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Initial Initia

Dear Resident,

Shirley Road, Roseville - Proposed 'Bus Zone' restrictions in Shirley Road.

Council is seeking your input on the proposal to introduce 'Bus Zone' restrictions to the existing bus stop in front of No. 84 Shirley Road.

Background

The bus operators have raised concerns about illegal parking at the bus stop. This has made it difficult for buses to stop at the kerbside for commuters to safely enter or exit the Bus.

This bus stop provides full-time service for commuter bus routes 565 between Chatswood and Macquarie Park.

Site observations showed that vehicles are parking at the bus stop. This leaves no room for the bus to pull into the kerb at the bus stop, forcing it to stop in the middle of the road. This obstructs through traffic and endangers other road users.

Proposed changes

It is proposed that 'Bus Zone' restrictions be implemented at this location, as shown on the **attached** Plan No. *Shirley/TDA33/25*. This would prevent motorists from parking at the bus stop, ensuring availability of the kerbside area for buses to set down and pick up passengers. This measure will not result in the loss of any legal on-street parking spaces, as according to Australia Road Rule: 195 Stopping at or near a bus stop:

(1) A driver (except the driver of a public bus) must not stop at a bus stop, or on the road, within 20 metres before a sign on the road that indicates the bus stop, and 10 metres after the sign, unless the driver stops at a place on a length of road, or in an area, to which a parking control sign applies and the driver is permitted to stop at that place under these Rules."

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 or using the link <u>www.surveymonkey.com/r/srbuszone25</u> your browser.
- 2. Or, send written comments to the address above.

Deadline: Please submit your feedback by Friday, 2 May 2025.

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

Yours faithfully



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