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# Traffic, Speed Limit and Road Closure Hearings Panel

## *Ko Ngaa Taki Huarahi*

### OPEN MINUTES

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Minutes of a meeting of the Traffic, Speed Limit and Road Closure Hearings Panel held in Committee Room 1, Municipal Building, Garden Place, Hamilton on Tuesday 22 November 2022 at 9.30am.

#### PRESENT

**Chairperson** Cr Mark Donovan

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**Members** Cr Maxine van Oosten  
Cr Ewan Wilson  
Cr Anna Casey-Cox

**In Attendance** Cr Moko Tauariki  
Cr Melaina Huaki  
Robyn Denton – Network Operations Team Leader

**Governance Team** Arnold Andrews and Tyler Gaukrodger – Governance Advisors  
Chantel Jansen – Governance Officer

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**1. Apologies – *Tono aroha***

**Resolved:** (Cr Wilson/Cr van Oosten)

That the apologies for lateness from Deputy Mayor O’Leary and Cr Taylor, and partial apologies from Cr Hutt were accepted.

**2. Confirmation of Agenda – *Whakatau raarangi take***

**Resolved:** (Cr Wilson/Cr Casey-Cox)

That the Agenda is confirmed.

**3. Declarations of Interest – *Tauaakii whaipanga***

No members of the Council declared a Conflict of Interest.

**4. Parking Restrictions and Traffic Bylaw Changes**

The Network Operations Team Leader took the report as read, noting Council’s role as the local authority of road networks in Hamilton. She spoke to the role of the Traffic, Speed Limit and Road Closure Hearings Panel, the amendment to the report to provide additional mobility parking, and changes to the Traffic Bylaw 2021 map register. She responded to questions from Members concerning signage and access of mobility parking facilities.

**Resolved:** (Cr Wilson/Cr Donovan)

That the Traffic, Speed Limit and Road Closure Hearings Panel:

- a) receives the report;
- b) approves the changes to parking restrictions and controls as set out in the table below:

Location	Amendments to current restrictions
Caro Street	Provide Mobility Parking by: 1. temporary installation of 10m 'P60 Mobility At All Times' restriction at #260 Anglesea Street –Municipal Building – Caro Wing Carpark to accommodate repainting and tiling of the Municipal Building.

- c) approves the following changes to the Traffic Bylaw 2021 Register 7 – Heavy Traffic Prohibitions:
  - i. Rename Traffic Bylaw 2021 Register 7 – Heavy Vehicle Prohibitions: Part 5 –to “Hamilton City Heavy Vehicle Through Traffic and Over Dimensional Vehicles Routes”;
  - ii. Map Update Part 4 – Approved Stock Routes in Urban Areas (26.10.2022);
  - iii. Map update Part 5 – Hamilton City Heavy Vehicle Through Traffic and Over-Dimensional Routes (19.10.2022);
  - iv. Map update Part 6 – Weight Or Load Restrictions, B – Higher Productivity Motor Vehicles – Approved routes (26.10.2022); and
  - v. Map update Part 6 – Weight Or Load Restrictions, C – 50MAX Heavy Motor Vehicles (13.10.2022).

## 5. Temporary Road Closure Approvals for Events

The Network Operations Team Leader took the report as read, noting the ability of Council to temporarily close roads, requirements of Council to notify temporary and permanent road closures, and staff process to temporarily close roads. She responded to questions from Members concerning home owner access to their residences, previous Bryce street closures, length of road closures, and notification of road closures with stakeholders.

**Resolved:** (Cr Casey-Cox/Cr Wilson)

That the Traffic, Speed Limit and Road Closure Hearings Panel:

- a) receives the report;
- b) approves the closure of Worley Place Shared Zone to accommodate the ‘Lighting of the Xmas Tree’ event on 26 November 2022 between 2.00 pm to midnight;
- c) approves the closure of the following roads for the White Ferns vs Bangladesh cricket match on 17 December 2022:
  - i) Pre match closure between 11.00am and 6.00pm;
    - (1) Seddon Road from Norton Road to Somerset Street;
  - ii) Post-match closure between 6.00pm and 10.00pm;
    - (1) Seddon Road from Marama Street to Norton Road Roundabout;
    - (2) Norton Road from the roundabout to London Street;
    - (3) Tristram Street from London Street to Bryce Street;
    - (4) Bryce Street from Tristram Street to Seddon Road;
    - (5) Somerset Street from Devon Road to Seddon Road; and
- d) approves the Notice of Decision be issued stating Council’s decision for the Lighting of the Xmas Tree event on 26 November 2022 and the White Ferns vs Bangladesh match on 17 December 2022.

**The meeting was declared Closed at 9.49am.**