

Non-strategic Traffic and Highway improvement

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Location	Copeland Road
Proposal	Convert existing single yellow lines to double yellow lines
Ward(s) affected	Rye Lane

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A non-strategic traffic and highway improvement is a small project where the council proposes to modify the existing Highway layout. This may include changes to waiting and loading restrictions, traffic calming, improved crossing facilities etc.

Under Part 3D of the council's constitution, the Cabinet Member is responsible for Transport Issues: To decide to implement a traffic and highway improvement project, subject to statutory consultation.

Background / Request

This request came from the business owner, informing Highways that vehicles are parking on the single yellow line in between the build out and the site entrance, blocking the entrance and making visibility extremely poor.

Location

- Copeland Road, Rye Lane
- Copeland Road is in a controlled parking zone (B), operating Mon-Sat, 8.30am – 6.30pm.
- There are currently single yellow lines



Investigation and conclusions

- Officers attended site and noted that vehicles were parking on the single yellow line causing visibility and obstruction issues.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the existing single yellow lines are to be converted to double yellow lines.

This proposal is subject to Traffic Management Order (TMO) statutory consultation. A TMO is the legal mechanism the council as traffic authority uses to control aspects of the way that the highway is used. They provide the legal backing to signs and road markings used on the highway and allow them to be enforceable.

A detailed design drawing of the proposal is provided within this document.

Next steps

Should this non-strategic Traffic and Highway improvement proposal be approved, then arrangements will be made to carry out statutory consultation.

Following the statutory consultation period, the council will make arrangements to install the restrictions (road marking and signage).

Should objections be received during the statutory consultation period, these will be presented to the Cabinet Member for determination.

Reference	2
Report author	KH
Ward members notified	Yes
Comments	None