

ITEM 33. CAR SHARE - MARIAN STREET REDFERN

TRIM RECORD NO: 2014/358223

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the allocation of parking on the northern side of Marian Street, Redfern between the points 13.0 metres and 18.0 metres (1 car space) east of Gibbons Street as 'No Parking Car Share Vehicles Excepted' subject to the following:-

- (A) The City will only install signage for the car share space when GoGet has a car to occupy the space.

DECISION

BACKGROUND

The City is committed to providing dedicated parking for car sharing across the Local Government Area as part of a Council approved Car Share Policy. A submission has been received from GoGet for a car share space in Marian Street, Redfern east of Gibbons Street.

COMMENTS

The kerb space on the northern side of Marian Street, Redfern between Regent Street and Gibbons Street is currently signposted as unrestricted for parking.

The car share space will be installed and managed in accordance with the Roads and Maritime Service's Technical Direction 2007/04 and the provisions of the Council-approved Car Share Policy.

Car sharing is popular in more than 600 cities worldwide, and research has shown substantial environmental benefits. Car sharing reduces total urban driving, reduces household vehicle holdings, and increases walking, cycling and public transport use.

On average, each car share vehicle in the City can replace up to 12 private vehicles that would otherwise compete for parking. In the twelve months to April 2014, membership in the City has risen by around 418 members per month.

Current membership is approximately 20,747, of which 8,841 are business members.

As of July 2014, there were 206 GoGet car share members within a 250 metre radius of this location with 32 members in Regent Street, 11 members in Margaret Street, and six members in Botany Road.

Within a 250 metre radius of this location, there are currently six spaces allocated for GoGet car share vehicles.

CONSULTATION

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 43 letters sent out with no responses supporting or opposing the proposal.

FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

ATTACHMENTS

Car Share - Marian Street Redfern

Claudia Calabro, Business Support Officer

GIBBONS STREET
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*Existing
No Parking*

WILLIAM LANE



No
Stopping

KL 0.0m

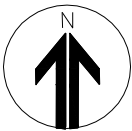
13.0m

18.0m

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MARIAN STREET

REGENT STREET
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PROPOSED
No Parking
Car Share
Vehicles
Excepted
(1 Car Space)



PROPOSAL

MARIAN STREET, REDFERN
CAR SHARE PARKING SPACE



