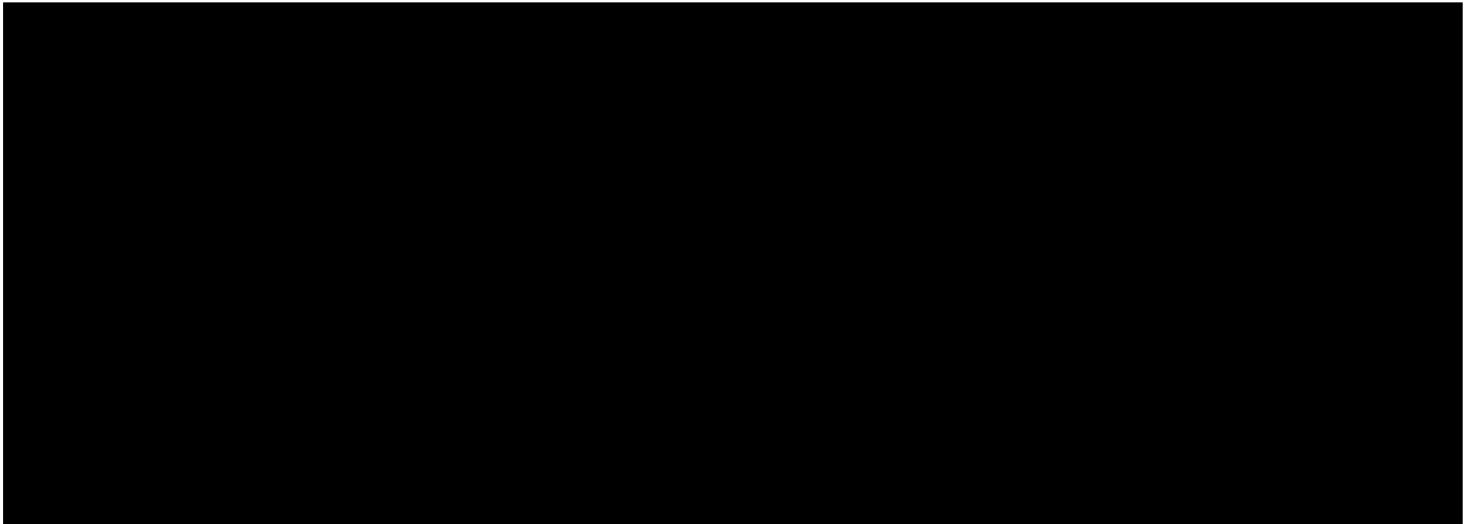




From: Vivien Lee [REDACTED]
Sent: 31 October 2018 17:25
To: Planning
Subject: Application Bluebird Cafe FG/159/18

Dear Sirs

I live at 46 Ocean Drive and the amount of traffic this summer has been quite extraordinary, at times because of double parking I have struggled to get out of my drive and the traffic is continuous and fast. Frequently our local bus cannot get through and just sits there sounding his horn to get people to move their vehicles heaven help us if an emergency vehicle is ever needed.

There have been crowds coming to this local beach and Pattersons Walk is a narrow footpath and at times you just have to wait to slot in to join the amount of people walking along there and with the increase in memorial benches everywhere movement is becoming restricted.

The Bluebird Café car park is always full up and people then have to try and exit and find somewhere else ie Ocean Drive etc to park, the car park itself is in a bad way and many deep potholes. This little local area is already oversubscribed now with tourists to the extent it is incredibly busy, so one wonders if increasing the people would eventually just end as a total snarl up blockage, not sure where the cycling would fit in as the towpath barely accommodates two people and as for the roads - just an inevitable accident waiting to happen. The side verges are of different sizes and levels and surfaces making it difficult to walk on them and often with trees etc there so most people just walk on the road which now is becoming quite impossible because of so much traffic and no room for both pedestrian and vehicles.

We are forced to pay for the upkeep of the road and with the amount of public now using it somehow I don't know how this can be fair particularly if we are to have no say in what will be a considerable increase in traffic in the small very busy area it has now become.

Mrs Lee

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