West Pittwater Community Association

Representing the communities of McCarrs Creek, Elvina Bay, Lovett Bay, and Morning Bay

CHURCH POINT FRIENDS



September 24, 2014

Mark Ferguson General Manager, Pittwater Council P O Box 882 Mona Vale 1660

Dear Mark,





Re: Joint Letter Parking Demand Management

Thank you for your letter of August 14, 2014 responding to our joint letter of July 28. We look forward to jointly meeting with the consultant, Michael Lee of GTA on September 29.

It is vital that the Parking Demand Management Study distinguishes between the needs of visitors, businesses and residents, both onshore and offshore. In particular, the need of offshore residents to access their homes must be addressed as a specific problem.

The following measures have been discussed and given support by the Committees of each of the three resident Associations and Church Point Friends. We ask that the consultant be requested by Council to investigate implementing these measures for demand management of existing parking.

- i. Reserve parking to be limited in the evenings to Church Point Parking Permits, 6.00pm to 6.00am, seven days a week except for existing nominated 4-hour parking spaces. Pay & Display to continue in the rest of the Reserve car park, except in the evenings.
- ii. Parking to be free for Pittwater Parking Permits **weekdays only**, between the hours of 6.00am and 6.00pm, as there is ample space available during these hours. This will also have a beneficial flow-on effect for local businesses.
- iii. Church Point streets to be designated 4 hours, Pittwater Parking Permits exempt. This would limit visitors outside the Pittwater LGA from parking for extended periods and conversely, allow all Pittwater residents full time free parking
- iv. Research ways to encourage visitors, marina users, boat owners and holidaymakers to use alternate transport to Church Point.

This is an historic and significant *joint endorse*ment of the need to distinguish between visitors and residents, and specific strategies which could be trialled this summer with minimal cost. We look forward to also considering any additional strategies proposed by the consultant or others.

Yours sincerely,

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