

**8. COLWYN STREET/AORANGI SCHOOL
– PARKING SPACE FOR HOLDERS OF MOBILITY CARDS & TAXIS ONLY**

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Board's approval to install a mobility parking restriction in front of the Aorangi Primary School in Colwyn Street. (see **attachment**)

BACKGROUND

The Principal of the Aorangi Primary School has requested that a designated parking space be provided in front of the school to drop off and pick up students with disabilities. Parking on the school grounds is used by staff and trade vehicles only and the entrance gate is closed at school times. Therefore, the need for no stopping lines at the entrance to the school car park is no longer necessary as parents and students do not have access to the school grounds through this entranceway.

CONCLUSION

There is a high demand for parking in front of the school during the morning start and afternoon finish times and the provision of a separate parking facility for holders of mobility cards and taxis in this area will provide students with disabilities better access to the school's main entrance.

The Parking Manager supports the installation of a parking space for "holders of mobility cards and Taxis only for restricted times", at this location.

Staff

Recommendation: That the following parking restriction changes be approved:

1. That the "no stopping of vehicles" on the south side of Colwyn Street commencing at a point 182 metres from its intersection with Aorangi Road and extending in an easterly direction for a distance of 24 metres be revoked.
2. That the parking of vehicles be restricted to 'Holders of mobility cards and Taxis only' between the hours of 8.30 to 9.30 am and 2.30 to 3.30 pm Monday to Friday, on the south side of Colwyn Street commencing at a point 232.5 metres from its intersection with Aorangi Road and extending in an easterly direction for a distance of 6.5 metres.

Chairman's

Recommendation: That the foregoing recommendations be adopted.