

18 November 2022

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Dear Sir/Madam

**The Terrace, Birchgrove-
Proposed Landscaped Kerb Extension & Road Works
Have Your Say**

Council is planning to improve the streetscape in The Terrace Birchgrove by formalising the existing kerb blister constructed from temporary materials by constructing a new landscaped and integrated kerb blister island. The proposal aims to improve pedestrian and motorist safety by better defining the existing traffic lane and parking arrangements in the street, providing a more accessible footpath and improve the visual amenity by providing additional landscaping.

The Plan

The following works are proposed and illustrated on the attached plans.

The Terrace, Birchgrove (Plan No. 10217):

- Replace existing four rumble bars and three flexi-bollards to kerb return by constructing new sandstone kerb and concrete gutter to create an integrated landscaped kerb return and connect to existing kerb & guttering with the stormwater pit, outside 6 The Terrace;
- Reconstruct existing low level asphalt footpath (outside No's 2, 4, 6 The Terrace) with new asphalt footpath to match new kerb levels;
- Resurface the existing asphalt road with new asphalt (where shown on plans);
- Re-install existing pavement line marking to match existing situation;
- Approximate 200m² of road resurfacing at the bent, entry to the Birchgrove Oval;
- All existing road signs still to remain unchanged, only one NO STOPPING pointed to the right is proposed, near the toilet block.

Parking changes

It is proposed to install one new "No Stopping" sign adjacent to the entrance to Birchgrove Oval to better delineate and reinforce the existing restriction that exists. This will not change existing parking arrangements in The Terrace and therefore the proposed works will not affect any existing on-street parking spaces.

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: mohammed.haque@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: Or call undersigned on 02 9392 5639

Please quote Council's reference Mohammed Haque in all correspondence to ensure your comments are received by the correct Council Officer.

The last day to comment is Friday 9 December 2022.

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 in February 2023. The Committee will make recommendations for Council to consider at its Council meeting in March 2023 (both dates still to be announced).

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) 9335 2213 to advise of your attendance. Please note that COVID restrictions may apply and limit personal attendance to the Traffic Committee (subject to restrictions in place).

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 9392 5639 or alternatively email me your responses to mohammed.haque@innerwest.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mohammed Haque'.

Mohammed Haque
Civil Engineer, Investigation and Design