

ITEM 15

NOTICE OF MOTION - COUNCILLOR JOHN DORAHY - PEDESTRIAN CROSSING LIGHT AUTOMATIC SEQUENCING

Councillor John Dorahy has submitted the following Notice of Motion –

“I formally move that –

- 1 Wollongong City Council reconsider our residents by recognising the health factor associated with the highly contagious COVID-19 and Delta variant with implementation of Automatic Sequencing of Pedestrian Crossings in the CBD, with Council officers to bring a report to the October 5, 2021 Councillor Briefing to understand the opportunity to –
  - a Provide the number of Pedestrian Lights capable of Automatic Sequencing in the CBD
  - b Provide the number of current Pedestrian Lights active with Automatic Sequencing in the CBD
  - c Provide the proposed timing of installing Automatic Sequencing across the CBD.
- 2 The suggested CBD area include the boundary of Bridge Street/Springhill Road to Bourke Street, and Harbour Street to Mangerton Road.
- 3 A report to Council be provided by 1 November 2021, with a recommendation to proceed or not proceed with installation in the CBD.”

**Background provided by Councillor Dorahy:**

With the health of Wollongong residents, businesses and their employees as a priority in consideration of the COVID-19 and Delta variant, I hope Councillors recognise the need to counter these contagious touch points of Pedestrian Crossings particularly in the CBD and vote Yes to this motion in understanding the scope and outcomes available. Note - the reason for the CBD perimeter above is it being the most walkable area within close proximity to Crown Street.