



PROPOSED SHOP TOP HOUSING DEVELOPMENT

17-19 ANZAC AVENUE, COLLAROY

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1. INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared to accompany a Development Application (DA) to Northern Beaches Council for a proposed shop top housing development at 17-19 Anzac Avenue, Collaroy (Figures 1 and 2).

The proposed development site is located on the northern side of Anzac Avenue approximately 20m east of Pittwater Road. It has a total site area of 648.3m² with a frontage of 29.08m to Anzac Avenue.

Existing Site Development

The existing site development contains a disused retail building with a floor area of approximately 260m². The site is served by approximately 6 unmarked parking spaces that gain vehicular access via 6.6m wide combined entry/exit driveway off Anzac Avenue.

Proposed Development

The development proposal involves the demolition of the existing building and construction of a new shop top housing development comprising 2 small retail shops/cafes with a combined floor area of 75.8m² and 7 residential apartments as follows:

Retail

Retail 1	57.18m ²
Retail 2	18.62m ²
Total Retail	75.80m²

Residential

1 bedroom units	1
3 bedroom units	6
Total Units	7

The proposed development is served by a single level basement containing a total of 17 off-street car parking spaces comprising 13 resident spaces, 1 visitor and 3 retail tenant spaces. Of



that resident parking provision, 8 spaces will be located in 2 x dual width car stackers that will provide independent access to each parking space.

Vehicular access to the proposed development is off Anzac Avenue via a two-way 5.5m wide combined entry/exit driveway centrally located along the site frontage.

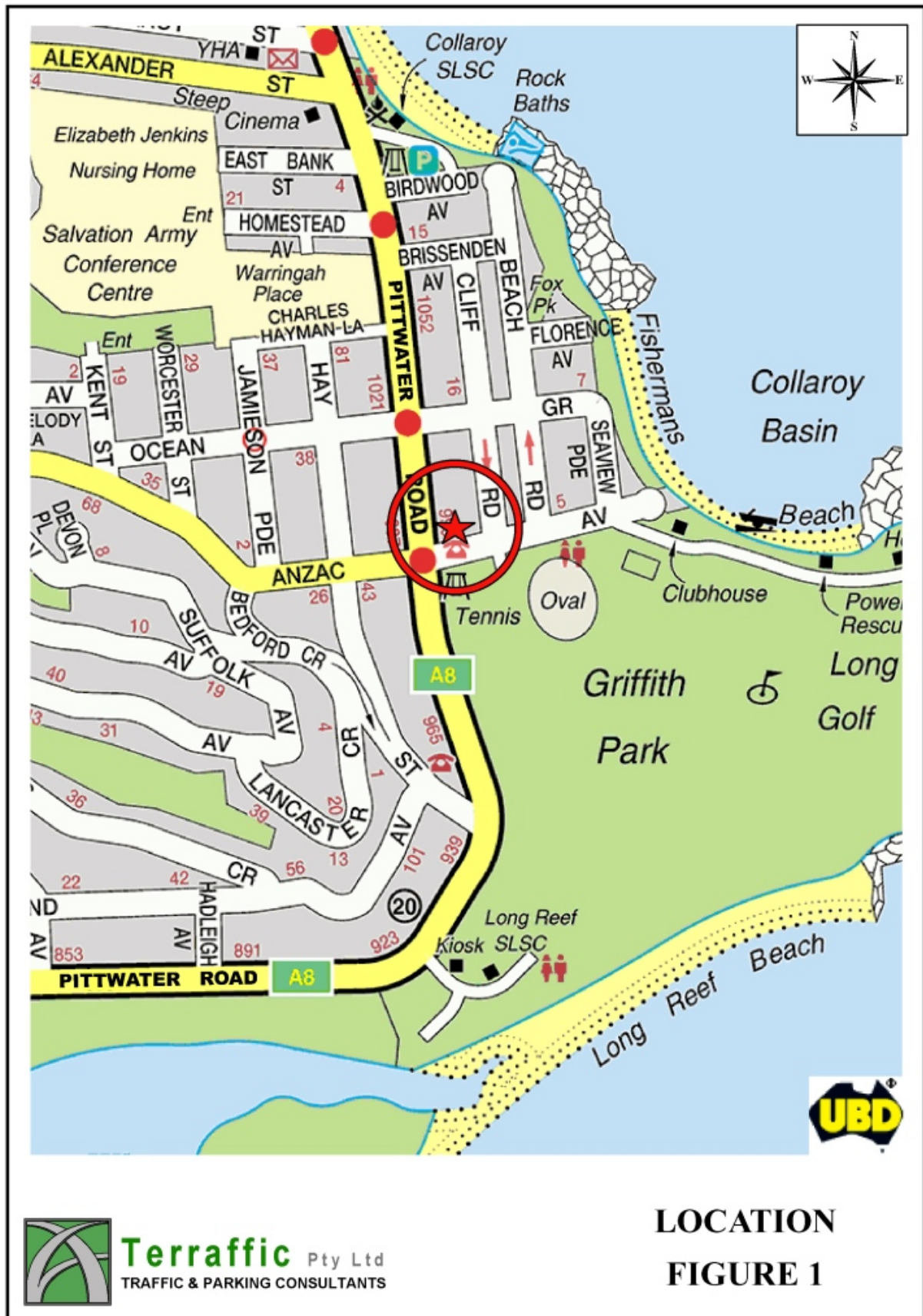
Public Transport Accessibility

The subject site has convenient access to the following bus services that stop on Pittwater Road at Anzac Avenue:

