
**MM6/24 FAILURE OF STREET LIGHT - RENNIE STREET NORTH
RYDE - Mayor, Councillor Sarkis Yedelian OAM**

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I have been contacted by residents of Rennie Street North Ryde who have reported that a street light – operated by Council - is not working.

The street light is near a pedestrian crossing and understandably, local residents are concerned that the area is in darkness. This is a safety issue for pedestrian and vehicle users of Rennie Street and the crossing in that location.

Staff have advised that due to the current lack of a permanent contractor to carry out the type of repair needed, a delay of up to six weeks could normally be expected whilst a procurement process is undertaken.

Due to the urgency of the situation however, staff have engaged an electrical contractor to address the maintenance request.

Updates on repair progress will be provided once the contractor attends the site.

RECOMMENDATION:

- (a) That staff undertake the necessary steps to ensure that repairs to the broken street light in Rennie Street are made as quickly as possible.
- (b) That a system be put in place to ensure repairs required to Council street light assets in future, can be made without the need to enter into a separate procurement process.

ATTACHMENTS

There are no attachments for this report.

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