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NORTH SYDNEY COUNCIL REPORTS

To the General Manager

SUBJECT: (5.3) Standing Item – Blues Point Road – Vehicle Noise & Traffic Issues

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DESCRIPTION/SUBJECT MATTER:

At the Traffic Committee meeting on 19 March 2021, it was recommended that the matter of vehicle noise and traffic issues in Blues Point Road, McMahons Point be kept as a standing item at the Traffic Committee meetings.

A report was considered at the Traffic Committee meeting on 5 February 2021 where it was recommended, and Council subsequently resolved at its meeting on 22 February 2021 (in-part):

- 1. THAT Council consults with the affected community with regard to the speed cushion traffic calming scheme for Blues Point Road between Princes Street and Blues Point Reserve as shown in the attached plans.
- **2. THAT** Council request police enforcement of excessive noise from vehicles, illegal parking and street racing as raised by local residents, particularly on Friday and Saturday evenings between 9pm and 4am.
- **3.** THAT Council request TfNSW install a speed camera in Blues Point Road between East Crescent Street and Blues Point Reserve.
- **4. THAT** the traffic calming proposal be included in any funding applications for the McMahons Point (Blues Point Road) Public Domain Upgrade Masterplan and vice versa.
- **6 THAT** the Committee give in principle approval for CCTV on Blues Point Road and report to next Traffic Committee on how these measures can proceed.

Update June 2021:

Community consultation on the traffic calming (Resolution 1) will commenced 4 May 2021 until 1 June 2021.

A submission was made via the Safer Roads NSW website for a speed camera on Blues Point Road.

Council staff are investigating temporary CCTV options for Blues Point Road and will provide a further report to the Traffic Committee in due course.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the updates concerning Standing Item - Blues Point Road – Vehicle Noise & Traffic Issues be received.