

23 March 2017

Tinternvale Primary School
19 Tintern Avenue
RINGWOOD EAST VIC 3135

Dear Sir/Madam,

Tinternvale Primary School, Ringwood East – Parking Issues

I write to advise that recently Council have received complaints regarding parking issues near Tinternvale Primary School, Ringwood East. Maroondah City Council has a continuing commitment to improve road safety within the municipality and this commitment is reflected in our support of the Victorian Road Safety Strategy. This strategy is designed to keep Victoria at the forefront of Australian and international efforts to reduce road trauma, to deliver continuing improvements to the road transport system, and to improve safety for all Victorian road users.

The complaints refer to the gravel parking space on the East side of the Tinternvale Primary School. Upon investigation Council's Engineers noted that the parking adjacent Tinternvale Primary School has become very congested. Council's Engineers also note that although it is congested, the parking area is required to meet the needs of parents picking up children from the school.

To improve the operation of the car parking area and improve the interaction between pedestrians and vehicles Council's Engineers plan to install further No Stopping Signs in the carpark to allow more turning room for cars entering and exiting the carpark and address the issue of cars reversing down the main access aisle. It is proposed that the restrictions be installed along the School side of the carpark to prevent cars parking adjacent to the fence, and a parking bay at the South end of the carpark be removed to provide a dedicated turn around bay as shown in Figure 1.

Subject to feedback from Tinternvale Primary Schools, Council will seek to implement the changes following resident notification. Council also suggests that the proposed changes are outlined in your school newsletter.

If you have any questions regarding the above please contact Council's Technical Officer, Lachlan McGowan, on 9298 4454.

Yours sincerely



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Figure 1