

Item 52.**Parking - Timed Ticket Disability Parking - Harris Street, Pyrmont****TRIM Container No.:** 2019/322285**Recommendations**

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the western side of Harris Street, Pyrmont, between the points 10 metres and 16.7 metres (one disability car space) north of John Street as "1P Ticket Disability Parking 8am-6pm Mon-Fri 8am-1pm Sat and Sun" and "1/4P Free 2P Ticket All Other Times Authorised Permit Holders Excepted Area 20".

Voting Members for this Item

Voting Members	Support	Object
City of Sydney	[Insert]	[Insert]
Transport for NSW	[Insert]	[Insert]
NSW Police – Sydney City PAC	[Insert]	[Insert]
Representative for the Member for Sydney	[Insert]	[Insert]

Advice

Advice will be updated after the meeting.

Background

The Star City Medical Centre has requested consideration for a timed disability parking space to improve access to parking for patients with a Mobility Parking Scheme permit.

Comments

Harris Street, between Harvey and John Streets, is two way with a carriageway width of about 12.2 metres. The road and footpath grades in this section of Harris Street is relatively flat near John Street.

The kerb space on the western side of Harris Street is currently signposted as "1/4P Free 2P Ticket Authorised Permit Holders Excepted Area 20".

The Australian Standard for on-street disability parking (AS 2890.5 – 1993) requires the provision of a 3.2 metre wide by 6.7 metre long bay.

A 6.7 metre long bay is proposed and with consideration for the width of existing parking lane in Harris Street, a 3.2 metre wide bay can be accommodated within the carriageway.

A kerb ramp will be installed in the footpath widening at the end of the proposed disability parking space.

To ensure a turnover of parking for patients visiting the Star City Medical Centre, it is proposed to signpost the disability parking space as "1P Ticket Disability Parking 8am-6pm Mon-Fri 8am-1pm Sat and Sun". Drivers will be required to display a valid Mobility Parking Scheme permit and ticket in order to park in the proposed disability parking space for up to an hour. An additional parking meter will be installed adjacent to the proposed disability parking space and tickets for disability parking will be issued free of charge.

Outside of the disability parking times, parking will be restricted as "1/4P Free 2P Ticket All Other Times Authorised Permit Holders Excepted Area 20".

Consultation

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 204 letters sent out with one submission supporting the proposal and one submission opposing the proposal due to the location of the proposed disability parking space.

Financial

Funds are available in the current budget.

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