

# Bermondsey Community Council

Theme for the meeting is London 2012 Olympics / Paralympics

Thursday 26 April 2012

7.00 pm

St James Church, Thurland Road, Bermondsey, London, SE16 4AA

## Membership

Councillor Linda Manchester (Chair)  
Councillor Graham Neale (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Anood Al-Samerai  
Councillor Michael Bukola  
Councillor Denise Capstick  
Councillor Mark Gettleson  
Councillor Paul Kyriacou  
Councillor Eliza Mann  
Councillor Nick Stanton

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Members of the committee are summoned to attend this meeting

**Eleanor Kelly**

Acting Chief Executive

Date: Tuesday 17 April 2012



## Order of Business

- | Item No. | Title   |
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| 1.       | INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME                      |
| 2.       | APOLOGIES                                     |
| 3.       | ITEMS OF BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT |

The chair to advise whether they have agreed to any item of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.

Item No.	Title	Time
4.	<b>DISCLOSURE OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS</b>	
	Members are asked to declare any interest or dispensation and the nature of that interest or dispensation which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.	
5.	<b>MINUTES</b> (Pages 4 - 11)	
	To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 21 March 2012.	
6.	<b>COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>	
	Community Council Fund 2012/13 Alfred Salter Statue Campaign Southwark Apprentice Scheme Diamond Jubilee / River Pageant	
7.	<b>DEPUTATIONS/PETITIONS (IF ANY)</b>	
	The chair to advise on any deputations received.	
8.	<b>COMMUNITY SAFETY UPDATE</b>	
	Officers from the local Safer Neighbourhoods Teams to respond to questions. A written update will be circulated.	
9.	<b>LONDON 2012 OLYMPICS / PARALYMPICS</b>	7.30pm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Transport – Roads, London Bridge, Canada Water</li> <li>- Southwark Experience – Look and feel and culture</li> <li>- Legacy</li> <li>- Engaging Young People</li> <li>- A documentary film</li> </ul>	
10.	<b>THE KINGS HEALTH PARTNERS CANCER CENTRE AT GUY'S</b>	8.10pm
	Consultation on proposals at the pre-planning stage	
	<b>BREAK - OPPORTUNITY FOR RESIDENTS TO CHAT TO COUNCILLORS AND OFFICERS</b>	
11.	<b>SOUTHWARK PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL</b>	8.30pm
	Presentation from the architects on the updated plans.	

Item No.	Title	Time
12.	<b>COMMUNITY COUNCILS - CHANGES FOR 2012-13</b> (Pages 12 - 13)	8.40pm
	Briefing Note	
13.	<b>LOCAL PARKING AMENDMENTS</b> (Pages 14 - 17)	
	Executive Function	
	Councillors to consider the statutory objection.	
14.	<b>PUBLIC QUESTION TIME</b> (Page 18)	8.50pm
	This is an opportunity for public questions to be addressed to the chair.	
	Residents or persons working in the borough may ask questions on any matter in relation to which the council has powers or duties.	
	Responses may be supplied in writing following the meeting.	

Date: Tuesday 17 April 2012

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## **BERMONDSEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

MINUTES of the Bermondsey Community Council held on Wednesday 21 March 2012  
at 7.00 pm at Harris Academy, 55 Southwark Park Road, SE16 3TZ

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**PRESENT:** Councillor Linda Manchester (Chair)  
Councillor Graham Neale (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Anood Al-Samerai  
Councillor Michael Bukola  
Councillor Denise Capstick  
Councillor Mark Gettleson  
Councillor Paul Kyriacou  
Councillor Eliza Mann  
Councillor Nick Stanton

**OFFICER  
SUPPORT:** Jillian Houghton, Regeneration Officer  
Alison Squires, Planning Policy Team Leader  
Forid Ahmed, Neighbourhood Co-ordinator  
Gill Kelly, Community Council Development Officer  
Tim Murtagh, Constitutional Officer

### **1. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME**

The chair welcomed councillors, members of the public and officers to the meeting.

### **2. APOLOGIES**

There were apologies for lateness from Councillor Denise Capstick.

### **3. ITEMS OF BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT**

There were none.

#### 4. DISCLOSURE OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

There were none.

#### 5. MINUTES

##### RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the meeting held on 18 January 2012 be agreed as an accurate record of that meeting and signed by the chair.

