

MINUTES

of the **Bayside Traffic Committee**
held in the Rockdale Town Hall, Pindari Room
Level 1, 448 Princes Highway, Rockdale
on **Wednesday 2 October 2019** at **9:23 am**

Present

Councillor Ed McDougall (Convenor),
Sergeant Sandra Dodd, St George Police Area Command Traffic,
Constable Alexander Weissel, South Sydney Police Area Command Senior,
Acting Sergeant Traffic Supervisor Corinne Dawes, Eastern Beaches Police Area Command
Les Crompton, representing State Member for Kogarah,
George Perivolarellis, representing State Members for Rockdale and Heffron,

Also present

Maritza Abra, Acting Manager City Infrastructure, Bayside Council,
Lyn Moore, NSW Pedestrian Council,
Colin Drever, St George Bicycle User Group,
Rabih Bekdache, Transit Systems,
Glen McKeachie, Coordinator Regulations, Bayside Council,
David Carroll, Senior Parking Patrol Officer, Bayside Council,
Malik Almuhanha, Acting Coordinator Traffic and Road Safety, Bayside Council,
Robbie Allen, Transport Planner, Bayside Council,
Colin Mable, Executive Engineer, Bayside Council, (Item BTC19.180, Construction of
Galloway Street, Mascot)
Kylie Gale, Coordinator Events, (Item BTC19.184, New Year's Eve 2019 – Fireworks
Display)
Pat Hill, Traffic Committee Administrative Officer, Bayside Council,

The Convenor opened the meeting in the Rockdale Town Hall, Pindari Room at 9:23 am and affirmed that Bayside Council respects the traditional custodians of the land, elders past, present and emerging, on which this meeting takes place, and acknowledges the Gadigal and Bidjigal Clans of the Eora Nation.

1 Apologies

The following apologies were received:

James Suprain, representing Roads and Maritime Services,
Agasteena Patel, Coordinator Traffic & Road Safety, Bayside Council.

2 Disclosures of Interest

There were no disclosures of interest.

3 Minutes of Previous Meetings

BTC19.173 Minutes of the Bayside Traffic Committee Meeting - 4 September 2019

Committee Recommendation

That the Minutes of the Bayside Traffic Committee meeting held on 4 September 2019 be confirmed as a true record of proceedings.

4 Reports

BTC19.174 Bay Street and Daniel Street, Botany - Upgrade of the intersection under Safer Local Government Roads program funded by Roads and Maritime Services

Committee Recommendation

- 1 That raised median islands be constructed on both approaches in Daniel Street, with appropriate signage and linemarking.
- 2 That the existing islands in Bay Street be changed, as per the attached design, to create a safer transition through the intersection.
- 3 That the associated signs and lines be installed in Bay Street and Daniel Street and redundant signs and line-marking be removed.

BTC19.175 Beaconsfield Street between Queen Victoria Street and Seaforth Street, Bexley - Proposed Traffic Calming Scheme

Committee Recommendation

- 1 That the proposed traffic calming scheme in Beaconsfield Street, between Queen Victoria Street and Seaforth Street, Bexley, be approved, subject to funding availability.
- 2 That a detailed design be submitted to Bayside Traffic Committee for endorsement in future.

BTC19.176 Bidjigal Road, Arncliffe - Proposed 'Works Zone' for 13 weeks for Bonar Street Stormwater drainage upgrade works

Committee Recommendation

- 1 That the approval be given for the installation of 40m of 'Works Zone, 7 am – 6 pm, Mon – Fri' restriction along the southern and western kerb line at the end of

Bidjigal Road, Arncliffe for the duration of 13 weeks, starting from 4 November, 2019 subject to relevant conditions.

- 2 That the residents be informed via letter box drop about the temporary changes to parking restrictions in the area by the Project team.

BTC19.177 Caledonian Street between Queen Victoria Street and Dunmore Street North, Bexley - Proposed Traffic Calming Scheme

Committee Recommendation

- 1 That the proposed traffic calming scheme in Caledonian Street, between Queen Victoria Street and Dunmore Street North, Bexley, be supported, subject to funding availability.
- 2 That a detailed design be submitted to Bayside Traffic Committee for endorsement in future.

BTC19.178 Chant Avenue between Towner Gardens and Monash Gardens, Pagewood - Proposed 'No Parking' along the northern kerbline

Committee Recommendation

That approval be given to the installation of 87m 'No Parking' restriction along the northern kerbline of Chant Avenue between Towner Gardens and Monash Gardens, Pagewood.

