

MINUTES

Traffic Committee Meeting 2 February 2021

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MINUTES OF WOLLONDILLY SHIRE COUNCIL TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 62-64 MENANGLE STREET, PICTON NSW 2571 ON TUESDAY, 2 FEBRUARY 2021 AT 14:00

IN ATTENDANCE (Boardroom): Mayor Robert Khan, Cr Noel Lowry, Mike Nelson, Norma Toweel Tiarne Tippett as Minute Taker (WSC)

IN ATTENDANCE (Microsoft Teams): Aman Bhangu (TfNSW), Chris Moule (Picton Busline), Steve Grady(Busways), Mick Tanner (NSW Police), Cr Matthew Deeth (WSC), Choong Yam (WSC)

Apologies: Blair Briggs, Judy Hannan

1 REPORTS

1.1 REQUEST FOR "NO PARKING (EMERGENCY VEHICLES EXCEPTED)" R5-41-4 TRAFFIC ZONE ON WESTERN SIDE OF MARSH RD, SILVERDALE ADJACENT TO THE FRONTAGE OF SILVERDALE RFS STATION.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve the installation of 45m of "No Parking – Emergency vehicles excepted traffic zone (R5-41-4)" on the western side of Marsh Rd, Silverdale adjacent to the frontage of the Silverdale RFS Station.

UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTED.

1.2 PROPOSED "NO STOPPING" (R5-400) TRAFFIC ZONE ON ESTONIAN RD (SOUTH SIDE), THIRLMERE IN FRONT OF TAARA GARDENS RETIREMENT VILLAGE - #25 ESTONIAN RD, THIRLMERE.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve the implementation of No Stopping Zones (R5-400) of 130m in length on Estonian Road (south side), Thirlmere in front of Taara Gardens Retirement Village, #25 Estonian Road, Thirlmere.

Comment:

Council's Traffic Engineer met with Management onsite at Taara Gardens. It was agreed that Road side parking was a safety concern and that it appeared that staff were parking on the road to be able to access the office on the site. Management will advise staff to park on the grounds where possible. Taara Gardens have plans to construct additional parking within the property subject to future funding approval.

UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTED.

1.3 PROPOSED "NO PARKING" (R5-40) ZONE ON WELLERS RD (NORTHERN SIDE) AND WEST OF GREAT SOUTHERN RD, BARGO

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve the implementation of 60m of a No Parking Zone (R5-40) after the statutory 10m No Stopping zone (R5-400) on Wellers Rd (northern side) from Great Southern Rd intersection adjacent to Kalinya Estate - 60 Great Southern Rd, Bargo.

Comment:

Due to the recent size expansion of the wedding venue, it is causing an increase to park along the road. 'No Parking Zone' will promote overall safety.

UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTED.

1.4 MENANGLE RD - PROPOSED 15M OF "NO STOPPING" (R5-400) TRAFFIC ZONE AT THE FRONTAGE OF #131 MENANGLE RD, MENANGLE - ST JAMES ANGLICAN CHURCH

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve the implementation of 15m of a "No Stopping" Zone (R5-400) on the eastern side of Menangle Road at 131 Menangle Road, Menangle.

UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTED

1.5 PROPOSED STOP SIGN (R1-1) ON DENFIELD LANE AT INTERSECTION WITH EMMETT ST AND LEWIS LANE, TAHMOOR

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve the installation of Stop sign (R1-1) and associate TF hold line on Denfield Lane at Emmett Street, Tahmoor.

UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTED

2 GENERAL BUSINESS

2.1 IMPLEMENTATION OF DETOUR ROUTES FOR MENANGLE ST, PICTON - NO RIGHT TURN AT ARGYLE ST INTERSECTION VIA COLDEN ST AND MARGARET ST

Council is working with TfNSW to implement the previously endorsed 'No Right Turn' at the intersection of Menangle St and Argyle St and associated signage on the detour route via Colden and Margaret St. TfNSW will be installing a right turn lane on Menangle St at the Colden St intersection. Councill will be assisting by providing a letterbox drop to affected residents. Works are scheduled to be completed by the end of February 2021. Chris from Picton Buslines requested for the provision of a Bus Zone in Colden St. Council's Traffic Engineer has advised that this has been included in the line marking and signage plans.

2.2 REQUEST FOR POLICE TO PATROL LOCAL ROAD IN TAHMOOR FOR DANGEROUS ROAD BEHAVIOURS

Mayor Khan has advised that he has received several complaints from residents about dangerous road behaviours in Tahmoor. Mayor Khan requested the police to patrol the area and the Police have agreed to do so.

2.3 PICTON BYPASS Q & A SESSION- 1 FEBRUARY VIA FACEBOOK LIVE

It was noted at the recent Q & A session that a resident had requested a speed reduction on Menangle Street to 50kph from the 80kpm zone at Matthews Lane coming into Picton.

Aman from TfNSW has advised she would look into this.

2.4 OVERUSE OF ROAD SIGNS ON OUR ROADS

Cr Lowry has raised the issue of the over use of signage on our roadsides. Particularly around schools, parking areas and towns. Cr Lowry open conversation for further discussion.

2.5 BUS ROUTE 22 THROUGH MENANGLE TO DOUGLAS PARK

Cr Deeth has asked as to why Picton Buslines Route 22 passes through Menangle to Douglas Park from Camden High School, but doesn't stop at Menangle.

Chris from Picton Buslines advised it was not a Picton Busline Service and to contact Busabout for further information.

The Meeting closed at 2:37pm.

Mayor Robert Khan
CHAIRPERSON