NOTICE OF MEETING

CABINET MEMBER SIGNING

Tuesday, 15th August, 2023, 11.30 am - Podium, River Park House, 225 High Road, Wood Green, N22 8HQ (watch the live meeting <u>here</u>)

Members: Councillors Mike Hakata

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2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. URGENT BUSINESS

The Chair will consider the admission of any late items of Urgent Business. (Late items of Urgent Business will be considered under the agenda item where they appear. New items of Urgent Business will be dealt with under agenda item 10).

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5. DEPUTATIONS / PETITIONS / PRESENTATIONS / QUESTIONS

To consider any requests received in accordance with Part 4, Section B, paragraph 29 of the Council's constitution.

- 6. 500 WHITE HART LANE N17 PROPOSED ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS (PAGES 1 10)
- 7. PROPOSED ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS ON CRANLEY GARDENS, N10 (PAGES 11 - 72)
- 8. PROPOSED SPEED REDUCTION MEASURES ON DURNSFORD ROAD, N11 (PAGES 73 104)
- 9. PROPOSED ZEBRA CROSSING ON WOLSELEY ROAD NEAR THE JUNCTION OF PARK ROAD, N8 (PAGES 105 126)
- 10. NEW ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS

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Monday, 07 August 2023

Agenda Item 6

Report for:	Cabinet Member Signing
Title:	500 White Hart Lane N17 – Proposed Road Safety Improvements
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Ward(s) affected:	White Hart Lane
Report for Key/ Non-Key Decision:	Non-key decision Affects one ward only/expenditure less than £500,000.

1 Describe the issue under consideration.

- 1.1 To report the feedback of the statutory consultation carried out from 15 February 2023 to 8 March 2023, on proposals to improve road safety and pedestrian accessibility in the vicinity of 500 White Hart Lane, N17.
- 1.2 To request approval to proceed to implementation, after considering objections and officer response to those objections.

2 Cabinet Member Introduction

2.1 N/A

3 Recommendations

That the Cabinet Member for Tackling Inequality and Resident Services

- 3.1 Approves the implementation of the proposal to introduce a zebra crossing outside 550 White Hart Lane and
- 3.2 Approves the installation of a raised table on Devonshire Gardens at its junction with White Hart Lane and
- 3.3 Approves the footway widening on Devonshire Gardens at its junction with White Hart Lane, including permit parking removal and waiting and loading amendments, as set out on the plan in Appendix A.

4 Reasons for decision

4.1 The Council is required to consider the feedback received during the statutory notification period, in particular any objections to the proposals, prior to proceeding to implementation. The proposals consulted upon are aimed at improving road safety and pedestrian accessibility.

5 Proposed Option

- a) To install a new raised zebra crossing and associated zig-zag markings on White Hart Lane N17 (outside no. 550), on which vehicles would be prohibited from stopping at all times. These will be placed on the carriageway either side of the crossing, no more than 17 metres in both directions. The centre of the crossing will be located at the existing refuge outside no. 550 west of the junction with Fenton Road.
- b) To remove 11.5 metres of permit parking outside no.498 & 496 Devonshire Gardens and extend the adjacent 'double yellow' lines to accommodate widening of the footway.
- c) To remove 42.6 metres of 'double yellow' line on both sides of White Hart Lane N17 outside No.550.
- d) To install a raised table on the western side of Devonshire Gardens N17 at its junction with White Hart Lane outside property no.498.

6 Alternative options considered

6.1 None.

7 Background Information

- 7.1 Haringey regards road safety, particularly pedestrian safety, as a high priority and are keen to improve conditions ensuring that all pedestrians, including vulnerable road users, have safe crossing points and feel confident and safe in using them.
- 7.2 As part of the approved S106 agreement for the highway development works on 500 White Hart Lane, Haringey Council is proposing to introduce road safety and pedestrian accessibility improvements for White Hart Lane N17, as set out on the plan in Appendix A and detailed below:
 - Provision of a new zebra crossing outside 550 White Hart Lane.
 - Installation of a raised table on Devonshire Gardens at its junction with White Hart Lane.
 - Footway widening on Devonshire Gardens at its junction with White Hart Lane.
 - Permit parking removal and waiting and loading amendments.
- 7.3 The total cost of the scheme is £125k, and funding is provided by the developer at 500 White Hart Lane, as part of a S106 agreement contributions.

8 Consultation

- 8.1 The notification letter was uploaded on the Council's website. Legal notices were placed on-street and in the local newspaper. A copy of the legal notice is shown in Appendix B.
- 8.2 As part of the statutory process, the following statutory bodies were also notified:
 - AA
 - London Transport
 - Police (local)
 - Fire Brigade
 - London Ambulance Service

- Freight Transport Association
- Road Haulage Association
- RAC
- Metropolitan Police (traffic)
- London Travel Watch

9 Responses to Consultation

- 9.1 The Council received two objections during the statutory consultation period,
- 9.1.1 Objection Resident

The resident stated the proposal will make parking in the area more difficult, encourage dumping of rubbish, create pollution and access issues for large goods vehicles delivering to Asda, if the proposed measures are approved for the junction of White Hart Lane/Devonshire Gardens.