BTC19.179 Fraser Avenue and Boonah Avenue, Eastgardens - Resident Parking Scheme

Committee Recommendation

That the existing traffic and parking conditions be retained in Fraser Avenue and Boonah Avenue, Eastgardens.

The table below was included as a request by the Convenor.

	Phase 1 Consultation May 2019	Phase 2 Consultation Aug 2019
FOR Resident Parking Scheme	20	16
AGAINST Resident Parking Scheme	6	28
Retain existing conditions	6	26
One way Street	9	NA (not considered by Council due to lack of support in the first consultation)
Total responses out of 90 households consulted	35	44

In Phase 2 Consultation when the residents were informed of the eligibility criteria, the majority of residents opposed the introduction of a resident parking scheme in the area considering they would be worse-off on account of the proposal. This is because timed parking restrictions will be introduced and residents will not be eligible for parking permits.

Residents were further asked about their preference for parking restrictions if the resident parking scheme was not implemented. The majority preferred that existing conditions be retained.

Given the lack of support from residents (17% of households in favour) for the proposal, it is recommended that existing conditions be retained.

BTC19.180 Construction of Galloway Street, Mascot

Committee Recommendation

- 1 That the Traffic Committee note the status of the construction of Galloway Street.
- 2 That the Traffic Committee endorse the implementation of signage in Galloway Street to maintain a Two Way traffic flow in Galloway Street with a short section of 40m as One Way section (westbound direction) close to Bourke Street end.
- 3 That this arrangement be reviewed once the final section of Galloway Street at Bourke Street is constructed and a full 2 Way Street can be implemented for this new road.

BTC19.181 Kimpton Street, Banksia number 22 - Proposed '1P 8:30 am - 6 pm'

Committee Recommendation

That approval be given for the installation of 6m '1P 8:30 am - 6:00 pm' parking restrictions outside 22 Kimpton Street, Banksia.

BTC19.182 Lord Street, outside Rockdale Public School, Rockdale - Proposed new driveway and parking rearrangement**Committee Recommendation**

- 1 That the existing '*No Parking, 8:30 am – 9:30 am, and 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm, School days*' restriction be reduced in length by 5m along the southern kerb line of Lord Street between Cameron Street and George Street, Rockdale, along the frontage of Rockdale Public School.
- 2 That the new driveway be signposted with 'No Parking' restriction to allow pick up and drop off activities.
- 3 That the existing '*Bus Zone, 8:30 am – 9:30 am, and 2:30 pm - 4 pm, School days*' restriction be retained.

BTC19.183 Margate Street Local Area Traffic Management Study**Committee Recommendation**

- 1 That the results of the Margate Street Local Area Traffic Management Study be received and noted.
- 2 That the highest priority traffic facilities (1-4) are consulted upon with the broader community following detail design, planned for the financial year 2020/2021.
- 3 That the outcomes of the community engagement and resulting designs are brought back to the Bayside Traffic Committee for consideration. Noting that any implementation budget is to be drawn from the balance of funding associated with the Voluntary Planning Agreement for the Darrell Lea Site in Margate Street and Clarkes Road.

BTC19.184 New Year's Eve 2019 - Fireworks Display - Traffic Management Plan and Traffic Control Plan**Committee Recommendation**

- 1 That the committee note and endorse the report.
- 2 That all relevant agencies not present at the meeting be notified.

BTC19.185 13-15 Rye Avenue, Bexley - Proposed Works Zone**Committee Recommendation**

That the approval be given to the installation of a 21m of 'Works Zone, 7 am – 6:30 pm, Mon – Fri - and 8 am – 3:30 pm Sat' restriction outside 13-15 Rye Avenue, North of Stoney Creek Road, for the duration of 17 weeks, subject to relevant conditions.

BTC19.186 10-12 Sarah Street, Mascot - Proposed works zone

Committee Recommendation

That the approval be given to the installation of 19m of 'Works Zone, 7 am – 6:30 pm, Mon – Fri - and 8 am – 3:30 pm Sat' restriction along the southern side fronting number 10-12 Sarah Street, for the duration of 19 weeks, subject to relevant conditions.

BTC19.187 Referrals from Anti-Hooning Taskforce

Committee Recommendation

The Anti-Hooning Taskforce has not referred any matters for consideration of the Bayside Traffic Committee.

BTC19.188 Matters referred to the Bayside Traffic Committee by the Chair

Committee Recommendation

There were no items raised.

BTC19.189 General Business

The representative for Member for Kogarah raised the following item.

Subject: That Council liaises with Georges River Council and the RMS to consider whether Croydon Road can be reduced to 50km/h zone in the context of children's safety given that there are a number of schools in the area.

The Convenor closed the meeting at 10.03am.