

MINUTES OF THE SHOALHAVEN TRAFFIC COMMITTEE

Meeting Date: Tuesday, 13 September 2022
Location: Manyana Meeting Room, City Administrative Centre, Bridge Road, Nowra
Time: 9:35am

The following members were present:

Convenor David Pieresko - Senior Civil Engineer
Clr Patricia White
Ms Nicole Brodie - TfNSW
Mr Ankhith Bhangale - TfNSW
Mr Stuart Coughlan (Representing the Hon Gareth Ward MP)
Ms Lynne Arnold (Representing the Hon Shelley Hancock MP) – Via Email
Sgt Kelly Thomas – NSW Police
Sgt Simon Pugh – NSW Police
Ms Simone King – Premier Motor Service (Remotely)
Mr Ryleigh Bowman - Design Engineer
Mr Craig Exton – Manager of Technical Services

Apologies / Leave of Absence

Nil

Confirmation of the Minutes

RESOLVED (By consent)

That the Minutes of the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee held on Tuesday 09 August 2022 be confirmed.

CARRIED

Business Arising from Previous Minutes

Nil

REPORTS OF THE CONVENOR

TC22.36 Parking Restrictions - Osborne Street - Nowra - PN(3717)

HPERM Ref:
D22/366711

Recommendation

That:

1. The Chief Executive Officer (Director City Services) be advised that the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee has no objection to the proposed parking restrictions at Osborne Street, Nowra as per Plan No D22/366728.
2. The recommendation be approved by the Director City Services under delegated authority from Shoalhaven City Council - refer MIN21.411

RECOMMENDATION (By consent)

That:

1. The Chief Executive Officer (Director City Services) be advised that the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee has no objection to the proposed parking restrictions at Osborne Street, Nowra as per Plan No D22/366728 with the following amendment, to Implement 'No Stopping 8am - 9:30am, 2:30pm - 4pm, School Days', restricting parking outside of peak school crossing periods (Time Restricted Option).
2. The recommendation be approved by the Director City Services under delegated authority from Shoalhaven City Council - refer MIN21.411

CARRIED

Note: This Recommendation was approved by the Director City Services 23 September 2022

TC22.37 Signage and Linemarking Plan - Lot 1 DP 1135906 - 5 Cashman Road - Ulladulla (PN 3718)

HPERM Ref:
D22/369500

Recommendation

That:

1. The Chief Executive Officer (Director City Services) be advised that the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee has no objection to the proposed signage and line marking related to the subdivision at Lot 1 DP 1135906, 5 Cashman Road, Ulladulla (per development consent condition 28), as per Plan No. D22/369613.
2. The recommendation be approved by the Director City Services under delegated authority from Shoalhaven City Council - refer MIN21.411

RECOMMENDATION (By consent)

That:

1. The Chief Executive Officer (Director City Services) be advised that the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee has no objection to the proposed signage and line marking related to the subdivision at Lot 1 DP 1135906, 5 Cashman Road, Ulladulla (per development consent condition 28), as per Plan No. D22/369613.
2. The recommendation be approved by the Director City Services under delegated authority from Shoalhaven City Council - refer MIN21.411

CARRIED

Note: This Recommendation was approved by the Director City Services 23 September 2022

**TC22.38 Linemarking Adjustments - Princes Highway Service
Road - South Nowra - PN (3719)**

**HPERM Ref:
D22/378208**

Recommendation

That:

1. The Chief Executive Officer (Director City Services) be advised that the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee has no objection to the proposed linemarking adjustments on Princes Highway Service Road (South Nowra), adjacent to the Bunnings entry, as per Plan No D22/378494.
2. The recommendation be approved by the Director City Services under delegated authority from Shoalhaven City Council - refer MIN21.411

RECOMMENDATION (By consent)

That:

1. The Chief Executive Officer (Director City Services) be advised that the Shoalhaven Traffic Committee has no objection to the proposed linemarking adjustments on Princes Highway Service Road (South Nowra), adjacent to the Bunnings entry, as per Plan No D22/378494.
2. The recommendation be approved by the Director City Services under delegated authority from Shoalhaven City Council - refer MIN21.411

CARRIED

Note: This Recommendation was approved by the Director City Services 23 September 2022

GENERAL BUSINESS

Bomaderry - Princes Highway South Bound

- Sgt Kelly Thomas noted that the 70km speed limit signs on the approach to Bomaderry should be increased in size for visibility.
- Ms Nicole Brodie – TfNSW – confirmed that the 'B' size signs will be changed to 'C' size signs.
- Sgt Simon Pugh also noted that the South bound lane is of concern to Police because of the large vehicle traffic combined with people exiting the aged care facility into traffic.

Linemarking, Stop Signs and Potholes

- Sgt Kelly Thomas noted that, with linemarking is wearing out, and stop signs set too far back from intersections, it is difficult to enforce some stop signs. Examples include Hyam Street, Worrigea Road, Greenwell Pt Rd and Isa Road intersections.
- Mr David Pieresko – Senior Engineer – advised that these would be reported to the relevant District Engineer for their attention and for NSW Police to continue to report these to Council for remediation.

Buses Zones & New Subdivisions

- Sgt Kelly Thomas advised that Police had received complaints from residents about buses in new subdivisions, that nature and median strips are being damaged by buses manoeuvring.
- Ms Simone King - Premier Motor Service – advised that they are happy to receive any feedback about bus routes, and that bus companies are required to follow guidelines under contracts.
- Ms Simone King - Premier Motor Service – on behalf of bus operators, enquired whether it is possible to review the Bus zone on Mattes Way, Bomaderry, as there is currently some conflict with the No Stopping and Bus zone for the River College.
- Ms Nicole Brodie – TfNSW - Confirmed that the bus zone is currently within the no stopping zone. TfNSW will make it a priority to include “Buses excepted 1 minute” signage.

RBT Zone in South Nowra Truck Bay

- Sgt Kelly Thomas advised that Police use the southern end of truck bay in South Nowra for RBT, but there is currently no ‘Buses and Emergency vehicles only zone’ signage.
- Ms Nicole Brodie – TfNSW – will refer this matter to Mark Wolstenholme for liaison between TfNSW, Premier Motor Service, and NSW Police.

Princes Highway, Corks Lane Milton Speed Limit

- Ms Nicole Brodie – TfNSW – advised that TfNSW has previously consulted Police and Council regarding changing the existing speed limit on Corks Lane in Milton. TfNSW will forward a new proposal extending the 50km/hr zone to Police and the relevant Council staff for further consultation.

Agars Lane Berry

- Cllr Patricia White advised that, due to the overflowing of Coomonderry Swamp, drivers are hazardously stopping on Agars Ln in Berry (an 80km/hr zone), to get wildlife off the road.
- Ms Nicole Brodie – TfNSW – advised the best solution to this would be to submit a request for a temporary speed reduction, as well as a request for “Wildlife” signage, to Council.

Other

- Sgt Kelly Thomas requested copies of temporary speed zone changes be provided by Council to assist with Police enforcement of temporary speed limits.
- An Extra Ordinary Meeting will need to be held as soon as possible to discuss Traffic Management Plan for Aboriginal Knockout event.
- The upcoming Elite Energy events which are held in Huskisson and Callala later in the year will also require Traffic Management plans.

There being no further business, the meeting concluded, the time being 10:24am.

David Pieresko
CONVENOR