Council Response

The aim of the proposed raised entry table is to slow motor vehicle traffic to a safe speed, prior to entering Devonshire Gardens from White Hart Lane, as the ramps become uncomfortable for vehicle drivers if they are driven over too fast. It also makes it easier and safer for pedestrians to cross the road on the top of the table where speeds are at their lowest. The removal of parking will improve pedestrian and vehicle intervisibility. It is acknowledged that the loss of 11.5m of parking may inconvenience some local residents, however, the proposal will help improve road safety and pedestrian accessibility by this junction, which will outweigh any potential dis-benefits.

It is unlikely that the proposed measures will create dumping of rubbish on the road. Nevertheless, the Council is committed to ensuring that any measures introduced along the public highway are duly monitored, therefore we will forward your concerns to our waste management team for their information. People who dump rubbish and litter can be fined or prosecuted by the courts, further information is available on the councils website: - <u>Fly Tipping and Dumped Rubbish | Haringey Council</u>

The pollution team is aware that emissions from traffic are the main source of pollution in Haringey and a combination of complementary initiatives including traffic management is key to creating a positive impact on air quality, in both the short and longer term. The Air Quality Action Plan (AQAP) 2019-24 lays out the Council's current and future ambitions to reduce air pollution. As with much of London, improving air quality is a key priority in Haringey because of the negative effect it has on our residents, particularly children, the elderly and disabled residents.

In terms of the proposed measures creating access issues, it should be noted that, at the design stage, a swept-path analysis was undertaken, using specialist software to analyse the evaluation and calculation of the space required when a large vehicle is making turning manoeuvres into Asda. During this process, the swept- path analysis did not identify any issues with regards to the proposed buildout.

9.1.2 Objection – Haringey Cycling Campaign (HCC)

The HCC objected to the proposed raised zebra crossing, stating that the proposed central island will prevent the introduction of any future protected cycle lanes from being introduced at this location and suggested future-proofing the site by removing the proposed central island.

Council Response

Haringey Council regards road safety, particularly pedestrian safety, as a high priority and are keen to improve conditions ensuring that all pedestrians, including vulnerable road users, have safe crossing points and feel confident and safe in using them.

In the last 3 years prior to 31 December 2021, there have been 10 reported personal injury accidents on White Hart Lane between Fenton Road and Rowland Hill Avenue, 8 slight, 1 serious and 1 fatal. The fatal collision occurred in December 2020 and involved a car colliding with a female pedestrian, which occurred near the Asda petrol station on White Hart Lane.

The proposed zebra crossing was initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about introducing a safe crossing point at this location, following a fatal collision, which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan.

The Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan supports the Mayor's London-wide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by having no killed or seriously injured (KSI) casualties on Haringey's roads by 2041; and supports the Council's own ambition to reduce all casualty types (KSIs and 'slight' injuries) with specific attention to vulnerable road users such as pedestrians.

Should funding be identified in future works programmes to introduce protected cycle lanes along White Hart Lane, mitigation measures to remove barriers along the corridor can be explored.

10 Contribution to strategic outcomes

- 10.1 The installation of the zebra crossing at this location will support the Mayor's Londonwide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by introducing a safe crossing point for pedestrians, in particular vulnerable road users. It will also support the delivery of the Councils' wider <u>Transport Strategy</u>, encouraging walking, as pedestrians will feel more confident and safe when needing to crossing the road.
- 10.2 The work also supports the **Responding to the Climate Emergency** Theme in the Corporate Delivery Plan, particularly the high-level outcome of 'A Just Transition'. The provision of the new zebra crossing forms part of the actions needed to achieve 'reduced casualties and safer road network in Haringey.'

Statutory Officers' comments

11 Finance

- 11.1 This report seeks the approval for the implementation of the proposed zebra crossing on White Hart Lane outside no. 550 and parking removal on Devonshire Gardens. The total cost of the S106 contributions for the highway improvement scheme on White Hart Lane including the provision of the proposed raised zebra crossing and parking removal is £125k. The cost of this proposal will be fully met from the developer's contribution.
- 12 Legal

- 12.1 Pedestrian crossing facilities are provided under powers contained in Section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, subject to Regulations made by the Secretary of State.
- 12.2 Before establishing, altering or removing a crossing, a local traffic authority shall consult the chief officer of police about their proposal to do so and shall give public notice of that proposal.
- 12.3 It shall be the duty of a local traffic authority to execute any works (including the placing, erection, maintenance, alteration and removal of marks and traffic signs) required in connection with the establishment, alteration or removal of crossings in accordance with regulations having effect under section 25 of the RTRA 1984, or in connection with the indication of crossings in accordance with such regulations.
- 12.4 Section 66 of the Highways Act permits highway authorities to provide objects or structures on a highway for the purposes of safeguarding persons using the highway.
- 12.5 The Highways Act 1980 permits local authorities to place objects or structures on a highway for the purposes of providing a service for the benefit of the public or a section of the public.
- 12.6 It is the view of legal services that what is being proposed and recommended within this report is in accordance with the law, as set out in this section.

