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Road: George Street / Florence Street
Suburb: Hornsby
Location: At the entrance to Florence Street from George Street
File Ref: F2005/00838 - Traffic - George Street - Hornsby
F2004/09779 - Traffic - Florence Street - Hornsby

LTC No: 25/2023

Electorate: HORNSBY

Google Map: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/qJfj1t6gYqLfMZJcA>

Subject: Proposed Exception for Waste Service Vehicles to turn left from George Street into Florence Street

Date of Circulation: Tuesday, 10 October 2023

REFERRAL OF TRAFFIC MATTER FOR COMMENT OR OBJECTION, IF ANY

SUMMARY

This report details the traffic implications of proposed exception for Waste Service Vehicles to turn left from George Street into Florence Street.

SUBJECT

Council has received a safety concern from residents that Waste Service Vehicles have been observed to conduct reversing movements regularly along Hunter Lane to access 25-29 Hunter Street Hornsby (The Madison building).

Council undertook an investigation regarding this safety concern and confirmed that Waste Service Vehicles are from the **contractor** of The Madison building to conduct refuse pickup. The contractor expressed that existing signage at the entrance to Florence Street from George Street bans the left turn movement for all vehicles over 8.8 metres. There is no legal approach for their Waste Service Vehicles (over 8.8 metres) to access 25-29 Hunter Street Hornsby.

Council's Waste Service Vehicles were given exception for left turn into Florence Street from George Street in 2015, to service all **businesses** in Florence Street and Hunter Lane. There are no reported crashes or safety issues regarding Waste Service Vehicles into Florence Street from the year of implementation. Council is to propose an exception for **all** Waste Service Vehicles to turn left from George Street. This will provide a legal means for Waste Service Vehicles to serve **businesses and residential buildings** in general in future.

CONSULTATION

Public Consultation is not required since this proposal is to address an existing road safety issue. Council will inform businesses and residents in Hunter Lane and Florence Street about the outcome of the LTC after the implementation.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Plan of proposed left turn exception supplementary sign (1 page)

RECOMMENDATION THAT

1. A 'WASTE SERVICE VEHICLES EXCEPTED' supplementary sign is to be installed under existing 'NO LEFT TURN' sign. Existing supplementary sign 'VEHICLES UNDER 8.8m EXCEPTED' is to be retained.

Note for voting Local Traffic Committee members.

Under Transport for NSW 'Delegation of Functions to Regulate Traffic' (operation of local traffic committees) you are required to comment or indicate your acceptance or objection to the recommendation of this report.

Your response must be submitted in writing within 14 days of the date of this notice.

Please send your response via return email for the item, or email trafficbranch@hornsby.nsw.gov.au

For further information please contact Radek Zarzycki on 9847 6524.

Upon receipt of your comments the matter will be referred to Council for action.

Radek Zarzycki
Chairman



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Comments Close Date: Wednesday, 25 October 2023 at 5:00pm