

Proposed pedestrian safety measures – Anzac Parade, Maroubra

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Roads and Maritime Services is proposing new pedestrian safety measures on Anzac Parade, Maroubra, between Maroubra Road and Boyce Road. The proposal includes installing a pedestrian safety fence and restricting dangerous pedestrian movements, and will require a small reduction in street-level parking spaces. The changes aim to reduce the number of accidents involving pedestrians.

Proposed pedestrian safety fence and parking changes, Anzac Parade, Maroubra



Proposed changes

The proposed pedestrian safety fence will extend along the footpath for around 40 metres between existing bus zones on Anzac Parade's northbound carriageway, adjacent the Pacific Square shopping centre entrance (see yellow marking on the map).

The safety fence will discourage pedestrians crossing the road through fast-moving traffic. This practice is particularly dangerous when a pedestrian's view is obscured by waiting buses.

We are seeking community feedback by 5 August 2019.

To discourage jaywalking and improve pedestrian safety, Roads and Maritime Services also proposes to close pedestrian access to the northbound carriageway from the car park in the Anzac Parade median strip (see green markings on map). This will encourage pedestrians to use the signalised crossing at the intersection, which is a short distance away.

Improving pedestrian safety

The purpose of these changes is to improve pedestrian safety along this busy road. Pedestrians are often observed crossing Anzac Parade when traffic is moving quickly through this 60 km/h zone.

Between 2014 and 2018, there were five crashes involving pedestrians on Anzac Parade, in the direct vicinity of the proposed new safety measures.

Collisions involving cars and pedestrians were the most common type of serious traffic incident recorded along this stretch of road during that period. Most of these incidents occurred during daylight hours and on each occasion the weather was fine and the road surface was dry.

Changes to parking arrangements

The proposal will result in the loss of 11 existing half-hour parking spaces on Anzac Parade (see red marking on map).

We appreciate these spaces are important for businesses, however this represents only a small reduction in available parking spaces in the immediate area. There are around 550 timed and untimed parking spaces along Anzac Parade and in neighbouring streets.

We want to hear from you

We are seeking your input to identify new options to offset the loss of parking spaces. For example, shortening time limits on nearby timed parking spaces (e.g. from one-hour to ½ hour), which would give more people access to parking spaces over the course of the business day.

We also welcome ideas for how we might improve pedestrian safety on this busy, important section of Anzac Parade.

We will review all public submissions, reply to them and update the community in coming months.

How to give feedback

Contact the project manager, Ben Borger by email – benjamin.borger@rms.nsw.gov.au – or by telephone on 0429 127 648.

Please provide your feedback by **5 August 2019**.



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