13 Equality Comments

- 13.1 The Council has a Public Sector Equality Duty under the Equality Act (2010) to have due regard to the following:
 - Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited under the Act
 - Advance equality of opportunity between people who share those protected characteristics and people who do not
 - Foster good relations between people who share those characteristics and people who do not."

Although it is not enforced in legislation as a protected characteristic, Haringey Council treats socioeconomic status as a local protected characteristic.

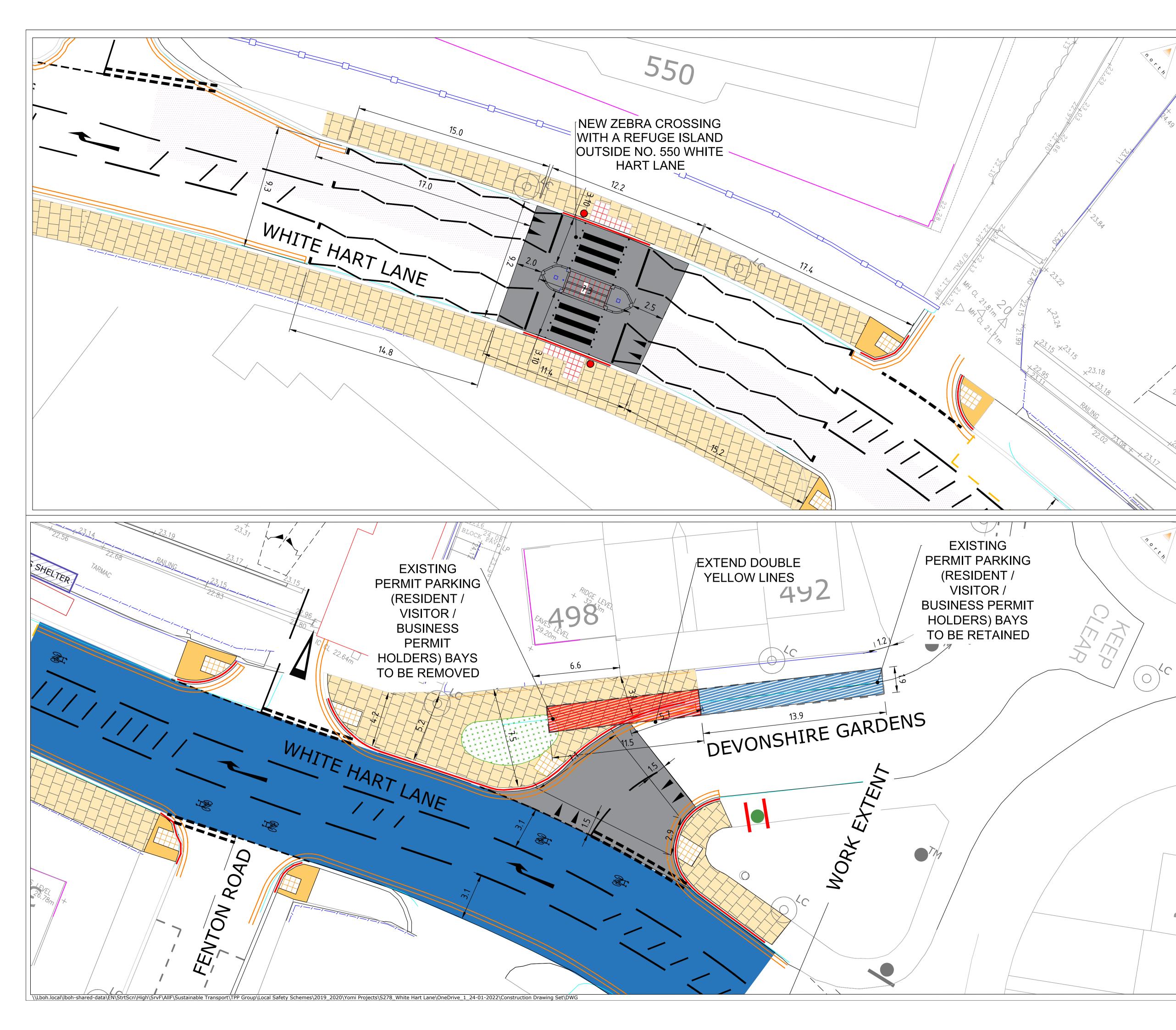
The Equality Act (2010) replaced previous anti-discrimination laws and introduced the term 'protected characteristics' to refer to the following nine groups that are protected under the Act:

- Age
- Disability
- Gender Reassignment
- Marriage and Civil Partnership
- Pregnancy and Maternity
- Race
- Religion or Belief
- Sex
- Sexual Orientation
- 13.2 The statutory consultation plan was uploaded on the Council's website. Legal notices were placed on-street and in the local newspaper to ensure that all stakeholders were made aware of the Council's proposals.

