Item 49.

Car Share - Mount Street, Pyrmont

TRIM Container No.:   2021/410509

Recommendations

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the reallocation of parking on the western side of Mount Street, Pyrmont between the points 14 metres and 19 metres (one car space) north of Miller Street as "No Parking Authorised Car Share Vehicles Excepted Bay 60".

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 City is committed to providing dedicated parking for car sharing across the Local Government Area as part of a Council approved Car Share Policy. A submission has been received from GoGet for a car share space in Mount Street, Pyrmont north of Miller Street.

Comments

The kerb space on the western side of Mount Street, Pyrmont north of Miller Street, is currently signposted as "2PTicket Permit Holders Excepted Area 20".

The car share space will be installed and managed in accordance with the Roads and Maritime Service's Technical Direction 2018/001 and the provisions of the Council-approved Car Share Policy.

Car sharing is popular in more than 600 cities worldwide, and research has shown substantial environmental benefits. Car sharing reduces total urban driving, reduces household vehicle holdings, and increases walking, cycling and public transport use.

On average, each car share vehicle in the City can replace up to 12 private vehicles that would otherwise compete for parking.

Consultation

The City consulted local residents and businesses in the area. There were 513 letters sent out with no responses supporting the proposal and seven responses opposing the proposal due to loss of a ticket permit parking space.

Financial

All costs associated with the Car Share space installation will be borne by the Applicant.

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