADWAY WOOLLOOMOOLOO

TRIM RECORD NO: 2014/305095

## RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee note and support the installation of safety improvements to enhance pedestrian accessibility in Cowper Wharf Roadway, Woolloomooloo just west of Brougham Street.

## DECISION

# BACKGROUND

The City East Pedestrian Cycling and Traffic Calming (PCTC) Plan, adopted by Council in 2008, includes a proposal to improve pedestrian accessibility across Cowper Wharf Road, Woolloomooloo in the vicinity of Brougham Street.

## COMMENTS

The proposal involves the modification of the existing raised median in Cowper Wharf Roadway and the installation of kerb ramps on either side of street to facilitate an "at grade" two-stage crossing point for pedestrians.

The proposed crossing location is on a dedicated pedestrian desire line between the existing bus stop on the northern kerb of Cowper Wharf Roadway and McElhone Stairs off Brougham Street.

# CONSULTATION

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 493 letters sent out with two responses supporting the proposal and one response opposing the proposal.

# FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

# ATTACHMENTS

Item For Committee Information – Pedestrian Safety Improvements – Cowper Wharf Roadway Woolloomooloo

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