Mapua Wharf Car parking problems observed Tuesday 17th August around 1pm.

Little did I know while having lunch that it would be the last day I could go out to lunch with my friends for a bit?

These photo's demonstrate the problem the problem at hand.



This photo illustrates how the planter box that was built as part of the Ngaio Reserve upgrade to better define the boundary between a commercial tenants leased area to that of a public reserve has been deliberately moved to enable private parking. To access this parking space there has been a need to drive over the reserve and to get out I'm not sure how this occurs without driving further out into the reserve and over the artificially grassed area of the reserve.

The planter box was made movable to enable the tenant (occasionally, when necessary) to have access specifically to bring goods in and out of his business premises. Not for it to be permanently repositioned to provide private parking.



This photo shows a car load of four elder people (who did not have walking aids) parking for at least one hour while they went into Alberta's. This illustrates the problem the incorrectly functioning bollards have created, even though there is a sign stating no parking within this area. According to Mike, Jessica (TDC commercial manager responsible for the wharf tenants has worked out what the problem with the bollards is and it has been operator error using an incorrect code. Let's hope things improve moving into the future.