ITEM 15. STREET EVENTS – TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE – KENSINGTON STREET CHIPPENDALE

FILE NO: 2015/529790

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the temporary road closure of Kensington Street, Chippendale, between Outram and Dwyer Streets, on Sunday 6 February 2016 between 7am and 12 midnight. The road would be closed for a for the Kensington Street Lunar New Year event, subject to the following conditions:

- (A) The Applicant must comply with the temporary road closure conditions as stipulated in Schedule B of this Agenda.
- (B) The Applicant must contact Redfern Police to discuss deployment of user pay police for the event.
- (C) The Applicant must contact the City's Venue Management Unit to discuss the event.
- (D) The Applicant must provide a telephone number of the supervisor responsible for the proposed event and include contact details in the notification letters to be distributed to affected stakeholders.

DECISION

BACKGROUND

The Chippendale Creative Precinct has applied to temporary close Kensington Street, Chippendale, between Outram and Dwyer Streets, on Sunday 6 February 2016 between 7am and 12 midnight. The road would be closed for the Kensington Street Lunar New Year event.

The proposed closure would be limited to Kensington Street, between Outram and Dwyer Streets which ensures uninterrupted access to the Old Clare Hotel.

COMMENTS

The Kensington Street Lunar New Year event is an event that requires the closure of City streets and traffic detours around the event area.

The event have been created to draw together artists, performers, creative industries, eateries and galleries of the area.

The Applicant has provided a site-specific Traffic Control Plan that includes details of barricades, signs, flagmen and other traffic devices to implement the proposed road closures.

Temporary Road Closure – between 7am and 12 midnight on Sunday 6 February 2016 - Kensington Street, Chippendale, between Outram and Dwyer Streets.

The City has not received any traffic related complaints about previous events.

The temporary road closure will not affect pedestrian access to properties as local access will be provided at all times and alternative traffic access routes are available nearby.

CONSULTATION

The Applicant will be required to notify affected stakeholders as stipulated in Schedule B.

FINANCIAL

All costs associated with the proposed closures will be borne by the Applicant.

ATTACHMENTS

Street Events – Temporary Road Closure – Kensington Street Chippendale

Joseph Gomes, Area Traffic Engineer

