ITEM 8. STREET EVENT - TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES - SMOOTH CHOCOLATE FESTIVAL 2017

TRIM RECORD NO: 2017/139339

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the temporary road closures for the Smooth Chocolate Festival 2017 from 4am Saturday 12 August 2017 to 11:59pm Sunday 13 August 2017 subject to the following conditions:-

- (A) The Applicant must comply with the temporary road closure conditions as stipulated in Schedule A of this agenda.
- (B) The Applicant must contact the Sydney City 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 is to obtain a Road Occupancy Licence from the Transport Management Centre prior to commencement of works.
- (E) 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.
- (F) The Applicant must contact Sydney Buses and arrange and pay for the rerouting of bus services around the closures, the temporary relocation of bus stops and any additional staff required.

VOTING MEMBERS FOR THIS ITEM

| Voting Members | Support | Object |
|--|---------|--------|
| City of Sydney | | |
| Property NSW | | |
| Roads and Maritime Services | | |
| NSW Police – Sydney City LAC | | |
| Representative for the Member for Sydney | | |

DECISION

BACKGROUND

Smooth FM has applied for the temporary road closures of George Street and Hickson Road for the Smooth Chocolate Festival 2017 from 4am Saturday 12 August 2017 to 11:59pm Sunday 13 August 2017.

COMMENTS

The Smooth Chocolate Festival 2017 is an annual event that requires the temporary closure of City and Property NSW streets and traffic detours around the event.

Temporary road closures and Special Event Clearways will be in place in various City streets to assist the event.

Temporary Road Closures – 4am Saturday 12 August 2017 to 23:59pm Sunday 13 August 2017

George Street, between Essex Street and Hickson Road

Hickson Road, between George Street and Elevated Road of the Overseas Passenger Terminal

On the same day, George Street, between Hickson Road and Lower Fort Street, will be closed for The Rocks Markets and various streets for the City to Surf 2017. However, conflicts between the events will not occur.

CONSULTATION

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

FINANCIAL

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

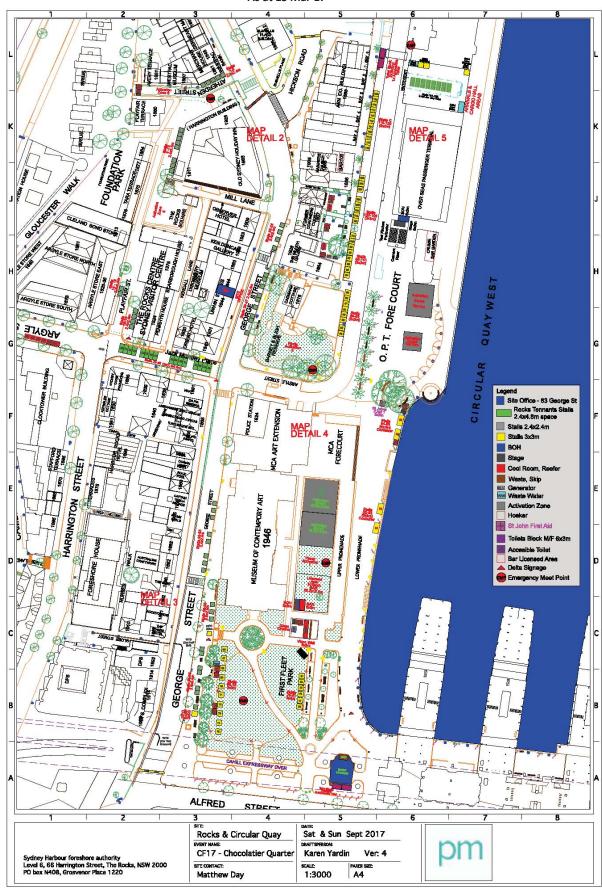
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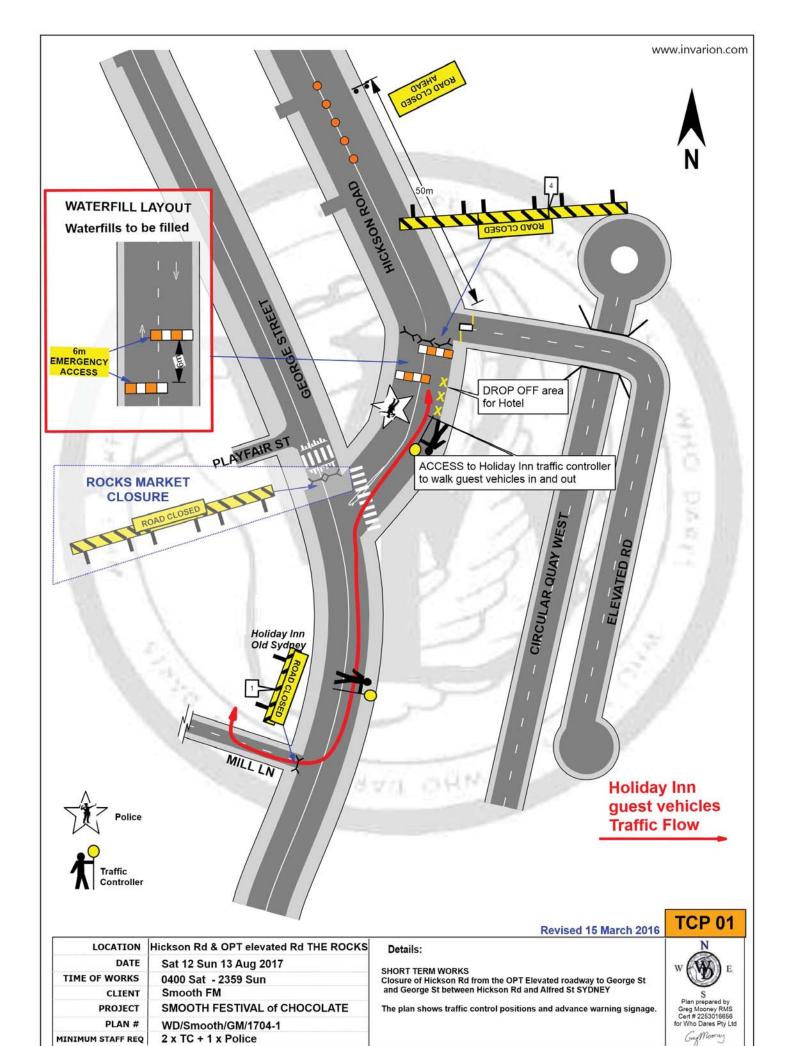
Street Event – Temporary Road Closures – Smooth Chocolate Festival 2017

