Council	Local parking amendment		Appendix 1
Reference	15/16_Q3_011	Location overview	
Location	Village Way – outside No.5	D	HALF MOON LASS
Proposal	To install double yellow lines adjacent to existing dropped kerb vehicle crossover to provide unrestricted access for resident of No.5.	VIL	POND MEAD
Community council meeting	Dulwich		
Community council date	27 January 2016		
Ward(s) affected	Village		

Background

The parking design team was contacted by the resident of No.5 who requested that the existing vehicle crossover dropped kerb is protected by double yellow lines to prevent parking to maintain access at any time.

Village Way is unrestricted with short lengths of double yellow lines and single yellow lines that operate Monday to Friday 8am to 6.30pm and borders the existing Herne Hill (HH) controlled parking zone (CPZ). It is noted that a new CPZ is proposed in the area close to Village Way which is expected to be introduced in spring 2016.

Officers investigation and recommendation

The street is predominately residential but the demand for parking is high.

The existing dropped kerb is narrow and when vehicles park up close to the crossover this reduces sight lines and makes access difficult. The resident has registered their dropped kerb with the council enforcement contractor so that it can be enforced if obstructed by parked vehicles. The problem is when vehicle park up to but not over the dropped kerb, it is not an enforceable offence.

It should be noted that Village Way is a classified road, generally the council would be required to introduce yellow lines to maintain inter-visibility as per Southwark's street design manual (SSDM DS114 & DS132).

In this particular instance, as the parking issue as described by the resident appears to be with access rather than visibility, it is proposed to install a minimum of 2 meters either side of the dropped kerb to prevent inconsiderate parking up to the dropped kerb.

In view of the above and as shown the drawing overleaf, it is recommended that at any time waiting restriction (double yellow lines) at installed at this location.

