

8. RUTHERFORD STREET – PARKING RESTRICTION

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The purpose of this report is to gain Board approval for the installation of a parking restriction on Rutherford Street.

On the east side of Rutherford Street south of Garlands Road is an industrial estate. There are some large vehicles that make deliveries to this area and problems are being experienced accessing properties.

Wilson's Chemicals have a large truck and trailer delivering chemicals twice a week that is unable to access the widened drive without using all of the carriageway. A request has been received that parking be restricted opposite their property.

This restriction will remove three parking spaces. The medical practice on the west side of the road has been consulted about the problem and the restriction. They have off street parking and other parking is available in the area but would require patients to walk about 50 metres.

The parking restriction will eliminate the problem of access to Wilson's Chemicals and also any possible conflicts with the truck unit and parked vehicles.

Recommendation: That parking of vehicles be prohibited on the west side of Rutherford Street commencing at a point 46 metres from Garlands Road and extending in a southerly direction for a distance of 17.5 metres

Chairman's Recommendation: That the officer's recommendation be adopted.