

# information bulletin

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## Nepean Highway, Carrum – Change to parking conditions

### Background

In March, Council consulted residents along Nepean Highway in Carrum after receiving concerns about high levels of parking and difficulty exiting driveways once the Level Crossing Removal Project (LXRP) works are completed in the middle of 2020.

Council sought feedback on the following proposals:

- Installation of '3P 8am-6pm' on the residential side of Nepean Highway in Carrum, between No. 655 and Eel Race Road.
- Installation of 'hockey stick' line markings 3m to the south of crossovers to improve sightlines for residents exiting driveways.

### Council Action

Community feedback showed strong support for both the installation of parking restrictions and the installation of hockey stick line markings.

As such, Council will be proceeding with the installation of the "3P 8am-6pm" (all days) parking restrictions and the hockey stick line markings. Both treatments will be installed at the completion of the LXRP works in Carrum.

Some residents were concerned about the proposed 3m set back of the hockey sticks and whether that will remove parking. Council will install these markings as far from the driveway as practically possible without removing any parking.

**Please Note:** Residents living adjacent or opposite the restricted parking areas would be eligible for a residential parking permit to allow them to park within the restricted area.

Council's Parking Management Policy allows for 2 residential parking permits per dwelling. The permits cost \$50 per year, with the fee waived for the first permit. Due to the current COVID-19 pandemic, Council has placed a hold on fees for residential parking permits until 30 September 2020.

According to Council's Parking Management Policy, all dual-occupancy and sub-divided lots granted planning advertisement after 28th of July 2015 are not eligible for residential parking permits. These developments are expected to have on-site parking as required under the Kingston Planning Scheme. To check your eligibility and apply for parking permits, please visit [kingston.vic.gov.au/parkingpermit](http://kingston.vic.gov.au/parkingpermit). Alternatively, you are also able to visit us at 1230 Nepean Highway to lodge your application.

### Further Information

For further information please contact Traffic Engineer Julian Birthisel on 1300 653 356.

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