

12.3 Local Traffic Committee Minutes - February Meeting 2019

REPORT BY THE EA TO DIRECTOR, OPERATIONS
TO 20 MARCH 2019 ORDINARY MEETING
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RECOMMENDATION

That Council:

1. receive the report by the EA to Director, Operations on the Local Traffic Committee Minutes - February Meeting;
2. approve the request for 3 hour parking restrictions to be implemented at the new carpark adjacent to the upcoming Gulgong Adventure playground pending detailed plan of signage location agreed to by the committee; and
3. accept the general business items and comments and that the recommendations be actioned accordingly.

Executive summary

The purpose of this report is to advise Council and seek support of the considerations and recommendations of the Local Traffic Committee (LTC).

Disclosure of Interest

Nil.

Detailed report

The Local Traffic Committee meeting was held 15 February 2019, one report relating to a traffic matter was considered by the committee:

- Parking restrictions Gulgong Skate Park

There were no events presented for consideration. Remaining items for discussion were included in general business during the meeting. The minutes and associated comments are included in the attachment to this report.

Community Plan implications

Theme	Connecting Our Region
Goal	High quality road network that is safe and efficient
Strategy	Provide traffic management solutions that promote safer local roads and minimise traffic congestion

EA TO DIRECTOR, OPERATIONS

DIRECTOR OPERATIONS

18 February 2019

Attachments: 1. LTC Minutes - February 2019.

APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION:

BRAD CAM
GENERAL MANAGER

Mid-Western Regional Council

Date: 15 February 2019

Minutes of the Local Traffic Committee

Held at the Operations Meeting Room, 54 Depot Rd, Mudgee
on 15 February 2019.

Present	Garry Hemsworth (MWRC), David Webster (MWRC), Cr Alex Karavas, Garry McGovern (NSW Police), Deanne Freeman (RMS)
Apologies	Phil Blackman
Secretary	Gemma Wilkins (MWRC)

The LTC meeting commenced at 9:43am.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

MOTION: Councillor Alex Karavas / David Webster

That the Minutes of the previous Local Traffic Committee held on 18 January 2019 be taken as read and confirmed.

- In reference to the TCP – speed signs should be road works speed.

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MATTERS IN PROGRESS

SUBJECT	RES NO. & DATE	RESOLUTION	ACTION
Mudgee Town Pedestrian Crossings	20 Jan LTC Meeting	Council conduct an audit on all crossings, place counts on Market and Church Street and provide a report to the committee with findings and suggestions for improvements	Consultant engaged to conduct the audit on all CBD crossings.
Disabled parking Kandos IGA	28 April 2017	RMS and Council to meet onsite and discuss viable options. Provide report to June meeting.	Submitted in Community Plan proposals for 2019/2020 Budget. Proposed to move the crossing closer to Angus. Design needs to consider getting up to the other side of the footpath and Council is proposing to place parking spot on opposite side of IGA where the gradient is more suitable.
Perry Street Parking Issues	15 June 2018	To monitor the parking issues that surround Mudgee High School	Perry Street to be monitored in the afternoon at the end of school. School returned so this can be undertaken. Additional line removed to be jet patched.
Events Night with the Roads and Maritime Services	August 2018		Set up a meeting with RMS, council internal departments.
Request for 'No Parking' sign	August 2018	Request for a 'No Parking' sign to be placed at the northern end of Ten Dollar hotel.	Investigation and consultation in progress
Request to review traffic flow of Gulgong CBD	November 2018	Request a review of the traffic management and parking within the Gulgong CBD	Details included in this agenda/ Correspondence.
Oporto Road and Lisbon Road Intersection	November 2018	Install 'No Stopping' signs supplemented by yellow line-marking on pavement on the east side of Oporto Road north of Lisbon Road to the driveway entry to Mudgee South Shopping Centre in consultation with business operators/residents nearby	Action completed- remove from March agenda.
AREC Debrief	November 2018	Solutions highlighted in the debrief documents to be included in the traffic control plans for 2019 event.	Council continues to liaise with AREC regarding the upcoming July 2019 event.

PAST EVENT DEBRIEF

EVENT	

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JANUARY 2019	DATE	Comments
Kandos/Rylstone Street Machine Festival	25-27 January 2019	Event approved by council under DA0037/2018 so therefore does not need to be approved by LTC.
FEBRUARY	DATE	Comments
MARCH	DATE	Comments
Charity Shield	2 March 2019	
MARCH	Date	Comments
CAN Cruisers		
APRIL	Date	Comments
ANZAC Day	25 April 2019	
MAY	Date	Comments
JUNE	Date	Comments
Henry Lawson Heritage Drive		
JULY	Date	Comments
Small Field Day Event		Debrief request by Police
AUGUST	Date	Comments
Mudgee Running Festival		
SEPTEMBER	Date	Comments
Flavours of Mudgee Rainbow Day Cudgegong Jump Club		
OCTOBER	DATE	Comments
Ride Against Cancer – Mudgee Lions Club Mudgee Triathlon Season		
NOVEMBER	DATE	Comments
Rylstone Street Feast		
DECEMBER	DATE	Comments

Red = Unapproved

Green = Approved

19/004 CAR PARKING - ROTARY PARK GULGONG

- Deanne queried what layout council was proposing. This detail not considered in the report.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approves the request for 3 hour parking restrictions to be implemented at the new carpark adjacent to the upcoming Gulgong Adventure playground pending detailed

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plan of signage location agreed to by committee.

