
Meeting	Chipping Barnet Area Environment Sub-Committee
Date	26 March 2014
Subject	Members' Item – Safety of Victoria Road in East Barnet
Report of	Head of Governance
Summary	This report informs the Sub-Committee of a Member's Item and requests instructions from the Sub-Committee.

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Status (public or exempt)	Public
Wards affected	East Barnet
Key Decision	No
Enclosures	None
For decision by	Chipping Barnet Area Environment Sub- Committee
Function of	Executive
Reason for urgency / exemption from call-in (if appropriate)	Not applicable

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1. RECOMMENDATIONS

1.1 That the Sub-Committee's instructions are requested.

2. RELEVANT PREVIOUS DECISIONS

2.1 None.

3. CORPORATE PRIORITIES AND POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

3.1 As and when issues raised in this way are progressed they will need to be evaluated against the Corporate Plan and other relevant policies.

4. RISK MANAGEMENT ISSUES

4.1 None in the context of this report.

5. EQUALITIES AND DIVERSITY ISSUES

5.1 Members' Items allow Members of the Sub-Committee to bring a wide range of issues to the attention of the Sub-Committee in accordance with the Council's Constitution. All of these issues must be considered for their equalities and diversity implications.

6. USE OF RESOURCES IMPLICATIONS (Finance, Procurement, Performance & Value for Money, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)

6.1 Any financial implications will be contained within the budgets of the Service.

7. LEGAL ISSUES

7.1 None in the context of this report.

8. CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS (Relevant section from the Constitution, Key/Non-Key Decision)

8.1 The Council's Constitution Responsibility for Functions – Area Environment Sub-Committees perform functions that are the responsibility of the Executive including highways use and regulation not the responsibility of the Council, within the boundaries of their areas in accordance with Council policy and within budget.

8.2 The Councils Constitution, Committees and Sub-Committees – Paragraph 6.1 states a Member (including appointed substitute Members) will be permitted to have one matter only (with no sub-items) on the agenda for a meeting of a committee or sub-committee on which he/she serves. Paragraph 6.2 states that Members' Items must be relevant to the terms of reference of the body which will consider the item.

9. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

9.1 Councillor Robert Rams requested that a Member's Item be considered on the following matter:

"To request that a full investigation be carried out by officers in to the safety of Victoria Road in East Barnet. I would like to look in the short term at the possibility of introducing a 20mph zone along the road and look in the long term at other safety measures that could be implemented - especially when

the Asda development happens and the council receives section 106 money for the area.

I would request that the Sub-Committee ask officers to report back at the earliest available opportunity after this meeting. Also that they have full discussions with residents of the road about the issues that are impacting on them”

- 9.2 The Strategic Director for Growth and Environment will arrange for officer comment to be given on the item at the meeting.

10. LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

10.1 Email from Councillor Robert Rams dated 13 March 2013.

10.2 Any person wishing to inspect the background paper above should telephone 020 8359 2761.

Cleared by Finance (Officer's initials)	N/A
Cleared by Legal (Officer's initials)	N/A