Southwark. Council	Local parking amendment		Appendix 5
Reference	15/16_Q3_023	Location overview	
Location	Village Way/Dulwich Village – outside James Allen's Preparatory School entrance and entrance to park	HALE MOON POND MEAD	rear of
Proposal	To install school keep clear road adjacent to main pupil entrance to James Allen's Preparatory School and double yellow lines adjacent to entrance to park and school car park to improve inter-visibility and safety	VILLAGE WAY	25/10/10
Community council meeting	Dulwich		E COL
Community council date	27 January 2016		JE /
Ward(s) affected	Village		

## **Background**

The parking design team was contacted by colleagues in the road safety team after a meeting with the James Allen's Preparatory School. The school requested the following provisions:

- A school keep clear marking adjacent to the entrance to the school on Village Way.
- Double yellow lines adjacent to entrance to the park off Dulwich Village where parents park to drop
  off and pick up pupils.

This section of Village Way and Dulwich Village is unrestricted with small sections of waiting restrictions (single and double yellow lines), school keep clear markings and bus stops.

## Officers investigation and recommendation

This section of Village Way and Dulwich Village is predominately residential with a school in Dulwich Village and the preparatory school on Village Way.

An officer visited the site on 9 December 2015, and noted that there were vehicles parked at both locations. No vehicles parking illegally and the waiting restrictions were respected.

The entrance to the preparatory school is narrow and the sight lines are limited by a mature tree located to the west of the entrance. (See photo) This length of highway should be kept clear of parked vehicles to ensure approaching vehicles can see emerging pupils and other pedestrians and vis versa.

The road safety officer has raised concerns regarding the entrance to the park off Dulwich Village, as this is being used by parents to park while they drop of or pick up their children. It is noted that when vehicles are parked adjacent to the entrance this reduces the sight lines, restricts inter-visibility and increases the risk of a collision.



In view of the above and as shown in the drawing overleaf, it is recommended that a 'School Keep Clear' is installed adjacent to the entrance to the James Allen's Preparatory school on Village Way and double yellow lines are installed adjacent to the entrance to the park on Dulwich Village to prevent obstructive parking and ensure inter-visibility between vehicles and pedestrians.