13.3 Having a kerb buildout with a raised table and a new raised zebra crossing as proposed will aid pupils crossing and would allow greater accessibility and safety of those in wheelchairs, and/or with buggies, thereby advancing equality of opportunity for groups with protected characteristics such as disability, age as well as pregnancy and maternity.

14 Use of Appendices

- Appendix A Statutory consultation plan
- Appendix B Legal notice



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Public Notice

ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS – WHITE HART LANE N17 The Haringey (Free Parking Places, Loading Places and Waiting, Loading and Stopping Restrictions) (Amendment No.***) Order 202* The Haringey (Charged-For Parking Places) (Amendment No. ***) Order 202*

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Notice is hereby given that the Council of the London Borough of Haringey proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, to implement a Zebra Crossing on White Hart Lane N17 under Section 23 Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and to implement a raised speed table on Devonshire Gardens N17 under section 90a and 90c of the Highways Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999.

The general effect of orders will be:

- a) To remove 11.5 metres of permit parking outside no.498 & 496 Devonshire Gardens and extend the adjacent Double Yellow Line to accommodate widening of the footway.
- b) To remove 42.6 metres of Double Yellow Line on both sides of White Hart Lane N17 outside No.550.
- c) To install a raised table on the western side of Devonshire Gardens N17 at its junction with White Hart Lane outside property no.498.

The above parking changes are required to facilitate the installation of the proposed Zebra Crossing and associated zig-zag markings on White Hart Lane N17, on which vehicles would be prohibited from stopping at all times. These will be placed on the carriageway either side of the crossing; no more than 17 metres in both directions. The centre of the crossing will be located at the existing refuge outside no.550 west of the junction with Fenton Road.

It is also proposed to install a raised table on Devonshire Gardens N17 at its junction with White Hart Lane. The maximum length of the raised table will be 8 metres with a maximum height of 75mm.

A copy of the proposed Orders, a copy of this notice, a copy of the Council's statement of reasons for making the proposed Orders and plan(s) showing the locations and effects of the Orders can be viewed via the online consultation portal https://consultation.appyway.com/haringey. Alternatively, an appointment can be made, by emailing traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk to inspect these documents during normal office hours at the reception desk of Alexandra House, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR. Appointments to inspect the documents will be available until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders.

Any person wishing to object to the proposed Orders or make other representation should send grounds for their objection via the online portal <u>https://consultation.appyway.com/haringey</u> or alternatively email <u>traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk</u> or write to Traffic Management Group, Alexandra House, 4th floor, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR quoting reference **2023-T03**, by 8th March 2023.

Dated: 15th February 2023

Ann Cunningham Head of Highways and Parking

Agenda Item 7

Report for:	Cabinet Member Signing
Title:	Proposed Road Safety Improvements on Cranley Gardens, N10.
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Ward(s) affected: Muswell Hill

Report for Key/ Non-Key Decision: Non-key decision - Affects one ward only/expenditure less than £500,000

1 Describe the issue under consideration

- 1.1 To report the feedback of the public and statutory consultation carried out from 14 December 2022 to 18 January 2023, on proposals to introduce speed reducing measures on Cranley Gardens, N10.
- 1.2 To seek approval to proceed to implement measures after considering objections and officer response to those objections.

2 Cabinet Member Introduction

2.1 N/A

3 Recommendations

That the Cabinet Member for Tackling Inequality and Resident Services

3.1 Gives approval to proceed with the proposed speed reducing measures on Cranley Gardens N10, as set out on the plan in Appendix A, having taken the feedback from the public/statutory consultation into consideration.

4 Reasons for decision

4.1 The Council is required to consider the feedback received during the statutory notification period, in particular any objections to the proposals, prior to proceeding to implementation. The proposals consulted upon will improve road safety and pedestrian accessibility.

5 Proposed Option

a) The Council of the London Borough of Haringey proposes to implement speed humps under section 90a and 90c of the Highways Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999 outside the following properties (unless otherwise stated):

Road	Locations
Cranley	Adjacent to No.158 Muswell Hill Road, No.2, No.8, No.43,
Gardens N10	No.61, No.34, No.52, No.68, No.80, No.82, No.121, No.135, No.147, No.142, No.177

b) Maximum height of the speed humps will be 100mm.

