6. COLOMBO STREET - P15 PARKING RESTRICTION

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Boards recommendation to the City Services Committee that a P15 Parking Restriction be installed on Colombo Street outside the Cashmere New Life Church at the corner of Malcolm Avenue.

A request has been received from the shops on the opposite side of the road to provide short-term restricted parking for south-bound motorists. Recently the Council provided a parking bay outside the Church to restore parking that was lost due to the pedestrian crossing replacement with pedestrian islands along Colombo Street.

The concern that has been raised is that long-term parkers are using the parking bay. Vehicles are being left while the drivers commute to the City by bus. This was not the intention of providing the parking bay.

The time has come to address this concern by restricting this parking bay to 15 minutes. This will match the existing parking restriction that exists outside the shops. It is also proposed to extend the existing P15 on the shops side of Colombo Street by one space to the end of the existing bus stop.

The Cashmere New Life Church supports this proposal.

Recommendation: That the Board recommend to the City Services Committee:

- 1. That the parking of vehicles be restricted to a maximum period of 15 minutes on the eastern side of Colombo Street commencing at a point 12 metres from its intersection with Malcolm Avenue and extending in a northerly direction for a distance of 32 metres.
- 2. That the parking of vehicles be restricted to a maximum period of 15 minutes on the western side of Colombo Street commencing at a point 28 metres from its intersection with Malcolm Avenue and extending in a northerly direction for a distance of 10 metres.