ITEM 5. STREET EVENTS – TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES – BEAMS ART FESTIVAL 2016 CHIPPENDALE

FILE NO: 2016/361761

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the temporary road closures of Teggs Lave, Balfour, O'Connor, Wellington, Dick, Little Queen, Queen, Henrietta and Kensington Streets, during the Beams Arts Festival 2016, Chippendale between 1am Saturday 17 September 2016 to 1:30am Sunday 18 September 2016. 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.

VOTING MEMBERS FOR THIS ITEM

Voting Members	Support	Object
City of Sydney		
Roads and Maritime Services		
NSW Police – Redfern LAC		
Representative for the Member for Newtown		

DECISION

BACKGROUND

Chippendale Creative Precinct has applied for temporary road closures of Teggs Lane, Balfour, O'Connor, Wellington, Dick, Little Queen, Queen, Henrietta and Kensington Streets between 1am Saturday 17 September 2016 and 1:30am Sunday 18 September 2016 during the Beams Arts Festival 2016, Chippendale.

COMMENTS

The Beams Art Festival is an annual event that requires the closure of City streets and traffic detours around the event area. In 2016, the event will also include the closure of Teggs Lane, Balfour, O'Connor, Wellington, Dick, Little Queen, Queen, Henrietta and Kensington Streets.

The event has been created to draw together artists, performers, creative industries, eateries and galleries of the area, celebrating its history and future. Ideas of community, relationships, sustainability and creativity are central to the Beams Arts Festival.

It should be noted that given the festival occupies the road carriageway, local vehicular access will not be maintained once the temporary road closures are in place.

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 Closures – 1am Saturday 17 September 2016 to 1:30am Sunday 18 September 2016

Balfour Street from Meagher Street roundabout through and including Wellington Street to Regent Street, Chippendale

O'Connor Street between Abercrombie and Carlton Street, Chippendale

Dick Street between Abercrombie and Balfour Street, Chippendale

Little Queen Street between Abercrombie and Balfour Street, Chippendale

Queen Street between Chippen and Balfour Street, Chippendale

Teggs Lane between Abercrombie and Balfour Street, Chippendale

Henrietta Street between Chippen and Balfour Street, Chippendale

Kensington Street between Outram and Dwyer Street, Chippendale

There are currently no other approved temporary road closures proposed to take place on the same day in close proximity of these closures.

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

The temporary road closures 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 Closures – Beams Arts Festival 2016 Chippendale

Sairam Jegatheeswaran, Traffic Engineer



