

**ITEM 25. PARKING – DISABILITY PARKING ONLY – CATHERINE STREET
GLEBE**

TRIM RECORD NO: 2017/322487

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the northern side of Catherine Street, Glebe between the points 26 metres and 33.8 metres (one car space) west of Westmoreland Lane as “Disability Parking Only”.

VOTING MEMBERS FOR THIS ITEM

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

DECISION

BACKGROUND

A resident of Catherine Street has requested a disability parking space in Catherine Street, Glebe. The resident has advised they are not in a wheelchair but cannot physically walk far.

COMMENTS

Catherine Street, Glebe between Westmoreland Lane and Westmoreland Street is designated for two-way traffic flow with an approximate width of 12.8 metres. The road and footway grades are relatively flat adjacent to this proposed space. The kerb space is currently unrestricted for parking on the northern side of the street.

Under existing conditions, vehicles park on both sides of the street which reduces the trafficable lane for two-way traffic flow to an approximate width of 6.2 metres. The remaining width is allocated for on-street parking and painted cycleway.

Footpaths (approximately two metres wide) are provided on the northern side of the street.

The Australian Standard for on-street disability parking (AS 2890.6 – 2009) requires the provision of a 3.2 metre wide by 7.8 metre long bay.

A 7.8 metre long bay is proposed and with consideration for the width of the existing parking lane and painted cycleway, a 3.2 metre wide bay can be accommodated within the carriageway.

Although the resident is not wheelchair-bound and kerb ramps are not necessary, the proposed “Disability Parking Only” space is located next to a driveway that can be used by a wheelchair-bound person.

CONSULTATION

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 36 letters sent out and no response supporting or opposing the proposal.

FINANCIAL

Funds are available in the current budget.

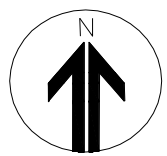
ATTACHMENTS

Parking – Disability Parking Only – Catherine Street Glebe

Nazar Badshah, Traffic Engineer



- █ Existing "No Stopping"
- █ Existing unrestricted parking
- █ Proposed "Disability Parking Only" Space



PROPOSAL

Catherine Street, Glebe
 Proposed Disability Parking Only Space



