# POLICY TITLE: A-FRAMES, OTHER ADVERTISING STRUCTURES AND DISPLAY GOODS FOR SALE

### POLICY NUMBER: MS.11

Division:	Planning and Environmental Services	
Program:	Monitoring Services	
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This Policy has been approved by Council at CM 32/94, Item WP.16.

This Policy was amended by Council at CM 07/07 Item MS 8.

### POLICY OBJECTIVES

- 1. The aim of this policy is to permit the display of A-frames, other advertising boards and goods for sale on footways.
- 2. The use of licensed area should not cause inconvenience or disruption to pedestrian circulation, adjoining businesses or nearby residential areas.

### CRITERIA ASSOCIATED WITH THE POLICY

- 1. Local Government Act, 1993
- 2. Roads Act 1993
- 3. Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
- 4. Austroads Guide to Road Design Part 6A: Pedestrian and Cyclist Paths

### POLICY STATEMENT

Council will facilitate, through the implementation of this policy the licensing (through an application process) of A-frames, other advertising boards and goods for sale on outdoor areas.

The trial on the prohibition of A-frames and the display of goods on the footpath within the Marrickville/Illawarra Road Shopping Centre will cease with the implementation of the new Public Domain Strategy.

#### **GUIDELINES AND CONDITIONS**

### Definitions

"**Council Land**" means that part of a public land that is designed for use by pedestrians such as footpaths, plazas and **Seating Platforms**.

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"Seating Platform" means a purpose built public area located adjacent to a footpath and designed specifically for outdoor seating.

"LEP" means the Marrickville Local Environmental Plan 2011

"Licence Agreement" means a licence granted by the Council for the occupation of Council Land pursuant to this policy

"Licensed Area" means the part of the Council Land used pursuant to a Licence Agreement.

### 1. Locations

(a) Premises within land that is zoned B1, B2, B4, B5, B6, B7, IN1 AND IN2, pursuant to the LEP may apply to occupy **Council Land** in accordance with this policy.

### 2. Licenced Area

- (a) The extent of any Licensed Area will be limited so as to ensure that adequate pedestrian movement is maintained.
- (b) All A-frames, other advertising boards and goods for sale approved for use by Council shall be kept wholly within the boundaries of the Licensed Area.

#### 3. Standard Licence Conditions

- (a) Council will only enter into a Licence Agreement where the premises is operating in accordance with the terms of any development consent, approval or similar thing that regulates the use of the business.
- (b) A Licence Agreement shall be in a form determined by Council at its discretion and shall incorporate such conditions as Council deems fit.

#### 4. Fees, Insurance and Legal Costs

- (a) All applications for a Licence Agreement must be supported by the required fees.
- (b) The Licensee will be required to effect adequate insurance over the Licensed Area.
- (c) The Licensee shall pay all Council's legal costs, stamp duty and any other costs associated with the preparation of the Licence Agreement.

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### 5. Compliance with Conditions of Licence

- (a) Licensees will be required to comply at all times with the conditions of a Licence Agreement. A failure to do so may result in Council taking action under the Licence Agreement or any applicable law and may result in termination of a Licence Agreement.
- (b) A licence will cease upon change of ownership or change of use of the premises. A new application is required for any change of ownership.

### 6. Dispute Resolution

In the event where the Council is made aware of a dispute, Council's decision will be final.