ITEM 39. PARKING - UNRESTRICTED PARKING - BROWN STREET

NEWTOWN

TRIM RECORD NO: 2014/454075

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the western side of Brown Street, Newtown between the points 8.0 metres and 14.6 metres (1 car space) south of Linthorpe Street as unrestricted for parking.

DECISION

BACKGROUND

A resident of Brown Street has advised that the existing disability parking space is no longer needed and has requested that it to be removed to meet the current needs of the local residents.

COMMENTS

Part of the kerb space on the western side of Brown Street, Newtown between Linthorpe Street and the cul-de-sac is currently signposted as "Disability Parking". Consultation undertaken with local residents revealed that this space is no longer needed.

An on-site inspection shows there is a need to provide unrestricted parking to meet the current needs of the residents. This would match the existing parking conditions in the adjoining kerb space.

CONSULTATION

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 60 letters sent out with one response supporting the proposal on grounds that there will be additional parking for residents. One response opposing the proposal was received on the grounds that the other nearby disability parking space needs improvements. This response does not provide adequate reason to retain the disability space south of Linthorpe Street which is no longer needed.

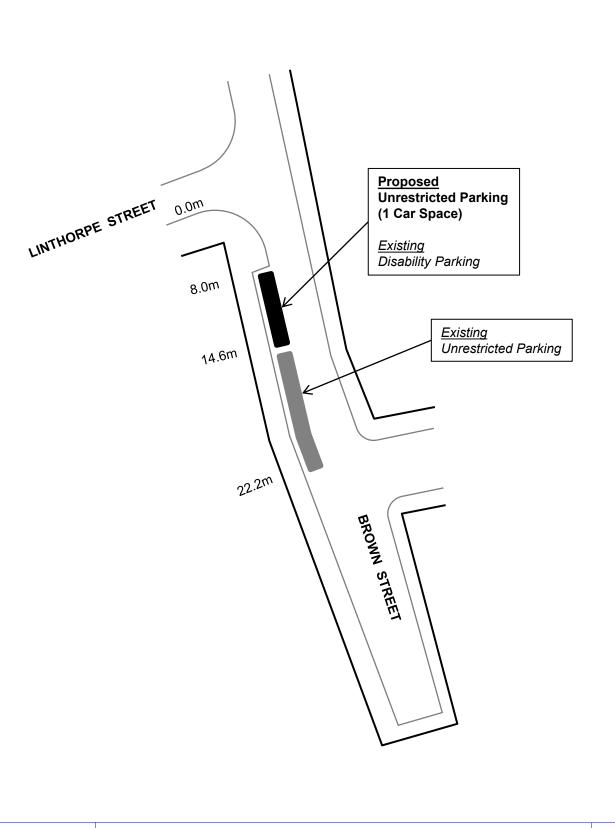
FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

ATTACHMENTS

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Michael Rimac, Engineering Traffic Officer







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