ITEM 28. PARKING - PERMIT PARKING - KEPOS LANE REDFERN

TRIM RECORD NO: 2015/129309

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the allocation of parking on the western side of Kepos Lane, Redfern between the points 10.0 metres and 118.0 metres (18 car spaces) north of Phillip Street as "2P 8am-6pm Mon-Fri Permit Holders Excepted Area 41".

DECISION

BACKGROUND

A resident of Kepos Lane, Redfern has requested consideration of Permit Parking in Kepos Lane which has a high demand for parking.

COMMENTS

The kerb space on the western side of Kepos Lane, Redfern between Phillip and Zamia Streets is currently unrestricted for parking.

Parking occupancy surveys undertaken in Kepos Lane indicate that more than 90% of the spaces are occupied during peak hours.

On-site inspections show that parking in Kepos Lane is close to capacity and there is a need to provide additional permit spaces to improve resident access to on-street parking.

The proposed changes would limit any vehicle which does not have a permit to two hours of parking from 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday where the signs are installed.

Residents with an Area 41 parking permit will be exempt from the 2-hour time limit.

A two-hour parking limit is preferred for streets in the inner residential areas as it better balances the long-stay parking needs of permit holders with the needs of all households to use parking for visitors, family, carers and tradespeople.

CONSULTATION

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 44 letters sent out with one response supporting the proposal and nil responses opposing the proposal.

FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

ATTACHMENTS

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