Ganesh Vengadasalam, Senior Traffic Engineer

EVENT SITE PLAN

As at 15 Mar 17





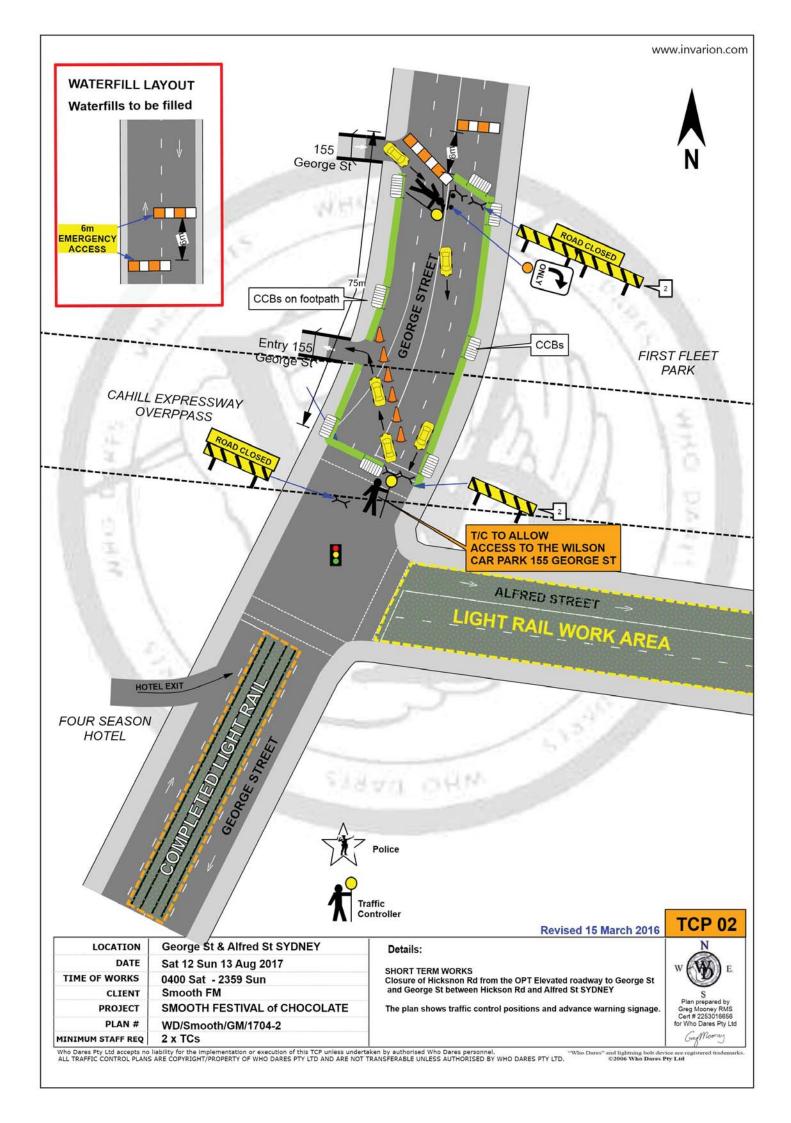
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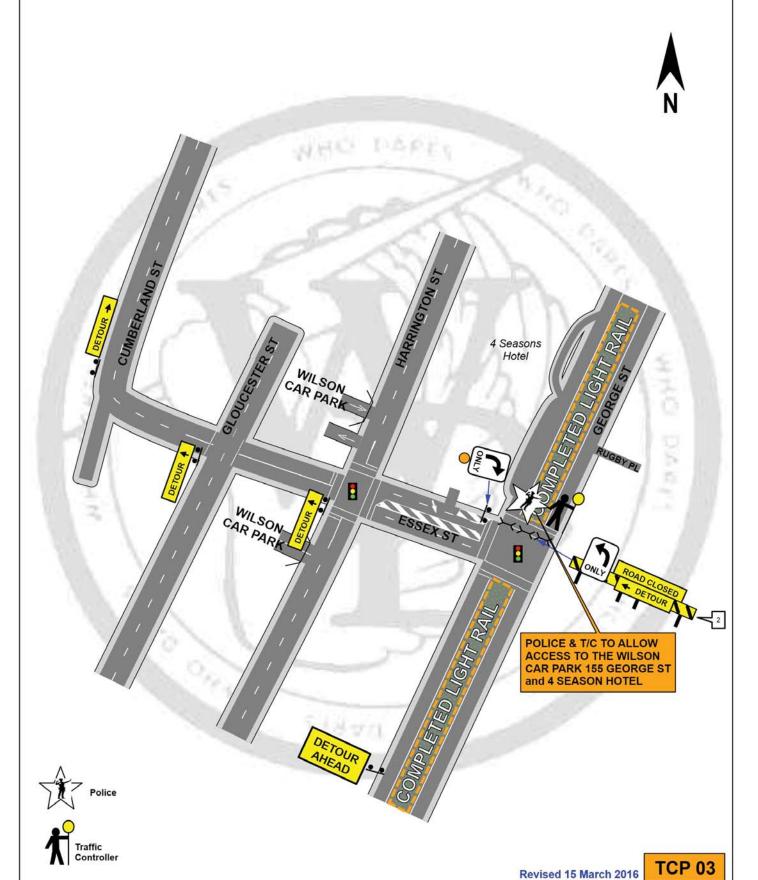
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| LOCATION | George St & Essex St THE ROCKS |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| DATE | Sat 12 Sun 13 Aug 2017 |
| TIME OF WORKS | 0400 Sat - 2359 Sun |
| CLIENT | Smooth FM |
| PROJECT | SMOOTH FESTIVAL of CHOCOLATE |
| PLAN # | WD/Smooth/GM/1704-3 |
| MINIMUM STAFF REQ | 1 x TC + 1 x Police |