6 Alternative options considered

6.1 None.

7 Background Information

- 7.1 Haringey regards road safety, particularly pedestrian safety as a high priority and actively promotes road safety measures across the borough to reduce vehicle speeds, the number of road traffic accidents and to enhance the environment for all road users.
- 7.2 The Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan supports the Mayor's London-wide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by having no killed or seriously injured (KSI) casualties on Haringey's roads by 2041; and supports the Council's own ambition to reduce all casualty types (KSIs and 'slight' injuries) with specific attention to vulnerable road users, including motor cyclists.
- 7.3 The council has investigated the 36 months' collision data to January 2023, along Cranley Gardens and can confirm that there have been ten recorded Personal Injury Accidents (PIA), nine were slight and one was serious. Four of the PIA's involved pedal cyclists and three involved motor cyclists.
- 7.4 A speed survey was conducted on Cranley Gardens, east of Ellington Road over a 7day period in June 2022. The eastbound average speed was 24.2mph and the westbound average speed was 23.3mph. A second speed survey was also conducted on Cranley Gardens, east of Wood Vale over a 7-day period in June 2022. The eastbound average speed was 22mph and the westbound average speed was 22.2mph.
- 7.5 Following concerns from the local community about speeding traffic, as part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, the council is proposing to introduce speed reducing measures on Cranley Gardens, N10.
- 7.6 The total cost of the scheme is £87,514 and funding is assigned through the agreed capital programme.

8 Consultation

- 8.1 Ward Councillors were informed about proposals on 05 December 2022. Councillor Cathy Brennan welcomed the proposals. However, Councillor Pippa Connor requested further clarification on the proposals and relayed residents' concerns about the consultation process. These are detailed in section 9.2.9.
- 8.2 Notification documents were distributed to properties in the vicinity of the proposals on 14 December 2023. A copy of the public and statutory consultation document is shown in Appendix A and a copy of the consultation boundary can be found in Appendix B.

- 8.3 The Notification letter was uploaded on the council's website. Legal Notices were placed on street and in the local newspaper. A copy of the legal notice is shown in Appendix C.
- 8.4 As part of the statutory process, the following statutory bodies were also notified:
 - AA
 - London Transport
 - Police (local)
 - Fire Brigade
 - London Ambulance Service
 - Freight Transport Association
 - Road Haulage Association
 - RAC
 - Metropolitan Police (traffic)
 - London Travel Watch
 - Haringey Cycling Campaign

9 Responses to Consultation

9.1 The full consultation report from which table 1 was extracted, can be found in Appendix D.

Table 1 – Public and Statutory Consultation Analysis

Scheme	Response	Count	%
Proposed Road Safety	Support	45	31%
Improvements on Cranley	Objection	78	53%
Gardens, N10.	Other views	23	16%
	Total:	146	100%

- 9.2 The Council received 146 responses during the public and statutory consultation period, 41 (31%) in support, 78 (53%) who objected and 23 (16%) who had other views to the proposal. Objections have been summarised below together with the Council response.
- 9.2.1 Objection Lack on information on speed hump type and spacing

Several respondents felt that inadequate information was provided by the Council, so it was difficult to make an informed decision on the scheme. It was felt that the Council should have included on the consultation document, details like - what type of hump was being proposed, including the height and spacing between each hump, so all factors could be considered, prior to a response being submitted on the proposals.

Council Response

As part of the consultation exercise, the Council provided a plan showing the proposed locations of the speed humps and provided a letter explaining the background of the proposals. The Council considers the information provided, was sufficient for residents and businesses to provide a response, however, the Council will take these comments into consideration for future schemes.

Sinusoidal humps have been specified for Cranley Gardens. Humps with a sinusoidal profile are similar to round-top humps but have a shallower initial rise. They were developed to provide a more comfortable ride for cyclists in traffic calmed areas. The proposed sinusoidal hump will be 75mm in height and 3.7m in length.

9.2.2 Objection – The humps will cause Pollution, Vibration and Noise issues

The council received many objections to the proposals, stating that the speed humps will cause vibration and structural issues to their properties. In addition, concerns about vehicles slowing down and accelerating in between each speed hump, will cause additional noise and air pollution issues.

Council Response

When considering the use of road humps, the Council relies on data provided by the Department of Transport, who commissioned the Transport Research Laboratory (TRL) to carry out track trials to assess the effects which road humps might have in generating ground-borne vibrations when vehicles are driven over them for a sustained period. The results were used to calculate minimum distances, which would be desirable for road humps to be sited from dwellings, according to different soil types. This study showed that even very minor hairline cracking should not occur unless the road humps are placed less that 2m from the dwelling (for London Clay soils type). The humps proposed adhere to the recommendations from this study.

The proposed humps have also been spaced to comply with the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999 and Traffic Advisory Leaflet (TAL 2/96). Both publications provide guidance on the hump spacing to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed and discourage accelerating and braking between features which will also reduce noise and air pollution.

Moreover, the type of humps proposed have a sinusoidal profile which has a gentler than usual incline, which assists in reducing noise and vibrations whilst effectively reducing traffic speeds. This type of hump is also preferred by cyclists.

The pollution team is aware that emissions from traffic are the main source of pollution in Haringey and a combination of complementary initiatives including traffic management is key to creating a positive impact on air quality, in both the short and longer term. The Air Quality Action Plan (AQAP) 2019-24 lays out the Council's current and future ambitions to reduce air pollution. As with much of London, improving air quality is a key priority in Haringey because of the negative effect it has on our residents; particularly children, the elderly and disabled residents.