#### 6. COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

##### Update on St James Churchyard

Jillian Houghton, Project Officer in Regeneration, explained that during previous consultation there had been comments about opening up the churchyard with the pathway lit. The parks department had agreed for the pathway to be lit and that would now proceed. A combination of materials would be used for works including some York stone and consultation would take place regarding the planting in the area. Councillor Al-Samerai said that a ramp for access was being looked into and that money from any scrap metal should be put back into the project.

##### Poppy Appeal 2012

Alice Fisher, Community Fundraiser from the The Royal British Legion outlined the work of the poppy appeal ahead of the 2012 appeal. Local volunteers were needed and anyone wanting to help should either call 020 7863 3347 or email: [AFisher@britishlegion.org.uk](mailto:AFisher@britishlegion.org.uk)

##### Bermondsey Youth Community Council (BYCC)

Local Members of the BYCC outlined the work of the forum. The BYCC represented 13 to 19 year olds and organised local projects. It provided a voice for the young people to the powers that be.

##### The Salmon Youth Centre

Andy Wilson, Mission Manager, explained that he was a community organiser for the Diamond Jubilee's Big Lunch. He encouraged residents to take part in a community event to celebrate the special occasion and that he would help with forms and planning where needed. At the Salmon Youth Centre there was a project called Building Belonging Together which was aimed at tackling loneliness in the wider community. Contact: [info@salmoncentre.co.uk](mailto:info@salmoncentre.co.uk) or Tel. 020 7237 3788

##### Bede House Awareness

Dave Morrison, Ambassador for Bede, said Bede was a local charity set up in 1938. It helped people to overcome their difficulties and feel like valued members of society. Over 2,000 people contacted Bede each year. There were youth adventure clubs and a minibus. Bede had turned derelict land into a nature garden, organised events, helped people find work and generally lead safer happier lives.



#### Tenda Road and Bishop's House Nurseries

A resident highlighted the threat of closure to two local nurseries. There was a petition to help save those valued facilities. Councillor Al-Samerai said she would be meeting with the Director of Children's Services to talk through the issues and what could be done to save Tenda Road. Members gave a commitment to oppose all proposals to cut funding from any nurseries in Southwark.

The chair announced that this year there would be a Cleaner, Greener, Safer Revenue fund with a budget of £10,000 per ward. Residents were invited to submit their ideas. Contact [forid.ahmed@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:forid.ahmed@southwark.gov.uk) or Tel. 020 7525 5540.

Bermondsey in Bloom would take place again in 2012. Two volunteers from each ward were being sought to be part of the committee. Councillor Mann asked for help from the London Bridge Team with this year's project.

### **7. DEPUTATIONS/PETITIONS (IF ANY)**

There were none.

### **8. COMMUNITY SAFETY UPDATE**

An information sheet for each Safer Neighbourhood Team (SNT) was circulated which detailed local priorities and recent actions.

In response to questions, the SNT officer said that crime prevention was very important and residents should be particularly aware of their environment when making phone calls as the snatching of smart phones was a problem.

### **9. DRINK AND DRUGS - HOW THEY AFFECT THE COMMUNITY**

Ian Gray, Drug and Alcohol Abuse Team (DAAT) explained that every local authority in the country had a DAAT and it was a partnership between local authorities, health trusts, the probation service and the Police. DAATs were funded by central government and tasked with implementing the national drug strategy. There were various treatment surgeries available in the area that helped and supported people to achieve healthier lifestyles. Some of the services were walk-in, and assistance for the homeless and those with mental health issues was provided. There were also case workers to assist drug offenders where referrals were appropriate. Much of the national strategy was aimed at recovery and DAAT sat within community safety.

Callie Martinez, Insight Southwark, explained that the group had been operating for two years following its commission by DAAT and was a young person's service based at the Elephant & Castle. Insight was a tier 2 and tier 3 service offering information, treatment and intervention. It was a voluntary service operating six days a week. Insight worked mainly with 11 to 24-year-olds and had links with other service providers along with schools.

