

**ITEM 42. CAR SHARE – ROTHSCHILD AVENUE ROSEBERY**

**TRIM RECORD NO: 2016/055988**

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the western side of Rothschild Avenue, Rosebery, between the points 10 metres and 15 metres (one car space) south of Sweet 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.

**VOTING MEMBERS FOR THIS ITEM**

<b><i>Voting Members</i></b>	<b><i>Support</i></b>	<b><i>Object</i></b>
City of Sydney		
Roads and Maritime Services		
NSW Police – Redfern LAC		
Representative for the Member for Heffron		

**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 Rothschild Avenue, south of Sweet Street.

**COMMENTS**

The kerb space on the western side of Rothschild Avenue, Rosebery between Sweet Street and Queen Street is currently signposted as “2P 8am-6pm Mon-Fri.”

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.

Current membership is approximately 29,069, of which 7,649 are business members.

As of February 2016, there were 46 GoGet car share members within a 250 metre radius of this location with eight members in Rothschild Street, four members in Queen Street, and three members in Mentmore Avenue.

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

### **CONSULTATION**

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 366 letters sent out with no responses supporting or opposing the proposal.

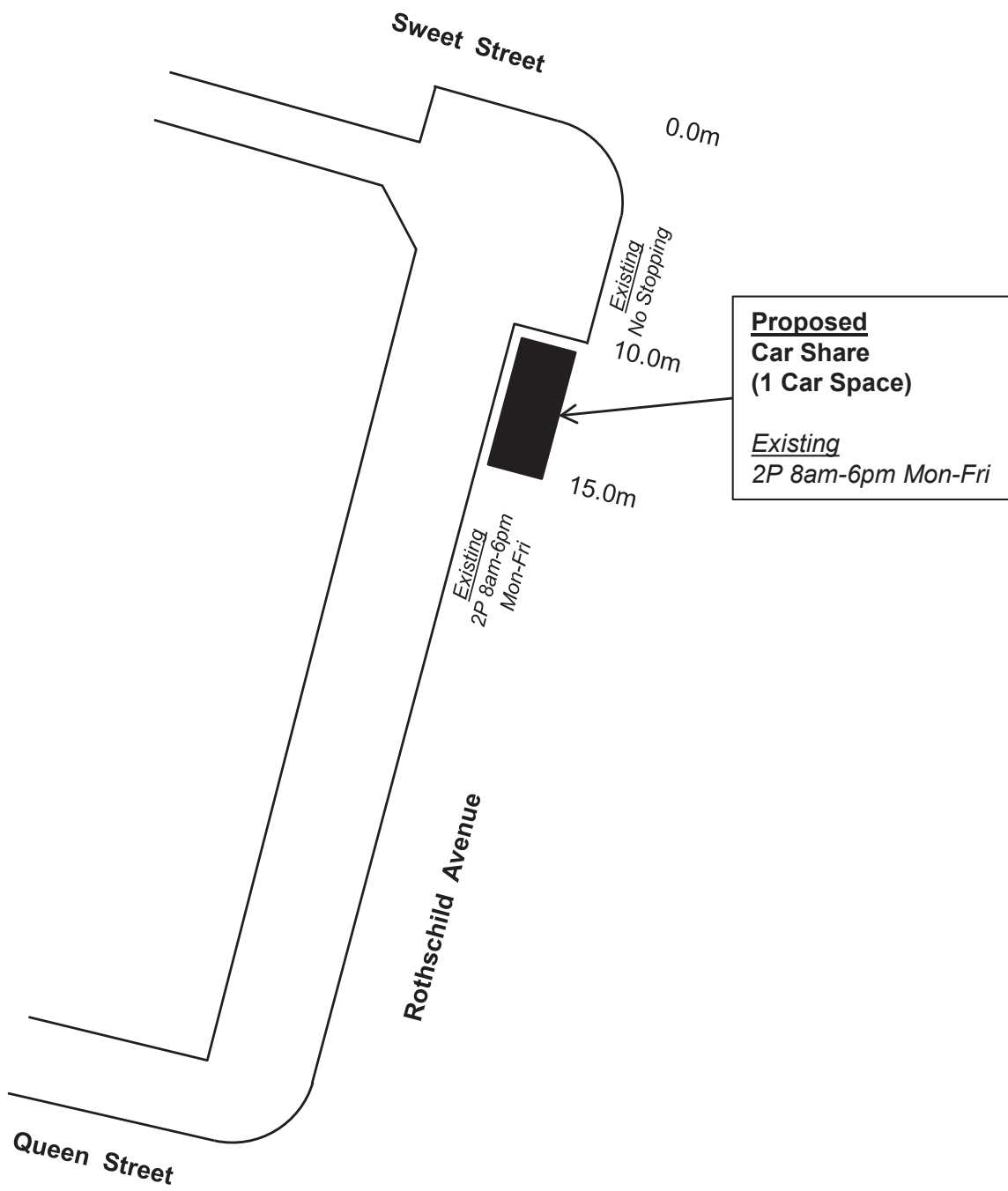
### **FINANCIAL**

Funds are available in the current budget.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Car Share – Rothschild Street Rosebery

Claudia Calabro, Business Support Officer



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