- Route E60** Mona Vale to Chatswood (Express Service) via Narrabeen, Dee Why, Beacon Hill, Frenchs Forest and Roseville (operates weekdays)
- Route E83** North Narrabeen to City Wynyard (Express Service) via Elanora Heights, Collaroy, Dee Why, Brookvale and Neutral Bay (operates weekdays)
- Route E85** Mona Vale to City Wynyard (Express Service) via Warriewood, Narrabeen, Collaroy, Dee Why, Brookvale and Neutral Bay (operates weekdays)
- Route 151** Mona Vale to City QVB via Narrabeen, Dee Why, Brookvale, Mosman, Neutral Bay and North Sydney Station (operates daily)
- Route 185** Mona Vale to Warringah Mall via Warriewood and Dee Why (operates daily)
- Route 188** Mona Vale to City Wynyard (Express Service) via Narrabeen, Dee Why, Brookvale, Mosman, Neutral Bay and North Sydney Station (operates daily)
- Route 199** Palm Beach to Manly Wharf via Avalon, Newport, Mona Vale, Narrabeen and Brookvale (operates daily)

Plans of the proposed basement carpark are reproduced in Appendix A.

The purpose of this report is to assess the traffic, servicing and parking implications of the proposed development.







2. PARKING ASSESSMENT

Existing Parking Conditions

The existing parking controls in the vicinity of the site are illustrated on Figure 3 and include:

- The AM and PM PEAK BUS LANES on Pittwater Road
- The 1 HOUR PARKING restrictions along the eastern side of Pittwater Road
- The UN-RESTRICTED PARKING along Anzac Avenue
- The 49 SPACE CARPARK on the southern side of Anzac Avenue

The existing on-street and off-street car parking capacities within a 150m radius of the site are illustrated on Figure 4 and show that there are up to 188 parking spaces available to patrons and visitors of the proposed mixed use development.

The table shown on Figure 4 takes into account the BUS LANES on Pittwater Road during the weekday morning and afternoon peak periods. Outside of these times, there are 188 available spaces comprising 139 on-street spaces and 49 off-street spaces.

Council DCP Parking Requirements

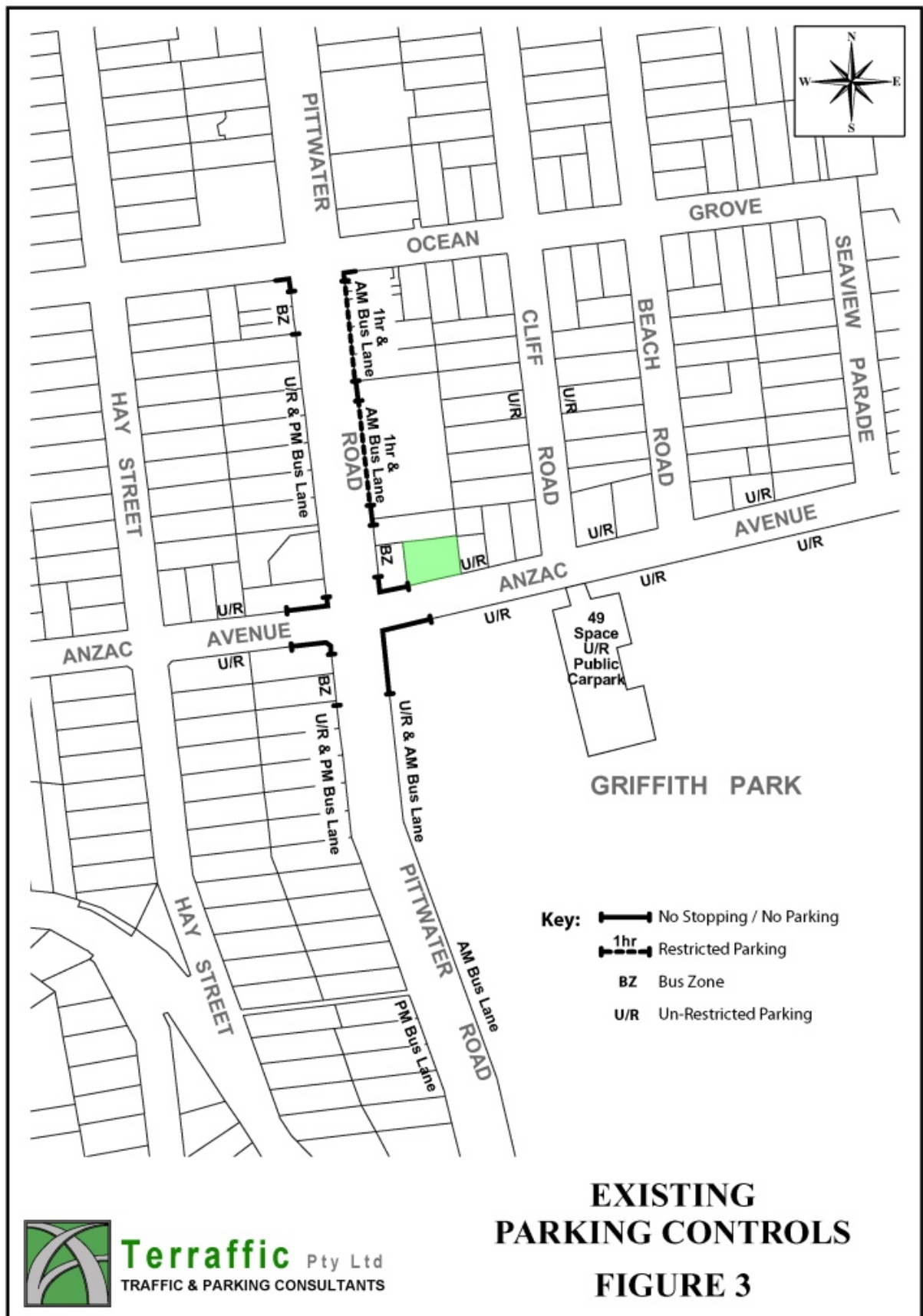
Appendix 1 in Part H of the Warringah Development Control Plan (effective 9 December 2011) nominates the following parking requirements that are applicable to the proposed development:

