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**CURRENT PARKING AVAILABILITY**

**PORT MACQUARIE TOWN CENTRE**

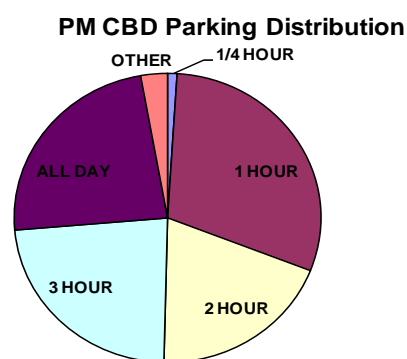
**Parking Supply**

Council's most recent parking survey was conducted on Thursday 9 August 2007 at 9am, 11am, 1pm and 3 pm. The results of this survey are that there are 2600 publicly available parking spaces in the CBD (on-street and in off-street public-access carparks, including Port Central).

Public access spaces:

Parking Time	Number of spaces	Percentage of overall availability
¼ hour	26	0.01%
1 hour	788	30%
2 hours	511	20%
3 hours	612	24%
All day	619	24%
Other including disabled access	74	2%

The graph below summarises this research;



### Parking Occupancy

The 2007 parking survey also assessed how many parking spaces were available at different times of the day.

Overall, the utilisation at different times during the day is;

Time of Day	Number of available spaces	Percentage of overall spaces being used
9am	896	66%
11am	473	82%
1pm	462	82%
3pm	811	69%

Average – 75% use of parking spaces across the day (650 available spaces)

The utilisation of *ALL-DAY* spaces is:

Time of Day	Number of available spaces	Percentage of overall spaces being used
9am	74	88%
11am	39	94%
1pm	44	93%
3pm	90	85%

Utilisation of *SHORT-TERM* parking is:

Time of Day	Number of available spaces	Percentage of overall spaces being used
9am	819	59%
11am	434	78%
1pm	418	79%
3pm	721	63%

### Currency of Survey

Given the survey was completed in 2007 and very few additional parking spaces have been created since, Council considers the 2007 survey is current. However Council is currently undertaking fresh counts to verify the currency of the data and to account for the larger study area. Further surveys may be required to confirm parking demands and occupancies during certain times of the day. Information from the fresh counts will be made available on Councils web site

[www.pmhc.nsw.gov.au](http://www.pmhc.nsw.gov.au) via fact sheet updates.



## **WAUCHOPE TOWN CENTRE**

### **Parking Supply & Occupancy**

Council's most recent parking surveys were conducted on August 2008 and June 2010.

The 2008 parking survey indicated 592 available public parking spaces. At the time of the count ( 11.30 am Thursday and 3.45 pm Wednesday) 292 (49%) and 281 (47%) spaces respectively were occupied.

### **Currency of Survey**

Given the survey was completed in 2008 and very few additional parking spaces have been created since, Council considers the 2008 survey is current. The 2010 survey data is currently being assessed to verify the currency of the data and to account for the larger study area. Further surveys may be required to confirm parking demands and occupancies during certain times of the day. Information from the fresh counts will be available on Council's web site [www.pmhc.nsw.gov.au](http://www.pmhc.nsw.gov.au) via fact sheet updates.

## **LAURIETON TOWN CENTRE**

### **Parking Supply & Occupancy**

Council's most recent parking surveys were conducted during April and July 2010.

The parking survey indicated 916 available public parking spaces. At the time of the count ( 11.00am Friday ) 549 (60%) spaces were occupied.

### **Currency of Survey**

Given the survey was completed in 2010 no additional parking spaces have been created since, Council considers the 2010 survey is current. Further surveys may be required to confirm parking demands and occupancies during certain times of the day.

## **NORTH HAVEN TOWN CENTRE**

### **Parking Supply & Occupancy**

Council's most recent parking surveys were conducted during April and July 2010.

The parking survey indicated 273 available public parking spaces. At the time of the count ( 11.00am Friday) 105 (38%) spaces were occupied.

### **Currency of Survey**

Given the survey was completed in 2010 no additional parking spaces have been created since, Council considers the 2010 survey is current. Further surveys may be required to confirm parking demands and occupancies during certain times of the day.

