# ITEM 21. PARKING - NO STOPPING - BLOOMFIELD STREET SURRY HILLS

## TRIM RECORD NO: 2015/136973

### RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the southern side of Bloomfield Street, Surry Hills between the points 12.2 metres and 22.0 metres (2 car space) east of Little Bloomfield Street as "No Stopping".

## DECISION

### BACKGROUND

A resident of Bloomfield Street has requested consideration of "No Stopping" to ensure unobstructed access to their rear off-street parking.

### COMMENTS

The kerb space on the southern side of Bloomfield Street, Surry Hills between Little Bloomfield Street and Denham Street is currently signposted as "1P 8am-10pm Mon-Sat Permit Holders Excepted Area 27".

Rule 198 of NSW Road Rules 2008 prohibits drivers from parking in a way that obstructs access to any driveway at any time. Section 6 of the Roads Act 1993 gives adjoining land owners a right of vehicle access to the public road.

The permit parking is currently located across the driveway so parking in this location should be prohibited.

An on-site inspection shows there is a need to provide a "No Stopping" restriction to maintain property access.

### CONSULTATION

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 137 letters sent out with no responses supporting or opposing the proposal.

# FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

### ATTACHMENTS

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