## ITEM 38. PARKING – TIMED PARKING – BOURKE ROAD ALEXANDRIA

TRIM RECORD NO: 2017/644823

#### RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the allocation of parking on the southern side of Bourke Road, Alexandria between the points 30 metres and 220.5 metres (20 car spaces) west of Wyndham Street, as "2P 8am-8pm".

#### **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 Heffron		

#### **DECISION**

## **BACKGROUND**

In June 2017, businesses along Bourke Road, Alexandria submitted a petition with 69 signatures requesting consideration of timed parking in their street, to improve access to parking near their businesses and provide greater turnover of parking spaces for visitors.

#### **COMMENTS**

The kerb space on the southern side of Bourke Road, Alexandria is mostly unrestricted. On-site inspection shows there is a need to provide parking restrictions to increase turnover and availability for nearby stakeholders.

The proposed changes would limit any vehicle to two hours of parking from 8am to 8pm, seven days a week, where the signs are installed. This change would comply with City's Neighbourhood Parking Policy which recommends a two-hour parking limit for streets with commercial and retail uses as it prioritises parking controls that are consistent with the viability and efficient operation of local businesses.

## **CONSULTATION**

The City consulted the local community in the area. There were 29 letters sent out with one response supporting the proposal and no responses opposing the proposal.

The submission supporting the proposal noted that the changes would increase parking turnover and availability.

# **FINANCIAL**

Funds are available in the current budget.

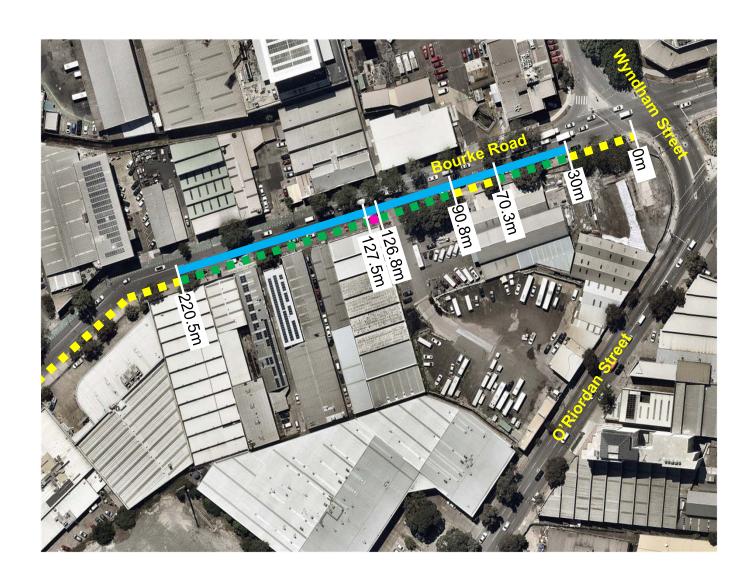
Parking – Timed Parking – Bourke Road Alexandria

Eoin Cunningham, Senior Traffic Engineer

# **Proposal**



Bourke Road, Alexandria Proposed Parking Changes



Source: Nearmap - Thursday 19 October 2017

# **Existing**

"No Stopping"

■ ■ Unrestricted

■ ■ "1P 8:30am-6pm Mon-Fri"

## **Proposed**



"2P 8am-8pm"