MOTION: Councillor Alex Karavas / NSW Police

That the above recommendation be accepted and approved.

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19/005 GENERAL BUSINESS

OPORTO RD SPEED HUMPS

A resident along Oporto Road recently submitted a request to Council requesting installation of speed calming devices on Oporto Road. Council records show this request tends to come up every year, attachments of most recent request and last year correspondence has been included.

Year	Works request no.
2013	RD0539/2013
2014	RD0565/2014
2015	RD0213/2016
2017	RD1154/2017
2018	RD0240/2019 – current open request

- Oporto Road is a bus route, David doesn't recommend speed humps on a bus route, Council recommend police enforcing speed limits in their patrol.
- Deanne suggested line marking to make the road feel narrower. Garry agreed maybe an inclusion of on road cycle way can be investigated.
- Response letter to be forwarded to resident advising outcome.

ST MATTHEWS TRAFFIC FLOW

Concern raised by NSW Police regarding St Matthews's traffic flow. Request that the current arrangement be investigated. No attachments included. Angle parking before the bus bay opened up and made into a longer pull in bay.

- Main issues: traffic backing up over the intersection with Mortimer Street, route is a heavy vehicle route.
- Organise meeting onsite Prue Britt is now the safety around schools with Council, NSW Police and Principal to discuss options.

SALEYARDS LANE TRAFFIC CALMING DEVICE REQUEST

Council received a request to install traffic calming devices near the preschool on Saleyards Lane. Correspondence attached.

- Police confirmed speed limit posting of 50km zone continues for approximately 1km from Bell Street.
- David mentioned that a 16 lot development has been approved for northern side of Saleyards Lane so it will be more build up.
- Deanne will investigate speed zone for this

MOTION: Ms Deanne Freeman / NSW Police

The general business items comments and recommendations be accepted and actioned accordingly.

19/006 CORRESPONDENCE

PEDESTRIAN CROSSING FROM IGA KANDOS TO ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Resident submissions to Council have requested a pedestrian crossing be installed by IGA Kandos. This request has been submitted as a Community Plan Proposal in the current budget process.

DISABLED PARKING IGA KANDOS

An ongoing request to install a disabled parking space by the IGA in Kandos will be addressed in the Community Plan proposal for the pedestrian crossing in this year's budget process.

SPRING FLAT RD INTERSECTION WITH SPRING FLAT RD SOUTH

Resident complaint was received regarding the right of way at the subject intersection. Council are not proposing to make changes to current arrangement, however will look at doing some maintenance work including line marking to delineate the current traffic arrangement more clearly. Spring Flat Road Intersection photo attached.

- Council will refresh the line marking to enforce the straight through is the priority.

SPEED CALMING MEASURES FLEMING STREET BY KANDOS HIGH SCHOOL

Resident submissions to Council have requested a speed humps be installed by Kandos High School. There is an existing crossing that Council intend to modify with the crossing formed by a raised pavement. This request has been submitted as a Community Plan Proposal in the current budget process.

- Council to run by Prue Britt (RMS) for suggestions for improvement.

REPLACEMENT OF PARKING SIGNS AT PERRY STREET

Council rangers inspected parking signs on Dennison Street between Mudgee Public School and Mudgee High School. The old faded signs will be replaced with same signage that is currently in place under maintenance budgets.

- A works request will be raised to undertake the work.

GULGONG CBD TRAFFIC IMPROVEMENTS FOR RV AND BUSES

Council has received funding under the drought assistance program which will be used to implement improvements to the Gulgong CBD, primarily to improve access and parking for RV and buses. The most recent letter received from Gulgong Chamber of Commerce is attached.

- This item addressed first at 9:45am as Councils Ranger Kieran Norris in attendance to provide comment regarding this issue.
- Ranger issues out the front of IGA no parking zone used a lot. All the signs in Gulgong need replacement as infringement notices really wouldn't be enforceable due to sign fading. Once signage replaced Rangers would then be looking to monitor and enforce.
- Recommendation to replace 'no parking' to 'no stopping' signs in front of IGA Gulgong
Cr Karavas / Garry McGovern

MOTION: Chief Inspector NSW Police / Deanne Freeman

The general business items comments and recommendations be accepted and actioned accordingly.

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CLOSURE

Alex Karavas departed meeting at 10:10am.

There being no further business the meeting concluded at 10:30am.