Steve of Alcoholics Anonymous said AA's primary purpose was to help members stay

sober and help other members achieve sobriety. It was a group of people wanting to get well and stay well. Throughout London there were about 700 AA meetings every week. Alcoholism affected people from all walks of life. AA supports itself, there were no fees or funding from members or other bodies. There were no chiefs in AA and all members were treated equally. There were many open meetings that people could attend if they wanted to find out more. If people phone the helpline, someone would accompany them to their first meeting to simplify that part of the process. See [www.alcoholics-anonymous.org.uk](http://www.alcoholics-anonymous.org.uk) or Tel 0845 769 7555

Eammon Egerton, St Mungo's street population outreach manager, explained that the group was funded by Southwark to reduce rough sleeping in the borough. St Mungo's worked with rough sleepers and had advice centres. Some of the street sleepers had deep and complex problems which made it difficult for them to leave the streets. The group believed that no one should sleep rough and that people could change. There was a team that worked late at night and early in the mornings that made offers to street sleepers to improve their situation. St Mungo's relied on local information and hoped to tackle problems early. Often the solution would be to attempt to reconnect them with their home towns but some were resistant to offers. There were lots of street sleepers from Eastern Europe and St Mungo's worked with agencies in Poland and elsewhere.

The four speakers then took part as a panel and took questions.

In response to questions, the panel explained that the services available were broad and flexible to the needs of those who needed help. The range of services available in Southwark would give one assessment and then the person would be referred to the most appropriate programme. There was a success rate of about 40% which compared well with other areas.

In terms of licensing and saturation policies for premises selling alcohol, councillors said Neighbourhood plans would increase the powers of councils to limit the number of shops selling alcohol and also betting shops.

## 10. OPEN SPACES STRATEGY

Alison Squires, Planning Policy Team Leader, explained the background to Southwark's draft Open Space Strategy currently out for consultation.

- Sets out a framework for open space provision in the borough
- The open space strategy replaces work previously undertaken in 2003 and updates the work carried out in 2010
- The document was an important part of the evidence base needed in the preparation of planning policy documents
- Public consultation on the draft strategy would run until 24 April 2012 with the final strategy adopted in September 2012

The residents' survey produced the following information:

- 750 telephone surveys undertaken stratified by age, gender and location
- Study identifies that levels of satisfaction in open spaces were high – over 80% and highest amongst older age groups

- Almost 90% rated the quality of open space as good or very good
- Smaller open spaces, cemeteries and amenity spaces were considered to be of poorest quality
- Just 10% of residents stated that they do not visit open spaces. Majority of these due to time constraints/health reasons
- Value of smaller open spaces was reinforced, although larger parks also very popular

Open space needs were analysed and a site audit carried out.

Measures to improve quality and value of spaces included:

- Working with Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Green Enthusiasts (BARGES) to introduce new natural green space to existing sites, including the potential to introduce new habitat creation.
- Improved access to existing open spaces, including strong links to Burgess Park and Southwark Park, as well as the Thames Path.
- Look for opportunities to increase the provision of parks to get closer to the borough's recommended standard.

In response to questions, Alison said she would take back to colleagues a request for an outdoor gym in Spa Park. The open spaces strategy had set a borough wide target provision of 0.76 hectares per 1,000 population though some areas including Bermondsey were likely to have less than that.

Simon Hughes MP said that the Friends of Southwark Park and Bankside Open Spaces Trust had shown a lot of community willingness to look after local green spaces. He added that a strategy to engage local people to care for their near green spaces should be developed. Alison said that idea could go into the Action Plan and that there may be scope in the strategy document for a ward list of open spaces so residents could see what was available. She would also report back on the cost of the strategy.

Contact: [Alison.Squires@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:Alison.Squires@southwark.gov.uk) or Tel. 020 7525 5644

## 11. CLEANER GREENER SAFER: FUNDING REALLOCATION

Executive Function

Members considered the information in the report.

### RESOLVED:

That the £7,000 of Cleaner, Greener, Safer under spend in the Bermondsey Community Council area be reallocated to the 2012/13 programme.

## 12. CLEANER GREENER SAFER 2012/13: FUNDING ALLOCATION

Executive Function

Members considered the information in the report.

