

**Item 25.****Parking - No Parking - Garden Street, Alexandria**

TRIM Container No.: 2018/431487

**Recommendations**

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the western side of Garden Street, Alexandria between the points 10 metres and 33.1 meters (four car spaces) south of Central Avenue, as “No Police, TMC Authorised Emergency Vehicles Excepted”.

**Voting Members for this Item**

<b>Voting Members</b>	<b>Support</b>	<b>Object</b>
City of Sydney	[Insert]	[Insert]
Roads and Maritime Services	[Insert]	[Insert]
NSW Police – Redfern PAC	[Insert]	[Insert]
Representative for the Member for Newtown	[Insert]	[Insert]

**Decision**

Decisions will be updated after the meeting.

**Background**

Transport for New South Wales (TfNSW) has requested consideration of “No Police, TMC Authorised Emergency Vehicles Excepted” outside the Traffic Management Centre (TMC) building in Garden Street, Alexandria to facilitate pick-up and drop-off operations at the site, and accommodate emergency visitor parking for organisations operating from the TMC building.

**Comments**

The kerb space on the western side of Garden Street, Alexandria, south of Central Avenue and fronting the Transport Management Centre (TMC), is currently signposted as “No Stopping, Police, RTA Vehicles Excepted”.

Transport for New South Wales (TfNSW) has requested the inclusion of TMC Authorised Emergency Vehicles as part of the excepted vehicles. It is proposed to retain the existing Police exception as the High Visibility Police Response Motorcycle Team operate from the control centre as well.

It is also proposed to change the existing “No Stopping” restriction to “No Parking” to facilitate pick-up and drop-off operations at the site.

TMC will also install similar signs on Central Avenue (a private road) including a 5min parking space to facilitate pick-up and drop-off operations.

**Consultation**

The City notified local residents and businesses in the area.

**Financial**

Funds are available in the current budget.

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