9.2.3 Objection – Speed humps will cause discomfort to vulnerable road users

Speed humps cause discomfort to vulnerable road users and can also cause discomfort to cyclists particularly when riding uphill. They were concerned that injuries can occur to people travelling over speed humps and vehicles can also get damaged.

Council Response

Road humps do not cause undue damage to vehicles if negotiated at the correct speed. Drivers who choose to drive over them at excessive speeds potentially risk damage to their vehicles, usually in the form of suspension or tyre issues. The speed hump specified for this scheme is of a sinusoidal profile, which is cycle friendly whilst very uncomfortable for vehicle occupants if driven over at excessive speeds. They will also be spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed and discourage accelerating and braking between features which will also reduce pollution.

9.2.4 Objection – The proposed measures will not solve speeding and create rat-running issues

Some objectors are of the view that the proposed humps will force vehicles to speed in between each hump, depending on the spacing, particularly when trying to overtake

cyclists. In addition, the humps will create slow moving traffic on Cranley Gardens leading to vehicles, using surrounding roads as a short cut.

Council Response

The proposed humps have been spaced to comply with the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999 and Traffic Advisory Leaflet (TAL 2/96). Both publications provide guidance on the hump spacing to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed and discourage accelerating and braking between the features, which will improve road safety for all road users and will benefit cyclists as traffic speeds will be reduced.

It is unlikely that the proposed speed reducing measures will displace a significant level of traffic on the surrounding roads. Nevertheless, the Council is committed to ensuring that any measures introduced along the public highway are duly monitored for their impact on the surrounding area. As with all schemes that are introduced on the public highway, the Council will arrange for before and after speed and volume surveys to be undertaken as part of the evaluation and monitoring process.

In terms of motorist overtaking cyclists in between the speed humps, the Highway code states that vehicles are allowed to overtake cyclists on the public highway where it is safe to do so and subject to providing adequate clearance space.

9.2.5 Objection – Alternative speed reducing measures should be considered

Several objectors are of the view that alternative measures should be considered in reducing vehicular speeds along Cranley Gardens, such as introducing a Low Traffic Neighbourhood (LTN), speed cameras and renewing signs/lines etc.

Council Response

It should be noted that vertical deflections in the carriageway such as speed humps are one of the most effective, reliable and cost-effective speed reduction measures currently available. The principle is that the proposed traffic calming measures will slow vehicles down to speeds below or at the limit, and in this way the 20mph limit becomes 'selfenforcing'.

Currently the Council has no mechanism to install speed cameras in the borough without Transport for London's (TfL's) input. TfL has advised that they are currently undergoing a review of their process for assessing speed camera requests. Once this exercise is completed, they will then take on and review new requests. It should also be noted that whilst speed cameras are effective in reducing vehicle speeds, it is only for a particular section of carriageway, after which most drivers accelerate to their normal excessive speed.

The LTN approach adopted at Bounds Green, St Ann's and Bruce Grove/West Green are in the midst of their 18-month trial period and it will not be until towards the end of the current financial year that the Council will reach a decision on whether to revoke, amend or make permanent the associated experimental traffic management orders. Those decisions will inevitably influence whether or not more LTNs are implemented across the borough. So, at this point in time, the Council is unfortunately unable to give any commitment that an LTN will be introduced in the Cranley Gardens area.

9.2.6 Objection – Funding could be utilised on more important issues

Some objectors are of the view that that the funding secured for this scheme should be utilised on more important issues, such as social care.

Council Response

The proposed speed reduction measures in Cranley Gardens were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan.

The Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan supports the Mayor's London-wide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by having no killed or seriously injured (KSI) casualties on Haringey's roads by 2041; and supports the Council's own ambition to reduce all casualty types (KSIs and 'slight' injuries) with specific attention to vulnerable road users, including motor cyclists.

9.2.7 Objection – Parking

The objections received stated that the proposals will lead to reduction in parking on Cranley Gardens.

Council Response

The introduction of this scheme will result in no parking loss.

9.2.8 Objection – Haringey Cycling Campaign (HCC)

The HCC expressed concern that the proposals will be unsafe for cyclists and suggested alternative measures such as renewing the existing road markings, introducing cycle symbols and Vehicle Activated Signs (VAS). It is of the view that these suggestions are more viable and a cost-effective way to improve road safety on Cranley Gardens. In addition, the HCC felt that the consideration of new traffic calming measures on Cranley Gardens is premature, without plans in place for local cycle routes or the Highgate East area.

Council Response

Vertical deflections in the carriageway such as a speed humps are one of the most effective and reliable speed reduction measures currently available. The type of hump proposed for this scheme is of a sinusoidal profile, which has a gentler than usual incline and usually preferred by cyclists. This type of hump has been used extensively across Haringey and on designated cycle routes, so the introduction of this measure is unlikely to hinder any future cycle route plans.

With regards to HCC's suggestion to renew the existing road markings, as with all schemes introduced on the public highway, officers will be reviewing and renewing road markings where applicable. Moreover, our reactive maintenance team have a rolling programme to refresh road markings around the borough, which are above the set intervention level.