**RESOLVED:**

That the cleaner, greener, safer capital funding 2012/13 be allocated as set out below:

<b>Bermondsey Community Council area</b>	<b>Allocation</b>
Bermondsey hanging baskets	£30,000
<b>Grange</b>	
Purbrook Estate / Car park lighting; Safety railings for planting at SPAM Hall; Bollards around Thetford blocks / Prevention of pavement damage	£8,500
Rose bed (Hazel Way)	£659
Bee-friendly planting in Mary Magdalene Churchyard	£5,200
iCommunity Action Art (SHACCA T&RA Improving our Environment)	£20,600
Tanner Street notice board	£2,500
Whites Grounds and Tyers Estate in Bloom! A genuine partnership of residents and London Bridge based businesses helping bridge local social, economic and environmental divisions.	£21,600
Whites Grounds Interpretation board	£3,780
Whites Grounds / Crucifix Lane lighting improvements	£2,160
Alaska Information board, Grange Road	£2,900
<b>Riverside</b>	
Wickfield House playground	£25,899
Dickens Estate play area	£36,000
Perryn Road fencing and gate	£7,800
Tower Bridge buildings – Lockable gate to bin area	£5,200
<b>South Bermondsey</b>	
Gate at Galleywall Nature Reserve	£4,900
Bermondsey Scouts' Story Tent	£1,500
Flo Weller Memorial Tree and Plaque, The Blue Market Square, Southwark Park Road	£1,000
Improvements to the Citizens Advice Bureaux shop windows	£400
Brick wall on Ash House, on Dunton Road	£18,200
Cadet Drive walkway improvement	£12,500
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£211,299</b>

### 13. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

There was a discussion on the planned merger of Bermondsey and Rotherhithe community councils that would happen in the new municipal year 2012/13. There was general agreement from residents and councillors that the two community councils should not be merged and that a deputation would go to Council Assembly to that effect in March.

Members and Simon Hughes MP asked for a review of play spaces to be carried out in the Bermondsey Community Council area. That would enable local children to play safely, and healthily. The review could lead to some of the existing facilities being improved.

Councillor Al-Samerai said she would follow up on a resident's request for a suitable empty space for a boxing club, as it was about to lose its existing premises.

Members asked for a future meeting to have workshops on the type of businesses that people wanted to see in the area and how that could be developed.

### 14. HIGHWAYS DEVOLVED CAPITAL FUNDING FOR 2012/13

Executive Function

Members considered the information in the report.

#### RESOLVED:

That £97,200 of the highways capital budget be allocated as follows:

<b>Grange</b>		
Rouel Road	Carriageway	£9,200
Alscot Road	Footway	£45,000
<b>Riverside</b>		
Barnham Street	Footway	£43,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>£97,200</b>

### 15. SCHOOL GOVERNOR APPOINTMENTS

Executive Function

Councillors did not resolve to exclude the press and public from the meeting as they did not discuss closed information.

Members considered the information in the report.

**RESOLVED:**

1. That Mr Anthony Craig be re-appointed as school governor for Kintore Way Nursery School.
2. That Mr Tobias Latham and Mr Earl Legister be re-appointed as school governors for Grange Primary School.
3. That Mr Marc Hadfield be appointed as school governor for Riverside Primary School.

The meeting ended at 9.55pm

<b>Briefing Note – Bermondsey Community Council</b>	
<b>Title</b>	Community Councils – Changes for 2012-13
<b>Report author</b>	Darryl Telles, Neighbourhoods Manager
<b>Date</b>	26 April 2012

### **REQUIRED ACTION**

To note the changes to community councils, agreed by Council Assembly, as a result of the Democracy Commission's recommendations.

### **INTRODUCTION**

1. The Democracy Commission was asked by the Council in February 2011 to undertake a review of the work of the community councils, including resident consultation, which examined the role and function of community councils and whether the current functions and powers are the right ones to meet the aims of community councils in the current resource context. Cabinet asked the Commission to identify at least £344,000 of savings.
2. The commission reviewed efficiency savings for community councils and identified savings of £81,527. This relates to the budgets surrounding venue/transport hire, marketing/publicity, access and catering. However the efficiencies savings alone did not meet the overall savings target necessary and therefore the commission investigated other options for savings.
3. The review concluded in December 2011 and the Commission concluded that savings could only be made if the number of Community Council areas, meetings and functions were reduced.

### **KEY RECOMMENDATIONS**

- Reducing the number of community councils from 8 to 5
- Reducing the number of meetings from at least 6 to 5 per year
- Establishing 2 planning sub-committees for minor applications with revised thresholds for decisions going to the main planning committee and the two sub-committees
- Removing school governor appointments and making changes to other areas of decision making such as transport
- Making reductions to the staff

### **CHANGES**

4. These changes were agreed by Council Assembly and come into effect from May 2012:
  - Merge Bermondsey and Rotherhithe Community Councils (retaining the current split of Livesey Ward between Bermondsey & Rotherhithe and Peckham & Nunhead)
  - Merge Peckham and Nunhead & Peckham Rye Community Councils
  - Retain the current boundaries of Dulwich Community Council
  - Retain the current boundaries of Camberwell Community Council
  - Merge Borough & Bankside and Walworth Community Councils.

