

Item 30.**Other Authorities - Street Event - Temporary Footpath Closure - ANZAC Day 2021 - Cumberland and Gloucester Streets, The Rocks**

TRIM Container No.: 2021/155457

Recommendations

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the temporary footpath closure of Cumberland and Gloucester Streets, The Rocks, and detour of pedestrian access for ANZAC Day 2021 on Sunday, 25 April 2021, from 7am to 12am.

Voting Members for this Item

Voting Members	Support	Object
Place Management NSW	[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 Australian Hotel has applied for the temporary footpath closure of Cumberland and Gloucester Streets, The Rocks, and detour of pedestrian access for ANZAC Day 2021 on Sunday, 25 April 2021, from 7am to 12am.

In 2017, 2018 and 2019 The Australian Hotel has submitted for a Special Event Clearway and a temporary lane closure of the southbound lane on Cumberland Street for Anzac Day and increased trade which comes particularly from the activities and parade in the CBD. Due

to health restrictions, The Australian Hotel is only applying for a footpath closure of eastern side footpath of Cumberland St north from the YHA to the pedestrian crossing near SHB access, which is approximately 85 metres.

PMNSW is requesting the LPCTCC endorsement to close the Cumberland St eastern side footpath area from 0700 until 00:00 on Sunday 25th April 2021

The Rocks hotels and restaurants have been put forward as the initial priority focus to extended trading to meet objectives by State Government for jobs creation and the economy recovery.

Location - Cumberland St between Essex St and Gloucester St at the pedestrian crossing, The Rocks

Dates proposed - Sunday 25 April 2021

Times proposed - 07:00 until 00:00 Sunday 25 April 2021 (17 Hours)

The Hotel will trade for breakfast from 07:00, alcohol served from 08:00 until 00:00

2 x Traffic Controllers on site from 0630 until 00:30

1 x Traffic Controller Supervisor from 06:30 until 00:30.

Comments

The proposed eastern side footpath closures for the Australian Hotel, is to provide greater opportunity for Anzac Day trade, as well as ensuring the hotel meets its liquor licencing requirements, social distancing, increased patronage and active public space in a period when small business operators in the area are experiencing significant financial impact due to the COVID pandemic. This provides opportunities for existing business operators to expand their offerings and pursue opportunities through NSW Government assets, which contributes to the broader NSW economic recovery efforts.

The proposal will not impact vehicle operations of the weekend Rocks Markets traffic movements or conditions and the surrounding road network for the period of operations.

Consultation

Place Management NSW has consulted and notified adjacent properties, business and stakeholder of the intention to implement the temporary change.

Enquiries and feedback directed to the Director, Partnerships, Activation and Customer Experience at Place Management NSW.

PMNSW continue to work closely and consult with NSW Police, TfNSW, CSTTC, and City of Sydney on activities such as these.

Financial

All costs associated with the parking spaces, signs, traffic controllers, Rangers, road barriers and accessible ramps has and will be borne by PMNSW.

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