**Multi-dwelling housing, Residential flat buildings, Serviced apartments (including holiday flats),
Shop-top housing (residential component)**

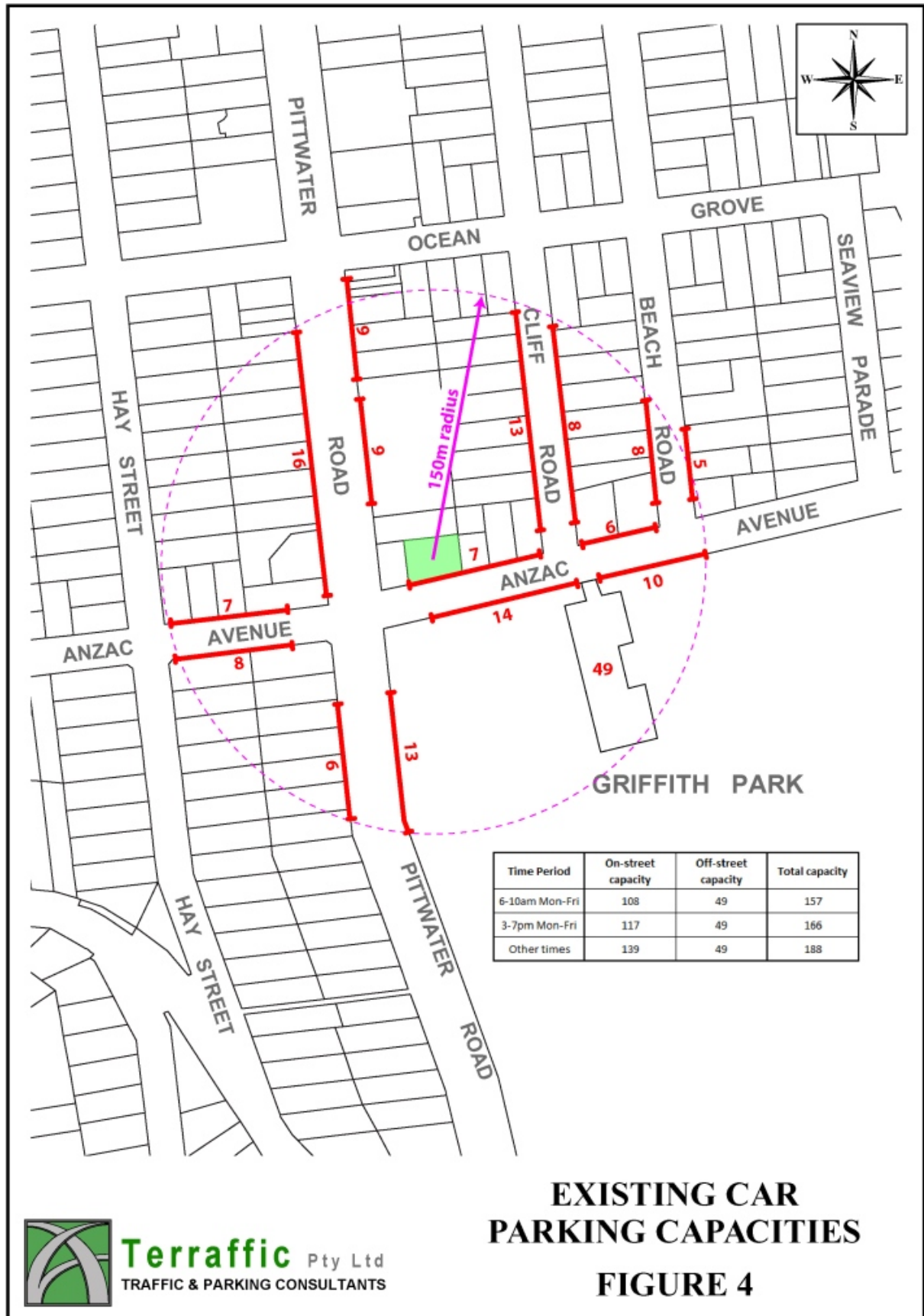
- 1 space per 1 bedroom dwelling
- 1.2 spaces per 2 bedroom dwelling
- 1.5 spaces per 3 bedroom dwelling
- 1 visitor space per 5 units or part of dwellings