5. Council Assembly also approved the commission's recommendation that the planning function is no longer exercised by community councils. Instead a new model of a main planning committee and two planning sub-committees will be created.
6. School governor decisions were reviewed by the commission and council assembly agreed the commission's recommendation that this function is no longer exercised by community councils to generate a saving of £10,895. It was noted that these decisions are normally taken in closed session which is not consistent with the engagement role of community councils.
7. Given the context of the significant reductions in the council's budget some changes have had to be made to the officer support for this function as the current cost was unsustainable. The commission identified staffing savings from the engagement function, which was agreed as part of the budget decision by council assembly. The new staffing structure reduces the overall number of community engagement staff whilst retaining one dedicated officer for each of the new five areas.
8. The commission noted that residents see the cleaner, greener, safer and Community fund schemes as evidence of them having an influence on local decisions. Having a say over how council funds are allocated at a local level is valued and recognised as really putting power into the hands of residents. Community councils should be encouraged to develop upon this model. The commission welcomed the cleaner, greener, safer revenue funding of £10,000 per ward which would be available for community councils to allocate from 1 April 2012. It also agreed that there would be no reduction to the Community fund for this year.
9. The Commission also recommended changes to the operation of Community Councils and have asked Chairs to consider the following:
  - more flexibility around meeting times
  - varying the use of local venues
  - increasing the use of workshops to encourage debate and dialogue
  - enabling residents to have more influence over the agenda setting process
  - having question time earlier on in agendas
  - stricter chairing to enable balanced input from residents
  - keeping the length of meetings within a time limit e.g. two hours
  - better use of online forums and social media
  - introducing less formality to meetings was another popular suggestion made and would compliment the desire to improve engagement. People have expressed a preference for a horse-shoe or semi-circular seating arrangement at meetings (with further semi-circular rows behind), to create less "distance" between local people and members especially considering the increase in the number of Councillors for some Community Council areas
  - explore ways to simplify the paperwork to make it more accessible, e.g. plain English summaries of information items could be produced, provided adequate officer resource is available.



<b>Item No.</b> 13.	<b>Classification:</b> Open	<b>Date:</b> 26 April 2012	<b>Meeting Name:</b> Bermondsey Community Council
<b>Report title:</b>		Determination of statutory objection to proposed formalisation of existing width restriction in Lynton Road.	
<b>Ward(s) or groups affected:</b>		All wards within Bermondsey Community Council	
<b>From:</b>		Head of Public Realm	

### RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the community council consider the one objection received in regard to the proposed formalisation of an existing width restriction in Lynton Road
2. That the community council reject the objection and instructs officers to make the Order for the existing width restriction.
3. That the community council instruct officers to write to the objector giving reason for the decision.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

4. Lynton Road has an existing physical measure that prohibits and prevents all vehicles over 2.2 metres in width from proceeding in a stretch of the street approximately between 191/193 and 197/199 Lynton Road.
5. This prohibition was implemented in 2004 under experimental traffic order procedures. The experimental order has now lapsed and, as such, is unenforceable by the council (under decriminalised moving traffic offences) though the physical measure continues to prevent vehicles from proceeding
6. Following legal advice on the matter the Council re-advertised the restriction so as to put in place a new, permanent order. The Council gave notice of its intent to make a new order on 2 June 2011, under section 6 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act, 1984. Statutory consultation was carried out for a period of three weeks via street and press notices; a copy of the proposed orders was also sent to statutory consultees.
7. This report presents details of the one objection that was received during the statutory consultation period.
8. Determination of such matters is reserved to community council for decision.
9. The origins and reasons for the recommendations are discussed in the main body of the report.
10. This item returns a matter that was reported to the community council on 13 September 2011 and 10 November 2011 but to which a decision was deferred.