Details:

SHORT TERM WORKS

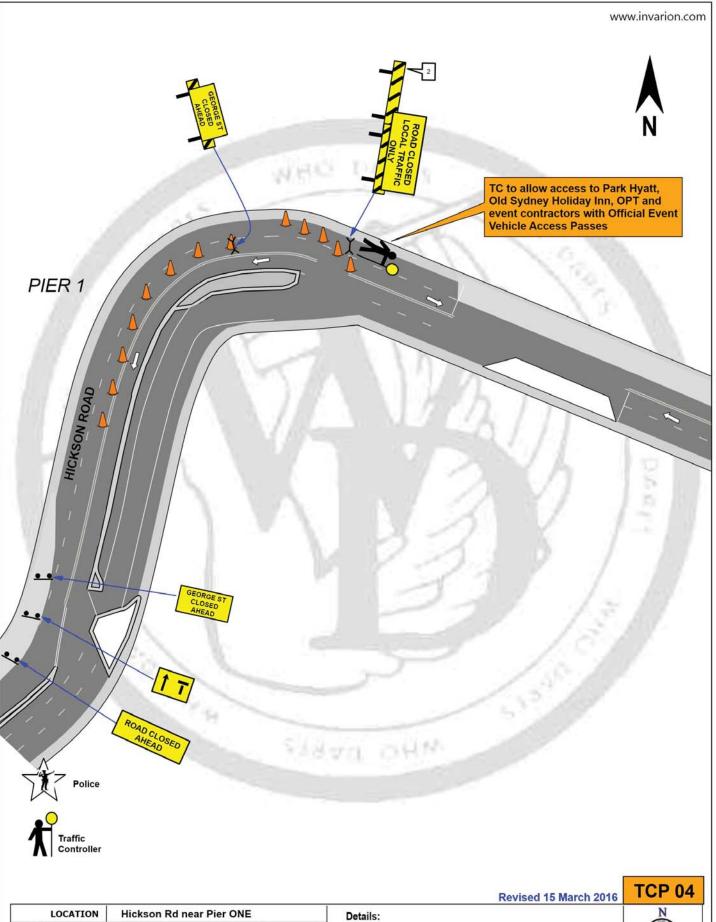
Closure of George St at Essex Street SYDNEY
Police and traffic controllers to allow managed access to the 4 Seasons
Hotel and Wilson Car Park at 155 George Street

The plan shows traffic control positions and advance warning signage.



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DATE

CLIENT PROJECT

PLAN #

TIME OF WORKS

MINIMUM STAFF REQ

Sat 12 Sun 13 Aug 2017

SMOOTH FESTIVAL of CHOCOLATE

0800 - 1900 Sat & Sun

WD/Smooth/GM/1704-1

Smooth FM

1 x TC

SHORT TERM WORKS

Partial closure of Hickson Rd at Pier One to mimimise the traffic at the hard closure at Hickson Td & the elevated raodway Local access to be maintained

The plan shows traffic control positions and advance warning signage.

