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The Resident
Perth Avenue
EAST LINDFIELD NSW 2070

Dear Resident

Perth Avenue, East Lindfield - Proposed road edge line marking with guideposts and a painted island

Council is seeking your input on a proposal to install road edge line marking and guideposts on Perth Avenue, as shown on the **attached** Plans *PerthAve/TDA/108/25*.

Background

Council has received correspondence regarding a near-miss incident caused by a tree located in front of No. 4 Perth Avenue, which is partially encroaching into the eastbound travel lane.

Perth Avenue was recently resurfaced, with new kerb and gutter installed, and road widening undertaken in some sections. As a result, trees that were previously located near the road edge are now partially within the travel lanes due to the widening works. This condition poses a potential collision risk, particularly during night-time.

There is a tree located in front of No. 6 Perth Avenue on the same lane, approximately 20m away from the tree in front of No. 4. The tree in front of No. 4 is positioned closer to the intersection. Therefore, the available stopping sight distance is reduced, resulting in a higher risk of vehicle collision than the tree in front of No.6.

It was also identified that two additional trees encroaching into the travel lane in front of No. 19 Perth Avenue. The distance between No. 19 driveway and the nearest tree on the travel lane is approximately 4.8m which is insufficient for a standard vehicle space on street.

Proposed changes

To address these concerns, Council proposes to install edge line marking with retro-reflective raised pavement markers (RRPMs) and guideposts to direct traffic flow around the affected trees. This will improve driver visibility and awareness, particularly during night-time. Council also proposes to install a painted island in the space between the driveway of No. 19 and the adjacent tree to discourage parking in this area, as parked vehicles would restrict sightlines or encroach No. 19 driveway. Please refer to the attached Plan No. *PerthAve/TDA/108/25 – 1* and Plan No. *PerthAve/TDA/108/25 – 2*.

Submit your feedback

Before submitting this proposal to the Ku-ring-gai Traffic Committee, we want to hear from impacted residents. Your feedback will guide our decision-making process.

How to respond:

1. Take our brief survey using the QR code provided.
2. Or, send written comments to the address above.

Deadline: Please submit your feedback by Friday 7 November 2025.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me directly.

Yours faithfully

Michael Foscett
Team Leader Traffic