

MILSON PRECINCT MEETING – MINUTES 10 September 2020.

On: THURSDAY, 10 September 2020 at 7.30 pm

VIA ZOOM due to COVID19

- **Introductions & - Nos: 11 AR; JR; A&RB; KT; PA; EW & TW; SG; VB; JC**
- **Apologies: T&FI, D&MK, TB, TD**
- **Last Meeting Minutes – 5 March 2020 Moved: VB Seconded: SG**
- **Matters arising:**

NSC response to our Precinct motions: NSC Summary of Actions Arising (SOA) 2020 since last meeting – March 2020. – Mostly COVID-19 Notifications!

Kirribilli High Pedestrian Activity Area 40km/h - Stage 2 -by 27 September 2020 - including raised Site 1 - Pedestrian Crossings at north west side of Clark Rd & McDougall St;
as well as Site 4 - southern side of Broughton St. at Willoughby St.
with Transport for NSW funding to be used by end Nov.2020

MOTION: Milson Precinct Supports the concept of a raised Pedestrian Crossing at Site 1, on Clark Road, at the north west side of McDougall St. but would request that NSC revisit the position, to ensure that our elder pedestrians are not endangered, by being too close to the roundabout.

Site 4 – crossing on Broughton, south of Willoughby is supported.

Site 18C on Broughton St, north of Kirribilli Ave is supported, if the narrowed road treatment does not impact on any loss of parking and or impede bus movements and bus waiting positions.

Site 20 on Fitzroy at Alfred St. - again the close proximity to the roundabout should be considered with regards pedestrian safety.

Also, Milson Precinct requests that any installation works to be done on Broughton St. be programmed during school holidays, or evenings, (like the latest item completed this week), As there is less traffic on the roads, because parents are dropping off and collecting children in these COVID-19 times.

Moved: TW Seconded: VB Voting For: UNANIMOUS

- 1. Draft Kirribilli Public Domain Masterplan by 1.11.20** - including street closures, new surfaces, public art etc. NSC online **Zoom info session at 6-7 pm Tues.15.9.20** – must register on <https://yoursay.northsydney.nsw.gov.au/Kirribilli-public-domain>

AR gave an overview of the proposed changes, both the initial and then permanent proposals; removal of several loading zones for 'greening' of the streetscape; removal of parking in Burton St. tunnel, and Burton St

closure from Broughton to Humphrey Place; pedestrianisation of Bligh St., revamp Milson Point Station on Ennis Road; widen Ennis Road to increase parking with angle parking.

It was suggested that people register for the information session, to then allow them time to walk around the spaces, to understand the proposed changes, appreciate any concerns, to be able to ask questions at the next precinct meeting.

MOTION: Milson Precinct requests that at our next zoom precinct meeting, that a representative from NSC, either Council's Director Engineering & Property Services or , Council's Project Manager to give a briefing on the proposed changes to the public domain, with some examples of the proposed finishes, and impacts on parking (including loading zones) and traffic flow.

Moved: JC Seconded: AR Voting For: UNANIMOUS

- 2. Woolworths DA370/18** 25 Broughton St. modify to extend hours from 6 am-11pm x 7days pw; that is one hour additional at each end of the day; as well as till 2 am on NYE / NYDay. Feedback by 10.9.2020

MOTION: Milson Precinct requests NSC ensure that Woolworths' trading hours are the same as other retail outlets within the village; to ensure equity for all retailers; ensuring that a 10 pm close on Sunday nights, as there are many shop top apartments located nearby; and any changes to the approved conditioned hours, should be trialed for 12 months.

Moved: TW Seconded: AR Voting For: UNANIMOUS

- 3. Loading Zone** outside 11-19 Broughton St. from 5am-7am – feedback due by 13.9.20

MOTION: Milson Precinct requests that the 'trial period' for this loading zone outside 11-19 Broughton Street should continue, until the impact of the draft Kirribilli Public Domain Masterplan is fully understood, which proposes to eliminate the loading zones, and be replaced with greening of the public domain.

Moved: JC Seconded: RB Voting For: UNANIMOUS

Updates on:

- 4. Jacaranda Time & extra provisions** by NSC

MOTION: Milson Precinct notes with pleasure, the proposed additional toilets and bins for 2020 season; we understand that the community's input was not included in the report to council and considered, which we hope will not happen in the future.

Moved: SG Seconded: JC Voting For: UNANIMOUS

5. Warringah Freeway upgrade investigations works – investigation works taking place, before approval has been given.

NOTED

6. **Sydney Harbour Bridge (SHB) works & impacts**

NOTED

7. **Zoning R3** - proposed changes within residential area

MOTION: Milson Precinct requests an update on the outcomes the R3 Zoning proposals within the LEP changes; we also request someone to attend a future zoom meeting of the precinct to brief the community on the impact of these changes to R3, with the locations of all the R3 zones within our area.

Moved: SG Seconded: JC Voting For: UNANIMOUS

8. **Precinct Review by NSC** - enlarging precinct areas

MOTION: Milson Precinct discussions about combining precincts with logistical issues of areas being too large to walk, distribute flyers, etc.; Milson Precinct would request that ward councillors find and approach residents in dormant precincts, to become active representatives of those precinct areas.

Moved: TW Seconded: JC Voting For: UNANIMOUS

9. **NSC Rates process** - if anyone is concerned that their rates have increased by more than the 7% - the cap promised by NSC, then please advise NSC of your displeasure at this extraordinary impost.

MOTION: Milson Precinct notes the State Government's and IPART's press release of 8/9/20, that rates will be capped at 2% for the next 12 months, due to Covid19. How will this be applied in North Sydney?

Moved: EW Seconded: RB Voting For: UNANIMOUS

10. **Loreto to re-commence** - fine excavation & building works

MOTION: Milson Precinct wishes to ask Loreto to consider the neighbours this Christmas time, and not have heavy noisy works be carried out between Christmas and New Year. We need the break too.

Moved: VB Seconded: JC Voting For: UNANIMOUS

11. **Pattons Slipway** - NS PP meeting PPSSNH-30 North Sydney - DA 313/2019 - 62 Willoughby Street, Kirribilli

Meeting DATE / TIME: **Wednesday 23 September, at 10 am**

Location: Public Teleconference – register to speak by 4 pm Monday 21 September, on 8217 2060 or via email enquiry@planningpanels.nsw.gov.au

MOTION: Milson Precinct supports their previous objections to the hardstand and crane, as it will obstruct views to Milson Park from Wrixton Park, impedes the interface of the water to the shoreline, with an increase in scale of operations on the small site. We request that many residents register to voice their opinions to the planning panel on 23.9.20

Moved: SG Seconded: VB Voting For: UNANIMOUS

12. Sub-Base Platypus update from SHFT - available in a few months' time.

Remember if you see any **Trips and Hazards** – forward to NSC directly on 9936 8100.

Give details of the nearest house number where the problem is or closest cross street, North, South, East or West of the road.

We have to be the eyes and ears of Council and ensure that our community and its spaces are taken care of.

Wear masks and stay safe in your own little bubble.

Meeting ended 9.25 pm.

NEXT Meeting: Via Zoom - Thursday 8 October 2020

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