

## 7. SPARKS ROAD – P5 PARKING RESTRICTION AND TAXI STAND

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Corporate Plan Output: Street Markings and Signs 9.6.9	

The purpose of this report is to seek the Board's approval to install a P5 Parking Restriction and Taxi Stand on Sparks Road outside the Hoon Hay Primary School for drop off and pick up purposes (see attached plan).

The Principal of Hoon Hay Primary School has requested the provision of short term parking on Sparks Road outside the school. He has expressed concern at the lack of short-term parking to allow for dropping off and picking up of students at school times. The school has also requested an exclusive area for taxis to drop off and pick up pupils with disabilities who attend the school. Sparks Road is designated a minor arterial road which carries an average of 12,000 vehicles per day past the school.

The Parking Unit is agreeable to the installation of a P5 Parking Restriction and Taxi Stand in this area.

- Recommendation:**
1. That the parking of vehicles be restricted to a maximum period of 5 minutes between the hours of 8.30 am to 9.30 am and 2.30 pm to 3.30 pm, Monday to Friday, on the north side of Sparks Road commencing at a point 163.5 metres from its intersection with Rydal Street and extending in a southerly direction for a distance of 34 metres.
  2. That a Taxi Stand be created between the hours of 8.30 am to 9.30 am and 2.30 pm to 3.30 pm, Monday to Friday, on the north side of Sparks Road commencing at a point 61 metres from its intersection with Rydal Street and extending in a southerly direction for a distance of 11.5 metres.

**Chairman's Recommendation:** That the officer's report be adopted.