**Shop (includes retail / business component of shop top housing, retail premises and
neighbourhood shop)**

- 1 space per 16.4 m² GLFA (6.1 spaces per 100 m² GLFA)



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Application of those parking rates to the proposed development yields a total requirement of 16 spaces calculated as follows:

Residential

1 x 1 bedroom units @ 1.0 space per dwelling	1.0 space
6 x 3 bedroom dwelling @ 1.5 spaces per dwelling	9.0 spaces
<i>Total resident parking</i>	<i>10.0 spaces</i>
7 dwellings @ 1 visitor space per 5 dwellings	1.4 spaces (rounded to 1 space)
Total	11.4 spaces (rounded to 11 spaces)

Retail

75.8m ² @ 6.1 spaces per 100m ²	4.6 spaces (rounded to 5 spaces)
Total	16.0 spaces

The proposed development makes provision for a total of 17 spaces which satisfies the DCP requirement. However, the proposed parking provision will exceed the residential requirement while falling short of the retail requirement as follows:

Landuse	Requirement	Provided	Difference
Resident	10 spaces	13 spaces	+ 3 spaces
Resident visitor	1 space	1 space	0
Retail	5 spaces	3 spaces	- 2 spaces
Total	16 spaces	17 spaces	+1 space

This parking allocation is considered acceptable in this case as:

1. Each dwelling will be allocated 2 parking spaces with the exception of the 1 bedroom unit that will be allocated 1 space
2. The DCP parking requirement for the retail floor space includes tenants and shoppers. The provision of 3 tenant parking spaces will clearly satisfy the demand for the 2 small retail shops/cafes with a combined floor area of 75.8m²
3. The proposal will only be short 2 retail shopper/patron spaces



4. As is commonly the case for local shopping strips, retail shoppers and patrons generally park on-street as vehicular access to off-street carparks is generally restricted with security roller doors
5. There are approximately 188 car parking spaces available for shoppers within a 150m radius of the site. This includes the 49 space off-street carpark approximately 80m east of the site on Anzac Avenue

On-Site Loading Facilities

Part C2 of the Warringah Development Control Plan notes the following with regard to on-site loading facilities:

On-site loading and unloading

6. Facilities for the loading and unloading of service, delivery and emergency vehicles are to be:
 - appropriate to the size and nature of the development;
 - screened from public view; and
 - designed so that vehicles may enter and leave in a forward direction.

Table 5.1 of the RMS's "*Guide to Traffic Generating Developments*" (October 2002) specifies the following requirement for delivery and service vehicles:

Restaurants/Shops <2,000m ² GFA	1 space per 400m ² GFA
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Based on the RMS Guidelines, the proposed development requires less than one-fifth of a loading space as follows:

75.8m ² Retail floorspace @ 1 loading bay per 400m ² GFA	0.19 loading bay
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As the requirement is so low, the proposal will rely on the availability of on-street parking for deliveries. The proposed shops/cafes are expected to receive up to 2 deliveries per day (1 per shop) by small delivery vehicles/courier vans.



Carpark and Access Compliance

The basement carpark and access have been designed to satisfy the following requirements of the Australian Standard AS/NZS2890.1-2004 – “*Off-Street Car Parking*”:

- Parking spaces are a minimum 5.4m long and 2.4m wide
- An additional 0.3m has been provided for spaces adjacent to a wall or obstruction
- A dead-end aisle extension 1.0m wide has generally been provided as per Figure 2.3 of the Standard
- The access/manoeuvring aisle exceeds the minimum width of 5.8m
- Pavement cross-falls at parking spaces do not exceed 5% (1 in 20)
- Access grades do not exceed 5% (1 in 20)
- The two-way access driveway is 6.1m wide wall to wall comprising a 5.5m roadway and 2 x 300mm wide kerbs
- A minimum headroom clearance of 2.2m has been provided throughout the basement carpark

The disabled parking space has also been designed in accordance with the Australian Standard AS/NZS2890.6:2009 – “*Off-street parking for people with disabilities*” as follows:

- A 5.4m long x 2.4m wide dedicated (*non-shared*) parking space
- An adjacent *shared* area that is also 5.4m long x 2.4m wide
- A minimum headroom of 2.5m above the disabled spaces
- Pavement cross-falls in disabled spaces do not exceed 2.5% (1 in 40) in any direction

As noted in the foregoing, 8 of the resident spaces will be located within 2 x dual width car stackers that will provide independent access to each space. While a system has not been determined at this stage, the stackers are likely to be similar to the WOHR Parklift 450. The specifications for this stacker are reproduced in Appendix A.