VASs are a low impact traffic calming measure, which are not as affective at reducing vehicular speeds as speed humps. A VAS is an electric sign which displays' a message or speed when triggered by vehicles travelling at excessive speed i.e., '20mph' and 'SLOW DOWN'. For further information on VAS's, please refer to the attached Department for Transport - Traffic Advisory Leaflet 1/103. Due to the geometry of Cranley Gardens, speed humps would be more effective at reducing vehicular speeds than VASs.

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9.2.9 Other views - Councillor Pippa Connor

Councillor Pippa Connor requested the following:

- Why has Cranley Gardens been identified for speed reducing measures.
- Can the public and statutory consultation period be extended.
- Council not responding to all residents' enquiries during the consultation period.
- Clarification on the Councils decision-making process once the public and statutory consultation period is completed.

Council Response

The proposed speed reduction measures in Cranley Gardens were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan.

The public and statutory consultation period was extended to 5 weeks from the standard 3-week period, in order to take into account, the Christmas period. Therefore, extending the consultation period was not necessary, as sufficient time was provided for the local community to provide their feedback.

During the consultation period, it was not possible for officers to respond to all questions and suggestions received from respondents whilst the consultation exercise was in progress, as no decisions can be made until the council has a clear view of residents' views, objections, and concerns.

As part of the Statutory Consultation process, the Council is required to write a Delegated Authority Report, which includes all objections and the Council response to the objections, along with the Councils recommendation, which is presented to the Head of Highways and Cabinet Member for Tackling Inequality and Resident Services to review and make a decision.

10 Contribution to strategic outcomes

10.1 The installation of speed reducing measures at this location will support the delivery of the Council's Road Danger Reduction Action Plan action, by reducing vehicular speed, improving road safety. It will also support the delivery of the Councils' wider <u>Transport</u> <u>Strategy</u>, encouraging walking, reducing speed, encouraging cycling as road users will feel more confident and safe.

Statutory Officers' comments

11 Comments of the Chief Financial Officer

11.1 This report seeks the approval for the implementation of the proposed speed reducing measures on Cranley Gardens for a total cost of circa £87,514. The cost of this proposal will be fully met from the Council's capital programme, under capital scheme 302 – Borough Roads.

12 Comments of the Head of Legal Services and Governance

- 12.1 The Council has power under the Highways Act 1980 to carry out works for the improvement of highways, and for promoting safety on and around highways. Traffic calming measures involving road hump installation are authorised by sections 90A of the Highways Act 1980 and must comply with the Highways (Traffic Calming) Regulations 1999.
- 12.2 Before installing road humps the Council must consult with the parties described in paragraphs 8.2 and 8.3 above and place/publish notice of the proposal(s) as described in paragraph 8.4 above.
- 12.3 When a consultation has been undertaken, the Council must take into account the representations received in response to that consultation when taking a decision. The consultation responses received are sent out in Appendix D to this report and officers' consideration of the same set out in section 9 of this report. A judgment is to be exercised as to how much weight each representation should carry and whether or not to approve or further any of the measures in the proposals in light of those representations.
- 12.4 The decision to approve the highway works/alter/implement highway infrastructure and make/vary an order to introduce/relocate a pedestrian crossing can be exercised by Head of Highways and Parking in accordance with the delegation given by Director of Environment & Resident Experience in his scheme of authorisation dated 14 December 2022.

13 Equality Comments

- 13.1 The Council has a public Sector Equality Duty under the Equality Act (2010) to have due regard to the following:
 - Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited under the Act
 - Advance equality of opportunity between people who share those protected characteristics and people who do not
 - Foster good relations between people who share those characteristics and people who do not."

Although it is not enforced in legislation as a protected characteristic, Haringey Council treats socioeconomic status as a local protected characteristic.

The Equality Act (2010) replaced previous anti-discrimination laws and introduced the term 'protected characteristics' to refer to the following nine groups that are protected under the Act:

- Age
- Disability
- Gender Reassignment
- Marriage and Civil Partnership
- Pregnancy and Maternity
- Race
- Religion or Belief
- Sex
- Sexual Orientation
- 13.2 The consultation documents were distributed to all households / businesses within the agreed consultation area to ensure that all stakeholders were made aware of the council's proposals.

13.3 Having speed reducing features installed will be of benefit to all sections of the community. It will improve the local environment and road safety for all road users particularly vulnerable groups such as children. 'Age' is a protected characteristic, by increasing the safety of children, you will have positive equalities impact. Safe journeys to/from school and cycling will be encouraged with reduction in the number and severity of injuries to road users due to reduction in accident levels.

14 Use of Appendices

- Appendix A Statutory consultation document
- Appendix B Consultation boundary
- Appendix C Legal notice
- Appendix D Full consultation report

Highways and Parking

Ann Cunningham: Head of Highways and Parking



14th December 2022

Public and Statutory consultation Proposed Road Safety Improvements on Cranley Gardens, N10.

