

MOTION OF EXIGENCY TO BELLVILLE SUB-COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING ON THE 20TH OF MAY 2019 TO REQUEST THE PROVISION AND CONSTRUCTION OF A PATRON PARKING AREA ADJACENT TO THE BELLVILLE LIBRARY.

SUBMITTED BY: COUNCILLOR JACOLINE VISSER

BACKGROUND:

The Bellville Library has very little parking allocated on its property. A large portion of the parking that was previously provided for the patrons of the Bellville Library has been fenced off to accommodate staff parking and is therefore not accessible to the public who are now forced to make use of the shared parking with Melomed Hospital across the road.

The limited parking that is provided in front of the Library is also often filled by visitors attending the Melomed Hospital.

Library membership has suffered and has consequently diminished by at least half as a result of the public battling to find available parking at this important facility.

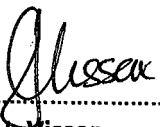
MOTION

I hereby move that the City of Cape Town Directorates for Assets and Facilities and Community Services investigate a solution for the provision of parking at the Bellville Library and:

1. Apply for the reservation of a portion of Elizabeth Park behind the Library on the bend in AJ West Street in Bellville for this purpose.
2. Secure funding for the development of sufficient patron parking within this allocated area.

I request that this also be added to the Matters Receiving Attention of the Sub Council 6 agenda.

This action would considerably improve safety and efficiency at the Bellville Library and will help to improve the experience of the patrons of the Bellville Library.


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Cllr. J. Visser

Dated: 2019-05-20