

**Item 14.****Mobile Crane - Temporary Road Closure - Bridge Street, Erskineville**

TRIM Container No.: 2022/015573

**Recommendations**

It is recommended that the Committee endorse the temporary road closure of Bridge Street, Erskineville, between Swanson Street and Ashmore Street, (three lanes), from midnight on Thursday 17 March 2022 to midnight Monday 21 March 2022, 24 hours continuous, subject to the following conditions:

- (A) The Applicant must comply with the temporary road closure conditions as mentioned in Schedule B of this agenda.
- (B) The Applicant must comply with any other conditions imposed by City's Construction Regulation Unit.
- (C) The Applicant must comply with any other conditions imposed by the City's Greening & Leisure Unit.
- (D) The temporary road closure is subject to the approval of the Construction Traffic Management Plan by TfNSW.
- (E) The Applicant has indicated the 22 March 2022 as a contingency date.
- (F) The Applicant must contact the South Sydney PAC to discuss deployment of user pay police for the road closure.
- (G) The Applicant must obtain written endorsement from the Principal and P & C at Erskineville Public School the regarding the temporary road closure.
- (H) The Applicant must provide a telephone number of the supervisor responsible for the proposed closure and include contact details in the notification letters to be distributed to affected stakeholders.

**Voting Members for this Item**

| <b>Voting Members</b> | <b>Support</b> | <b>Object</b> |
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| Transport for NSW     | [Insert]       | [Insert]      |

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| NSW Police – South Sydney PAC             | [Insert] | [Insert] |
| Representative for the Member for Heffron | [Insert] | [Insert] |

## Advice

Advice will be updated after the meeting.

## Background

Laing O'Rourke Australia Construction has applied for the temporary road closure of Bridge Street, Erskineville, between Swanson Street and Ashmore Street, (three lanes), from midnight on Thursday 17 March 2022 to midnight Monday 21 March 2022, 24 hours.

## Comments

The proposed temporary road closure is required to allow a mobile crane to be used for the installation of a new footbridge at Erskineville Station.

The mobile crane cannot physically fit through the existing nearby narrow street network to get to the site therefore it will need to turn off Erskineville Road into the Bridge Street Park Reserve and then south into the closed road adjacent to the Erskineville Public School to get to the site.

It is noted that the closure will occur within Term 1 of school, as this is the next available possession where both locals and mains track power will be isolated.

As part of the engagement the Applicant will be speaking to the Principal and to the P&C at Erskineville Public School about the road closure. The road set up and crane arrival will be after school pick up on the Thursday. Pedestrian access will only be along Bridge Street on Friday to allow parents to still walk to drop off in the nearby streets. Vehicle access will remain at the entrance of the School in Malcolm Street.

The Applicant has provided a site-specific Traffic Control Plan that includes details of barricades, signs, flagmen and other traffic devices to implement the proposed road closure.

There are currently no other approved temporary road closures proposed to take place on the same day in this area.

The temporary road closure will not affect any other properties, as local access will be provided at all times and alternative access routes are available nearby.

A Traffic Management Plan (TMP) for the temporary road closure was approved by Transport for NSW (TFNSW).

**Consultation**

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

**Financial**

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

**CLAUDIA CALABRO, TRAFFIC WORKS COORDINATOR**