

7. APOLLO AND MAIN NORTH ROAD – PROPOSED NO STOPPING RESTRICTION

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek the Board's approval for the installation of two sections of broken yellow no stopping lines on the corner of Main North Road and Apollo Place (refer attached).

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. The Council has received complaints from residents of Apollo Place regarding safety and access problems both entering and exiting Apollo Place. Concerns have been raised about the presence of vehicles parked on both sides of Apollo Place at its intersection with Main North Road.
3. Currently there are no restrictions or controls present at the Main North Road and Apollo Place intersection. The area is residential but the presence of the Mall makes flow along Main North Road constant and heavy.
4. Apollo Place is located near Northlands Mall and residents believe staff are using the road for all day parking. At the time of inspection (1 pm) cars were parked on both sides of the street up to the intersection resulting in safety, access and visibility problems.
5. The installation of broken yellow no stopping lines is considered the most cost effective and practical solution to the problem.
6. Consultation has been carried out with the two property owners affected by the proposed action and they both support it.

FINANCIAL AND LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

Cost

7. Cost is minimal and provided for in the operational budget.

Legal Considerations

8. Land Transport Rule, Road User 2004 provides for this.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the Board approve that the stopping of vehicles be prohibited at anytime on:

- (a) The south side of Main North Road, commencing from its intersection with Apollo Place and extending in a northerly direction for 12 metres.
- (b) The south side of Main North Road, commencing from its intersection with Apollo Place and extending in a southerly direction for 15 metres.
- (c) The north side of Apollo Place, commencing from its intersection with Main North Road and extending in a southerly direction for 15 metres.
- (d) The south side of Apollo Place, commencing from its intersection with Main North Road and extending in a southerly direction for 20 metres.

CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATION

That the staff recommendations be adopted.