

10. WARRINGTON STREET – PARKING RESTRICTION AT SHOPS

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Boards approval for the installation of 30-minute time limit parking restriction fronting the Dairy, Hairdresser and Takeaway shops on the northern side of the Warrington Street - Barbadoes Street intersection.

The shopkeepers at this location have problems with a few vehicles parking long term and associated traffic issues. The dairy shopkeepers have requested a time limit parking zone be formed for the length of three car-parking spaces in front of three of the shops.

A P30 restriction is appropriate in this instance because it ensures that vehicles will be parked for a relatively short time but the time would also be long enough for most clients of the hairdressers. The spaces would be available for long term parking after hours. Off-street parking is available across the road for those clients requiring a longer stay and there is also the option of parking around the corner in Flockton Street. There are broken yellow no-stopping lines from the Flockton Street intersection to the point where the restricted zone would commence. Installation of the parking restriction may improve the sight distance for drivers turning out of Flockton Street.

All of these shop tenants and the owner of the adjoining second-hand shop have been approached and they are in agreement with the proposed parking restriction.

As Warrington Street is classified a Minor Arterial road, the Board's recommendation will be referred to the Council for resolution.

Recommendation: That the parking of vehicles be restricted to a maximum period of 30 minutes on the north side of Warrington Street commencing at a point 21 metres west from its intersection with Flockton Street and extending in a westerly direction for a distance of 19 metres.

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