ITEM 39. PARKING – PERMIT PARKING – LAWSON STREET REDFERN

TRIM RECORD NO: 2016/351090

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the northern side of Lawson Street, Redfern between the points 20 metres and 29.6 metres (one car space) east of Abercrombie Street as: "2P 8am-10pm Permit Holders Excepted Area 32".

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

It is proposed to remove the existing "No Parking 7am-9am, 4pm-6pm Mon-Fri" parking space in Lawson Street, Redfern to provide "2P 8am-10pm Permit Holders Excepted Area 32" consistent with the surrounding parking restrictions on Lawson Street, Redfern.

COMMENTS

The kerb space on the northern side of Lawson Street, Redfern between Abercrombie and Eveleigh Streets is currently signposted as "2P 8am-10pm Permit Holders Excepted Area 32".

On-site inspection shows there is a need to provide timed permit parking to increase parking turnover and improve resident access to on-street parking. The proposed changes would limit any vehicle which does not have a permit to two (2) hours of parking from 8am to 10pm where the signs are installed. Residents with an Area 32 parking permit will be exempt from the two-hour time limit.

A two-hour parking limit is consistent with the surrounding restrictions and 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 originally consulted local residents and businesses on a proposal to provide an additional Loading Zone on Lawson Street. There were 88 letters sent out with no responses supporting the proposal and three responses opposing the proposal.

The responses opposing the proposal requested consideration of resident permit parking. As a result, the City has amended the proposal to provide resident permit parking.

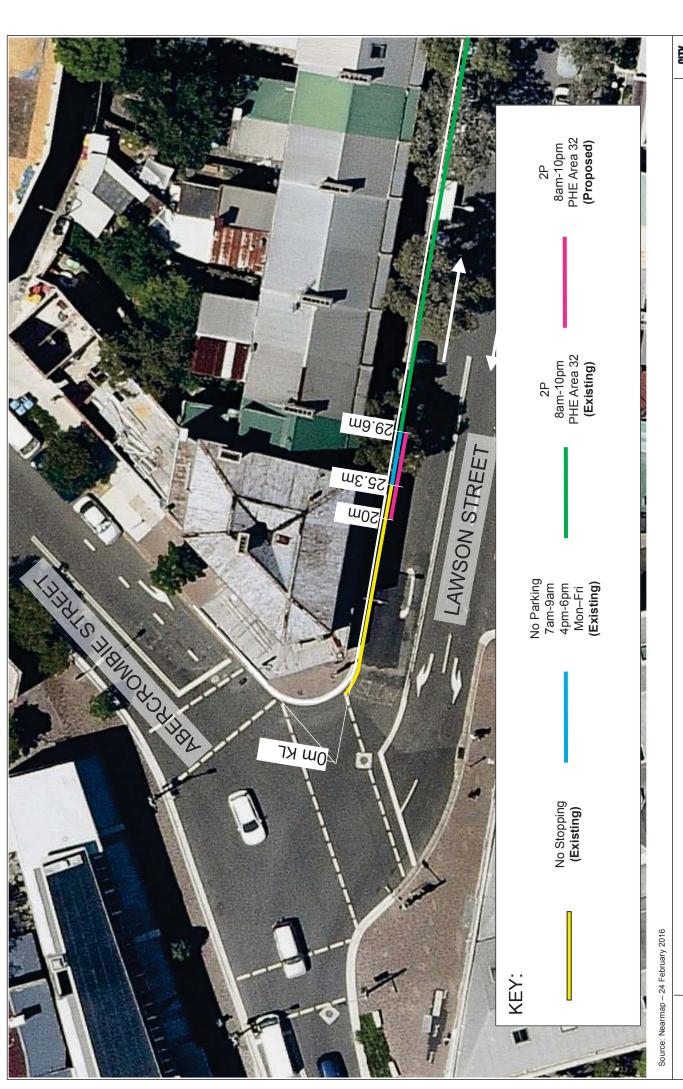
FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

ATTACHMENTS

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Eoin Cunningham, Senior Traffic Engineer





PROPOSAL

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