In the circumstances, it can be concluded that the proposed development has no unacceptable parking, loading or safety implications.



3. TRAFFIC ASSESSMENT

Existing Road Network

The road hierarchy allocated to the road network in the vicinity of the site by the Roads and Maritime Services is illustrated on Figure 5 and comprises the following:

State Roads	Regional Roads
Pittwater Road	nil

Pittwater Road is a classified *State Road* performing an arterial road function. It typically carries 6 lanes of traffic (3 lanes in each direction) separated by a central median island. Kerbside parking is generally permitted outside of the morning and afternoon Bus Lane restrictions.

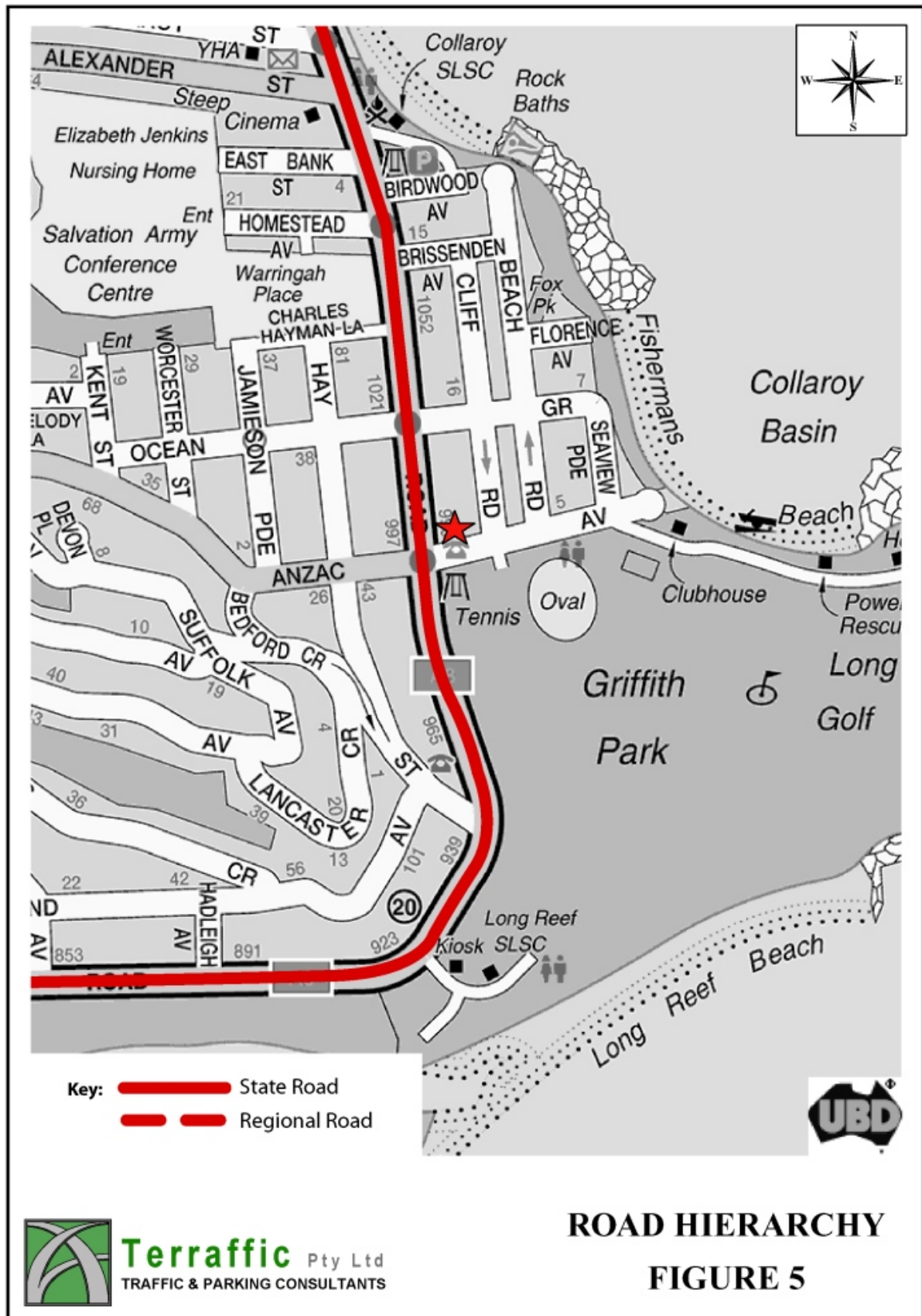
Anzac Avenue is an unclassified Local Road with a primary function of providing access to properties to the east of Pittwater Road, Collaroy Tennis Club, Griffith Park Playing Field, Long Reef Golf Club and Fishermans Beach. It has a pavement width of approximately 12.8m and is restricted to a speed limit of 50km/h.

