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Dear Sir/Madam

**Charlotte Street at Bland Street, Ashfield –
Proposed Kerb Blister Islands & New Kerb Ramps
Have Your Say**

Council is planning to improve safety by constructing new landscaped kerb blister islands and kerb ramps in Charlotte Street, Ashfield (at its intersection with Bland Street). The proposal aims to improve pedestrian and motorist safety by better defining the existing traffic and parking lanes through the provision of constructed landscaped islands which also provides safer refuge for pedestrians wishing to cross Charlotte Street.

The Plan

The following works are proposed and are illustrated on the attached plans:
Charlotte Street at Bland Street, Ashfield (Plan No. 10228):

- Construct 4 new landscape concrete kerb blister islands, 3 with integrated kerb ramps;
- Construct 5 new kerb ramps;
- Reconstruct surrounding footpaths adjacent to the new kerb ramps;
- Adjust the existing “Stop” linemarkings to improve motorist safety (as shown on the plans);
- Install any required signs associated with the works;
- Re-mark existing pavement markings where affected by the works

Please refer to the attached Consultation Plan (Plan No.10257) which illustrates the proposed works.

Parking Changes

This proposal **will not** result in the loss of any legal on-street parking spaces.

Please refer to the attached plan for details



Streetlighting

The existing lighting is deemed adequate and therefore there will be no changes to the existing street lighting due to the proposed works.

Have your say

Council welcomes feedback in relation to the proposal. Should you wish to provide any comments, please send the response by one of the following methods:

Email: council@innerwest.nsw.gov.au

Mail: Inner West Council, PO Box 14, Petersham NSW 2049

In person: Submit your written comments to the Customer Service team at the Leichhardt Service Centre, or any of the other service centres listed on the bottom of this letter.

By phone: call me on 8595 2447

Please ensure all correspondence is marked with Council's reference *Pierre Ayoub* to ensure your comments are received by the correct Council Officer.

The last day to comment is Wednesday 8 November 2023.

What happens next?

Council has not yet made any commitment to change the traffic and parking arrangements in the street. A report, together with the community's comments and this proposal, will be considered by Council's Local Traffic Committee at its meeting on 20 November 2023. The Committee will make recommendations for Council to consider at the Council meeting on 5 December 2023.

Council will notify everyone who provided comments of the final decision.

The LTC meeting agenda will be available to view on Council's website in the week before the meeting at www.innerwest.nsw.gov.au/council/meetings/committees/local-traffic-committee. Members of the public may register to speak at this meeting. If you wish to do so, please contact Council's Administration Assistant—Infrastructure Services on (02) 9392 5788 to advise of your attendance.

When is the work planned?

These works are expected to be undertaken during the 2023/2024 financial year, subject to the outcome of this community engagement, final approvals, and budget allocations. No firm construction date is yet available, and residents will be notified further before any work starts in the street.

Further information

For specific enquiries about this project please contact me on (02) 8595 2447 or alternatively email me your responses to pierre.ayoub@innerwest.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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