

St Helier, Wrythe and Wandle Valley Committee

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Date of Meeting	Item	Recommendation/Action	Responsible Officer or Member	Response / Outcome	Next Progress Check at Committee
02.05.2019	Item 5	<p>A local resident asked if the Council are aware that Sutton had been chosen to trial new Smart Busses. He asked if this was a concern regarding air pollution as there would be more busses on the roads.</p> <p>The resident enquired what type of fuel will be used by the new smart bus service.</p>	Simon Latham, Assistant Director, Housing, Planning and Regeneration	<p>Councillor Andrew advised at the meeting that in his view this is good news as public transport will reduce the number of individual car journeys.</p> <p>The buses being used are Mercedes Sprinter mini buses which are powered by Euro VI diesel engines - this is the current standard of diesel engine in terms of low emission technology.</p> <p>We anticipate a launch some time towards the end of this month. The first two buses are now fully equipped and have been out on Sutton roads since early May for driver familiarisation, training and checking on safe stopping points.</p> <p>This is a 12 month trial with no guarantee that the service will continue beyond May 2020.</p>	11.07.2019
02.05.2019	Item 5	A local resident raised concerns regarding a concrete block being placed near the disabled bay on London Road, Hackbridge and it blocking the tactile		Highways inspectors visited the site and advised that on investigation of the concrete block, and in speaking to various proprietors of local businesses, it was found that this block is not isolated and has	11.07.2019

		paving and allowing a 2nd car to park in the disabled bay.		<p>been purposely placed along with others in the immediate area.</p> <p>These blocks are intended to be seating areas and were placed by the council on behalf of the Hackbridge Directive.</p> <p>However, the block described does seem to have moved slightly and will be moved to its original location.</p>	
02.05.2019	Item 5	A local resident Nikki Sutton raised a concern regarding fallen trees and branches on Hackbridge Green. She pointed out that notices had also be attached to the trees which should be removed.	Claire Smith, Locality Lead Officer	<p>The fallen trees and branches have now been cleared.</p> <p>Notices attached to the trees are permanent and can not be removed, the trees have been inspected and no damage has been caused by the notices being attached.</p>	11.07.2019
02.05.2019	Item 10	A local resident raised an issue regarding the junction at the bottom of St John Road. The committee were advised that where a cycle path had been added and the pavement had been extended that this is now causing difficulties for traffic wishing to turn left . The resident advised this causes congestion. The Senior	Hitesh Wadher Senior Highways Engineer	<p>The buildout on the corner of St Johns Road has helped to bring the give-way line forward in order to improve sightlines for traffic emerging out of this side road. The raised table and the wider footway also provides a much safer crossing point for pedestrians.</p> <p>However, the concern regarding left turning movement has been reviewed and noted. This will be looked at more closely with a view to</p>	11.07.2019

		Highways Engineer advised that he will look into this issue.		repositioning the centre line on Green Wrythe Lane to improve lane allocation.	
02.05.2019	Item 10	Tracey Collins a local resident reported that reflectors on the staggered barriers at Eindhoven Close had been ripped off. The Senior Highways Engineer advised that the reflectors can be replaced and he will look at that and investigate alternative solutions to improve this.	Hitesh Wadher Senior Highways Engineer	Yellow stickers have been re-applied to the staggered barriers during w/c 20 May 2019.	11.07.2019
02.05.2019	Item 10	A local resident asked if a yellow box junction can go outside Hackbridge	Hitesh Wadher Senior	TfL have been asked to provide a response to the request to increase the crossing time for pedestrians.	11.07.2019

		<p>station to reduce accidents and improve the crossing for pedestrians. She asked if the phasing of the traffic lights could also be investigated to give people more time to cross the road. The Senior Highways Engineer advised that traffic signals are managed by TFL and he will raise that with them and also that he would look into the suggestion of a yellow box junction.</p>	<p>Highways Engineer</p>	<p>The request for yellow box marking has been noted for future consideration as the junction is still only partially open. Once the site entrance is open to general traffic and the junction is operating in its final form, it will be monitored and any further improvements (such as yellow box) will be considered then.</p>	
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