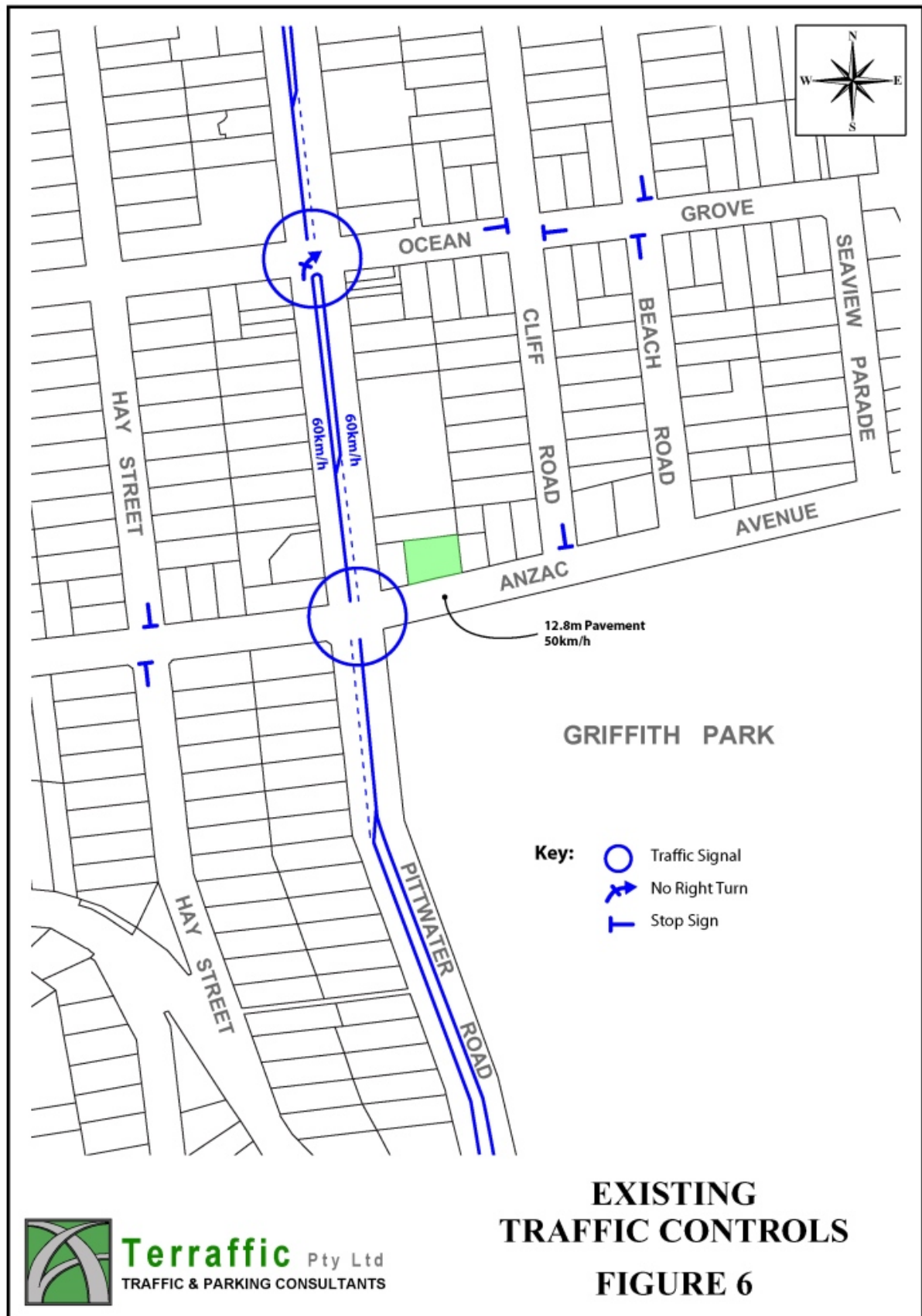
The existing traffic controls on the road network serving the site are illustrated on Figure 6.

Projected Traffic Generation Potential

An indication of the traffic generation potential of the existing and proposed development is provided by reference to the Roads and Maritime Services publication *Guide to Traffic Generating Developments, Section 3 - Landuse Traffic Generation (October 2002)*.

