
PROPOSED TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE IMPACT REPORT:

BROOKLYN FESTIVAL

1. Description of Event

The Brooklyn Festival has been an annual event for many years and is organised this year by the Brooklyn Festival 2007 Committee. The event includes stalls and entertainment and is a very well patronised event attended by locals and the broader Wellington community.

The street closure required as in previous years is for Cleveland Road between Ohiro road and Harrison Street on Saturday 24 November between 8.00am and 3.30pm. There will be a requirement to divert buses on the Kingston route only this is being arranged with the bus company as in the past.

Arrangements will be made with the fire department to handle their vehicles as has happened previously. Prior signage will be in place at least two weeks ahead of the activity.

2. City Events Support

This is an annual event organised by the local community and is supported by the City Events Team

3. Proposal Notice

The public notice that the Council was proposing to consider this closure was published in the following newspapers:

- Dominion Post 22nd September 2007

4. Objections

No objections were received in response to the proposal notice.

5. Traffic Impact Assessment

Prior Closures

None of the proposed closures for this event will result in a road being closed for an aggregate of more than 31 days in any year.

Traffic Impact

In the opinion of the Council's Traffic Engineer, the proposed closure, if implemented according to the plans provided, is not likely to impede traffic unreasonably. However, the Council reserves the right to modify this opinion at any time. If, in the opinion of the Council, the closure may or does impede traffic unreasonably, any approval granted by the Temporary Road Closures Subcommittee may be revoked and the event organiser may be required to open the road at the direction of a suitably qualified Council officer in charge of traffic.

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