

	<p style="text-align: center;">West Area Committee</p> <p style="text-align: center;">22 September 2022</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Title</p>	<p>Petition(s)</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Report of</p>	<p>Head of Governance</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Wards</p>	<p>Burnt Oak, Edgware, Colindale North, Colindale South, West Hendon, Hendon, Cricklewood, Child's Hill</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Status</p>	<p>Public</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Urgent</p>	<p>No</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Key</p>	<p>No</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Enclosures</p>	<p>None.</p>
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Summary

This report informs the Area Committee of the petition(s) received. The Committee is requested to consider the petition and make a determination on its desired course of action in accordance with its powers.

Officers Recommendations

1. That the Area Committee notes the petition(s) detailed in section 1.
2. That the Area Committee decides whether it wishes to:
 - a) Take no action

- b) Refer the matter to a chief officer to provide a written response to the Lead Petitioner within 20 working days; or
- c) Instruct an officer to prepare a report for a future meeting of the Committee on the issue(s) raised with a recommended course of action

1. WHY THIS REPORT IS NEEDED

1.1 The following petition from Barnet residents have been received.

Petition: CPZ on Clovelly Avenue restricting staff from entering work place

Lead Petitioner: Karen Patten

Ward: Hendon

Number of signatures: 25

We the undersigned petition the council to Give the staff who have to drive to work at Colindale Primary School exemption through ANPR during the CPZ to allow access to the staff car park.

Details:

Clovelly Avenue is the only access road to the staff car park at Colindale Primary School. Our contracted start time is 8:30. The CPZ is activated at 8:15. Staff were informed by the school SLT that exemptions or staff permits would be looked into during the planning stages. This did not happen.

There has been no consideration for staff who cannot arrive at Clovelly Avenue before 8:15 due to distance or other commitments.

There are up to 10 empty spaces in the staff car park on a daily basis. The congestion and chaos on Colindeep Lane, Lynton Avenue and surrounding roads as staff look for alternative parking is both dangerous and stressful.

Since the introduction of the CPZ the wellbeing of school staff affected by the change is significant.

1. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.2 The Committee is requested to make a determination in respect of the petition(s) received in accordance with its powers as set out in the Council's Constitution.

2. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND NOT RECOMMENDED

- 2.1 Not applicable.

3. POST DECISION IMPLEMENTATION

- 3.1 Post decision implementation depends on the decision taken by the Committee.

4. IMPLICATIONS OF DECISION

- 4.1 **Resources (Finance & Value for Money, Procurement, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)**
N/A

4.2 Social Value

N/A

4.3 Legal and Constitutional References

4.3.1 Council Constitution, Article 7, Section 7.5 Responsibility for Functions details that the Area Committee has responsibility for all constituency specific matters relating to the street scene including parking, road safety, transport, allotments, parks and trees.

4.3.2 Article 3 of the Council's Constitution, section 3.6 states that where the petition relates to the functions and responsibilities of an Area Committee it will be reported to the relevant Area Committee. The Lead Petitioner will be given three minutes to present the petition to the committee for petitions with 25-1,999 signatures. For Petitions with over 1,999 signatures the speaker will be given five minutes to present the petition. Following the presentation the Chair and Committee Members have an opportunity to ask the Lead Petitioner questions. After the debate, the Committee will decide to:

- Take no action
- Refer the matter to a chief officer to provide a written respond to Lead Petitioner within 20 working days; or
- Instruct an officer to prepare a report for a future meeting of the Committee on the issue(s) raised with a recommended course of action

4.4 Risk Management

4.4.1 None in the context of this report.

4.6 Equalities and Diversity

4.6.1 N/A in the context of this report.

4.7 Corporate Parenting

4.7.1 None in the context of this report.

4.8 Consultation and Engagement

4.8.1 N/A

4.9 Environmental Impact

4.9.1 N/A

5 Insight

5.1 N/A

6 BACKGROUND PAPERS

6.1 Petition submitted via email to Governance Service.