The RMS *Guidelines* are based on extensive surveys of a wide range of land uses and nominates the following traffic generation rates which are applicable to the existing and proposed development:







Specialty Shops / Secondary Retail (2002 rate) 5.6 peak hour trips per 100m² GLFA

Medium density residential flat buildings

Up to 2 bedrooms	0.4-0.5 trips per dwelling
3+ bedrooms	0.5-0.65 trips per dwelling

Traffic Generation of EXISTING SITE Development

Application of the RMS's traffic generation rates to the former retail building on the site yields a traffic generation potential in the order of 14vtph during the weekday peak periods as follows:

260m ² specialty retail @ 5.6vtph per 100m ²	14vtph
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Traffic Generation of PROPOSED Development

Application of the RMS's traffic generation rates to the proposed development yields a traffic generation potential in the order of 9vtph during the weekday peak periods calculated as follows:

75.8m ² specialty retail @ 5.6vtph per 100m ²	4vtph
1 x 1 bedroom units @ 0.5vtph per unit	1vtph
6 x 3 bedroom units @ 0.65vtph per unit	4vtph
Total	9vtph

Therefore based on the RMS Guidelines, the proposed development will generate approximately 5 less vehicle movements during peak periods as follows:

Existing Development	14vtph
Proposed Development	9vtph
Reduction in traffic	5vph

In circumstances where the proposed development will potentially generate less traffic than the existing site development, it can be concluded that the proposal will not have any



noticeable or unacceptable effect on the road network serving the site in terms of road network capacity or traffic-related environmental effect.

Furthermore, the development site has almost direct vehicular access to the higher order road network which alleviates the need to travel on local residential streets.

In the circumstances, the proposed development will not have any unacceptable traffic implications.



APPENDIX A

PLAN OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT





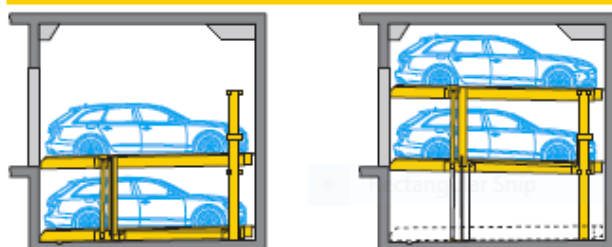
APPENDIX B

CAR STACKER SPECIFICATIONS



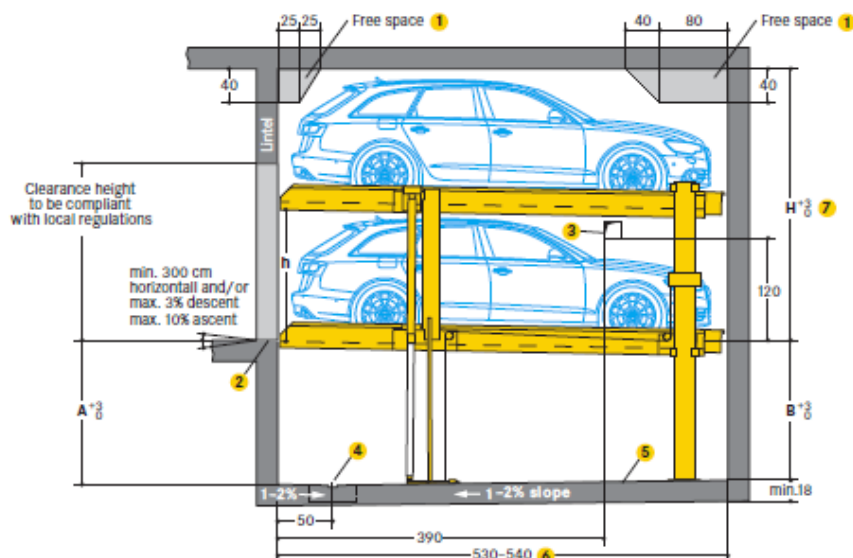
Data Sheet

WÖHR PARKLIFT 450



- Single units: 2 cars
Double units: 4 cars
- Platform load options:
 - max. 2000 kg, load per wheel 500 kg
 - max. 2600 kg, load per wheel 650 kg
- Platform slopes for drive-on:
 - upper level: 1° = 2% ascent
 - lower level: 1° = 2% descent
 Platform slopes help drainage

Height and length dimensions (underground car park)

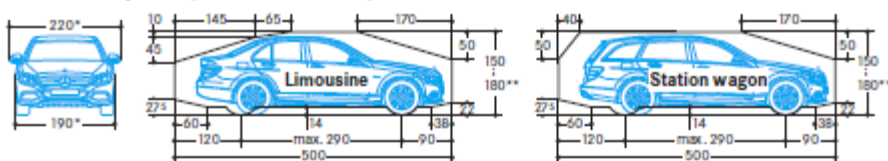


Type	Height (H) 7	Pit depth A B	Vehicle height UL LL 8	Platform distance (h)
450-170	320	170 165	L+S: 150 L+S: 150	155
450-175	325	175 170	L+S: 150 L+S: 155	160
	330	175 170	L+S: 155 L+S: 155	160
450-180	330	180 175	L+S: 150 L+S: 160	165
	340	180 175	L+S: 160 L+S: 160	165
450-185	335	185 180	L+S: 150 L+S: 165	170
	350	185 180	L+S: 165 L+S: 165	170
450-190	340	190 185	L+S: 150 L+S: 170	175
	360	190 185	L+S: 170 L+S: 170	175
450-195	345	195 190	L+S: 150 L+S: 175	180
	370	195 190	L+S: 175 L+S: 175	180
450-200	350	200 195	L+S: 150 L+S: 180	185
	380	200 195	L+S: 180 L+S: 180	185

