

Presentation of Reports – 9.4 CCTV Acland Street and St Kilda entertainment Precinct

Question from Councillor Pearl

Councillor Peral asked if it was possible to tap into the number of CCTV Vic Roads has across the city, and if there ever been an investigation to see if we could use that existing infrastructure for this purpose?

Response

According to VicRoads, there are between 600 and 700 cameras that are in operation across the road network. These cameras are primarily used to monitor traffic conditions and as such are focused on intersections and areas prone to traffic queuing. As a standard practice, VicRoads doesn't generally record footage from these cameras. Occasionally, they record footage but this is usually only to monitor the effectiveness of changes to signals, etc.

VicRoads have advised that they can provide access to the cameras/footage to Victoria Police when requested.

**Please note: answers to any questions in Public Question Time which were answered at the meeting are included in the minutes of that meeting.*