## **KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION**

### **Objection**

11. The proposed TMO was made by way of street and press notices in accordance with The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure) (England and Wales) Regulations 1996.
12. During the statutory, three week consultation period one written objection was received on 7 June 2011. The detail of the objection is provided in Appendix 1.
13. The objection states *"As a resident of Grange Road I am of a mind that this width restriction has contributed to higher traffic flows outside my home, and no evaluation has been made of this. There has been no request to make the traffic order permanent, it should therefore be removed, and the all stakeholders, including those who may be negatively affected, be given the opportunity to make a structured evaluation of the scheme."*

### **Reasons for report recommendations**

14. The existing width restriction was installed in 2004 following agreement by the council that measures should be introduced to improve road safety and to address concerns about rat-running.
15. Whilst it is unfortunate that the procedural steps were not taken at the correct time to make permanent the experimental order (prior to it lapsing) this is not considered of consequence in terms of ensuring that restrictions have a correct legal order.
16. There appears to be a continued need for the width restriction to prevent large vehicles passing through local streets. The continuation of this restriction is also complementary to the existing area-wide weight limit in this area as well as being integral to proposals currently being drawn up for the South Bermondsey Traffic Management study.
17. In view of the above, it is recommended that the objection is rejected and the order is made.

### **POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

18. The recommendations contained within this report are consistent with the policies of the Transport Plan.

### **COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT**

19. The policies within the Local Implementation Plan are upheld within this report have been subject to an Equality Impact Assessment (EqIA).

### **RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS**

20. All costs arising from implementing the proposals, as set out in the report, will be fully contained within the existing local parking amendment budget.

## CONSULTATION

21. The statutory consultation carried out to date is detailed within the body of the report.
22. Formal notification of the council's intent to make a Traffic Management Order has been made in accordance with The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure) (England and Wales) Regulations 1996
23. No consultation or comment has been sought from the chief finance officer.

## BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Back ground Papers	Held At	Contact
Parking and Enforcement Plan	Public Realm Environment and Leisure Department	Tim Walker 020 7525 2021

## APPENDICES

No.	Title
Appendix 1	Objection

## AUDIT TRAIL

<b>Lead Officer</b>	Matt Hill, Public Realm Programme Manager	
<b>Report Author</b>	Tim Walker, Senior Engineer	
<b>Version</b>	Final	
<b>Dated</b>	13 March 2012	
<b>Key Decision?</b>	No	
<b>CONSULTATION WITH OTHER OFFICERS / DIRECTORATES / CABINET MEMBER</b>		
<b>Officer Title</b>	<b>Comments Sought</b>	<b>Comments included</b>
Strategic Director for Legal and Democratic Services	Yes	No
Finance Director	No	No
Cabinet Member	No	No
<b>Date final report sent to Constitutional Team</b>	13 March 2012	

**Walker, Tim**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 07 June 2011 14:12  
**To:** parkingreview  
**Cc:** Walker, Tim  
**Subject:** Notice: 1372711 (Issue: 59800)

LYNTON ROAD, to formalise the existing width restriction introduced by way of an experimental Traffic Order in 2004. All vehicles over 2.2 metres in overall width (including any load carried thereon) would be formally prohibited from entering into or proceeding in that part of Lynton Road which lies between a point 4 metres east of the common boundary of Nos. 191 and 193 Lynton Road and the common boundary of Nos. 197 and 199 Lynton Road.

Kindly acknowledge my formal objection to the above proposal.

The width restriction was introduced as part of an experimental traffic order.

The council (Tim Walker) have stated

The Order was made under section 9 of the RTRA which provides powers for the authority to introduce an Order under a shortened, initial statutory consultation process. Orders made under section 9 can run for a maximum period of 18 months, during which time a decision should be taken that they are amended, revoked or continued indefinitely.

The general intention of any experimental Order is to allow all stakeholders opportunity to evaluate the scheme on the ground, to comment upon it and make a more structured evaluation of the scheme thus enabling a clear decision to be made upon it's successes and limitations before determining whether it should be kept, modified or removed.

In relation to this Order the notice shows that the Order expired on 4 September 2005. The network development team has not received a request for the Order to be made permanent

As a resident of Grange Road I am of a mind that this width restriction has contributed to higher traffic flows outside my home, and no evaluation has been made of this.

There has been no request to make the traffic order permanent, it should therefore be removed, and the all stakeholders, including those who may be negatively affected, be given the opportunity to moake a structured evaluation of the scheme..

The council has filed to follow its' own procedures in the making of this proposal.

[REDACTED]  
Grange Road



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