- Free spaces for any connections performed by the customer:
 - please ask WÖHR for the dimension sheets
- Yellow-black safety marking:
 - compliant to ISO 3864, 10 cm wide, along the pit edges (see page 3)
 - Static calculations and construction works requirements
- In case of intermediate walls:
 - 15 x 15 cm opening for electric and hydraulic system cables and piping
 - after installation, do not close the opening
- Recommended drainage channels:
 - 10 x 2 cm, with a 50 x 50 x 20 cm drainage pit
 - in case of installation of a sump pump, it is necessary to comply with the drainage pit dimensions specified by the pump manufacturer
- Channels or undercuts/concrete haunches:
 - not allowed along the pit floor-to-wall joints
 - should channels or undercuts be necessary, the system width needs to be reduced or the pit needs to be wider
- A pit length of 540 cm is recommended. This will allow for increased safety clearances and distances also in the event of future changes to vehicle lengths.
- With an increase in headroom available, correspondingly taller cars will be able to park on the upper platform.
- UL = upper level / LL = lower level
L = Limousine / S = Station wagon

Dimensions

- all dimensions specified are the minimum, finished dimensions
- tolerances must be taken into consideration
- all dimensions are given in cm

**■ Clearance profile (for standard vehicles)**

- * for a 250 cm platform width
- ** The overall vehicle height including roof luggage rails and antenna mounts must not exceed the max. vehicle height dimensions specified

■ Width dimensions

Platform widths:

250 cm (single units), 500 cm (double units):
- for 190 cm vehicle width

260-270 cm (single units), 520-540 cm (double units):

- for vehicles wider than 190 cm
- for units with intermediate walls
- for units at the end of the driving aisle

In case of reduced maximum platform widths:

- when parking wider vehicles or two-door sports car models, there may be difficulties in climbing in and out of the vehicle, depending on the type of vehicle, on how the entrance area is arranged and on individual driving habits

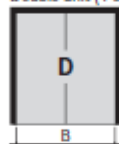
■ Width dimensions (underground car park)**■ Intermediate walls**

Single unit (2 cars)



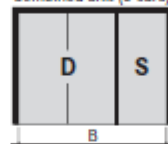
Space requirements	clear platform width
B	
260	230
270	240
280	250
290	260
300	270

Double unit (4 cars)



Space requirements	clear platform width
B	
490	460
510	480
530	500
550	520
570	540

Combined unit (6 cars)



Space requirements	clear platform width
B	
750	460+230
780	480+240
810	500+250
840	520+260
870	540+270

The driving aisle width must comply with local regulations

It is possible to combine different widths

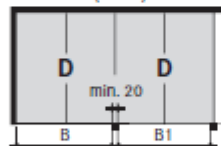
■ Columns external to the pit

Single unit (2 cars)



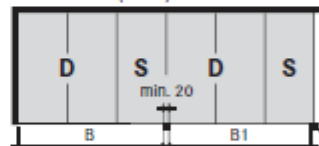
Space requirements		
wall-column B	column-column B1	clear platform width
250	240	230
260	250	240
270	260	250
280	270	260
290	280	270

Double unit (4 cars)



Space requirements		
wall-column B	column-column B1	clear platform width
480	470	460
500	490	480
520	510	500
540	530	520
560	550	540

Combined unit (6 cars)



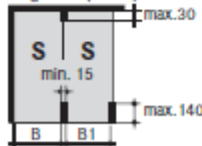
Space requirements		
wall-column B	column-column B1	clear platform width
740	730	460+230
770	760	480+240
800	790	500+250
830	820	520+260
860	850	540+270

The driving aisle width must comply with local regulations

It is possible to combine different widths

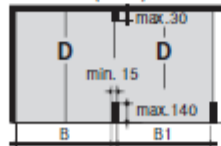
■ Columns in the pit

Single unit (2 cars)



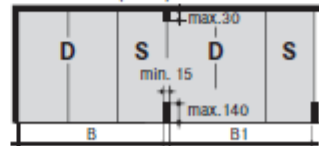
Space requirements wall-column B	column-column B1	clear platform width
255	245	230
265	255	240
275	265	250
285	275	260
295	285	270

Double unit (4 cars)



Space requirements wall-column column B	column-column column B1	clear platform width
485	475	460
505	495	480
525	515	500
545	535	520
565	555	540

Combined unit (6 cars)



Space requirements wall-column column B	column-column column B1	clear platform width
745	735	460+230
775	765	480+240
805	795	500+250
835	825	520+260
865	855	540+270

The driving aisle width must comply with local regulations

It is possible to combine different widths