

Phillips Street, Cabarita:

Proposed upgrades to infrastructure



Increasing on-street parking availability on Phillips Street near Jacaranda Drive through new parking bays.

Project background

We have listened to concerns from our community about the street trees on the southern side of Phillips Street. As a result, Council has been investigating improvements and revitalisation of the existing streetscape, in particular reviewing the existing street trees and their impact on surrounding infrastructure.

This work has included the engagement of an arborist to assess the existing street trees and the preparation of a design for proposed works in the area.

Proposed works

Proposed rectification of assets and tree protection

Council engaged an independent arborist to undertake a full assessment of the existing street trees along Phillips Street. The report found that all trees were significant and had a high retention value relating to a combination of social, amenity, environmental, heritage elements, as well as the effects of the urban heat island.

As a result, Council is proposing to reconfigure the parking spaces to incorporate tree protection measures. The proposed work will involve:

- Repair/replacement of the existing kerb and pavement
- The creation of new planter boxes for the existing street trees, tree root pruning and further protection measures including root guards to protect infrastructure from future growth

Proposed expansion of parking

We are proposing to create additional parking spaces along Phillips Street, Cabarita. The proposed work would involve:

- The creation of 8 additional parallel parking bays along the side of the golf course
- The removal of 2 existing parallel parking spaces between existing trees to accommodate tree roots
- The combination of these works will result in a total of 19 parking spaces.

Under current standards, it is not feasible to configure the proposed additional parking along the side of Massey Park golf course as angled parking.

New footpath

To improve pedestrian access, it is proposed to construct a new footpath alongside the new parking spaces.

Project timeline

	September 2022	Council receives arborist report on existing street trees
	October 2022	Council develops concept designs of parking bays
	December 2022	Community consultation regarding proposed works
	February/March 2023	Traffic Committee and Council meeting
	May 2023	Construction of angled parking on Barnstaple Road

Further information

For more information, please visit collaborate.canadabay.nsw.gov.au/phillipsstreet or contact our Traffic Engineer, Samuel Lindsay on 9911 6395 or council@canadabay.nsw.gov.au (subject: Phillips Street upgrades).