Item 3.

Street Events - Temporary Road Closure - Kensington Street, Chippendale

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Recommendations

- (A) It is recommended that the Committee endorse the temporary road closure of Kensington Street, Chippendale between Outram Street and Dwyer Street, for a regular event from 11 am to midnight, on every Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 11 June 2020 to 26 June 2021, subject to the following conditions as stipulated in Schedule A of this agenda.
- (B) The Applicant must contact the Sydney City PAC 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 must contact the City's Health and Building about food distribution.
- (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.

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 Newtown	[Insert]	[Insert]

Advice

Advice will be updated after the meeting.

Background

Kensington Street Holdings has applied for the temporary road closure of Kensington Street, Chippendale, between Outram and Dwyer Streets, for a regular event from 11 am to midnight, on every Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 11 June 2020 to 26 June 2021.

Comments

The proposed new event requires the temporary closure of City streets and traffic detours around the event route.

Kensington Street (known as 'Eat Street') have requested the City approve the temporary closure of the street to vehicles so that businesses could safely provide adequate space for outdoor dining.

Even though Kensington Street is currently a Shared Zone, a temporary road closure would remove any conflicts between vehicles and pedestrians during the busy afternoon and evening periods and improve safety. Loading and unloading of deliveries will be restricted to the mornings until 11am on the day of closures

A road closure in Kensington Street has occurred previously.

Temporary Road Closures – from 11 am to midnight, on every Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 11 June 2020 to 26 June 2021

Kensington Street, Chippendale between Outram and Dwyer Streets.

There are currently no other approved temporary road closures proposed to take place on the same day in this area. The City has not received any traffic related complaints about temporary road closures in Kensington Street on previous years.

Consultation

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

Financial

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

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