Dear Resident or Business,

Following requests from the local community, I am pleased to inform you that as part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, we are proposing to introduce speed reducing measures on Cranley Gardens. The proposed improvements will improve road safety and pedestrian accessibility.

The key interventions are as follows and are detailed on the plan overleaf:

- Provision of new speed humps on Cranley Gardens, including associated road markings
- Provision of new 20mph roundels, slow markings and cycle logos marking in various locations.

This letter marks the start of public consultation, during which we welcome your views on the proposals. Please provide these using the enclosed Freepost feedback card or email your views to us at <u>frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk</u>

At the same time, the statutory consultation on the proposed changes (legal process whereby the proposals are advertised in the local newspapers) will begin on 14th December 2022. The statutory consultation process normally runs for three weeks but given the approaching Christmas holiday period, it will run for five weeks until 18th January 2023. The statutory process is designed to ensure that anyone wishing to object to the proposals will have their views considered and responded to. You can object to the scheme by emailing traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk Please give reasons for your objection.

Please ensure that your response including any objections to the proposals reach us as soon as possible and no later than **18th January 2023**.

If you have any specific questions on the scheme, please contact <u>frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk</u>

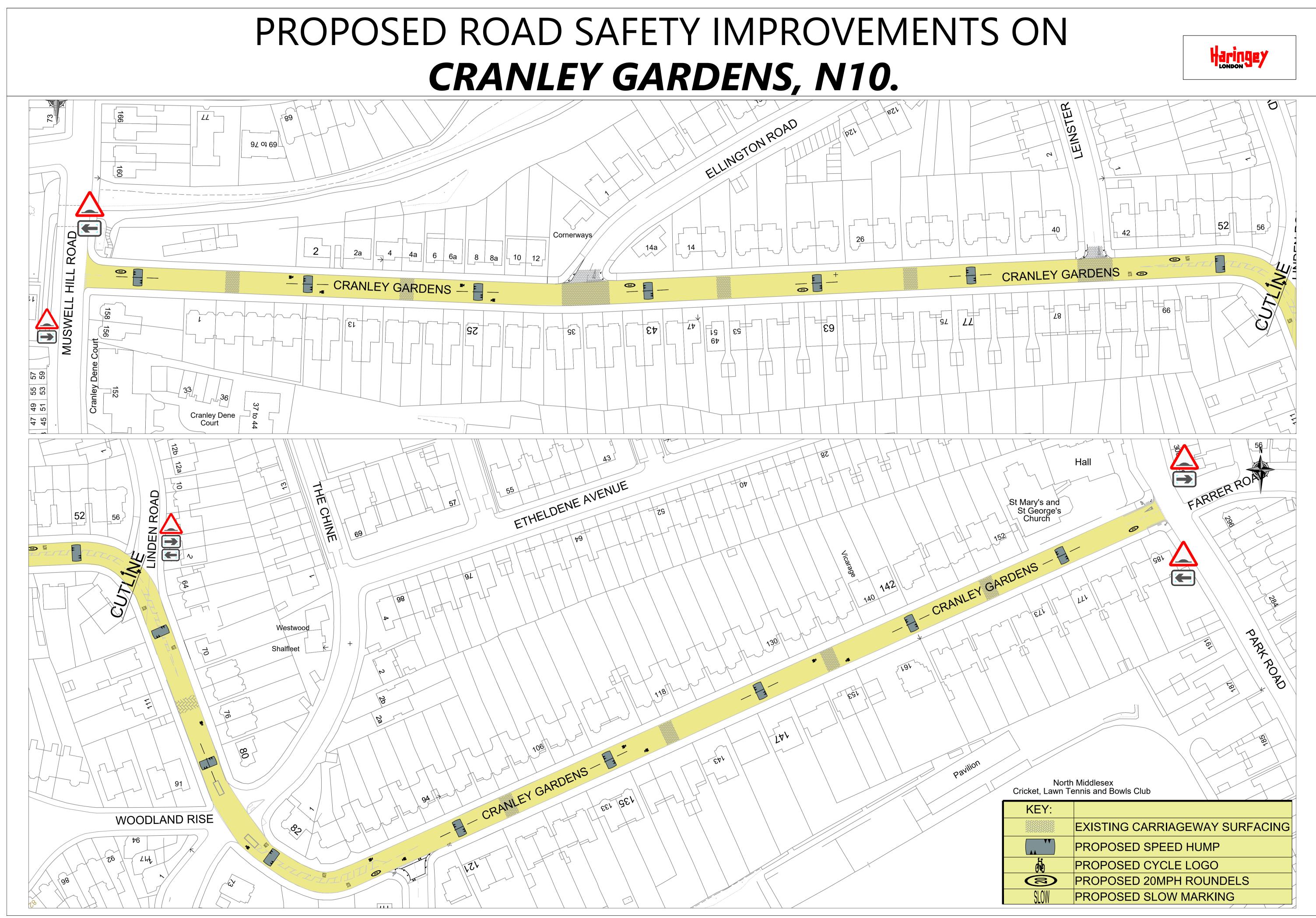
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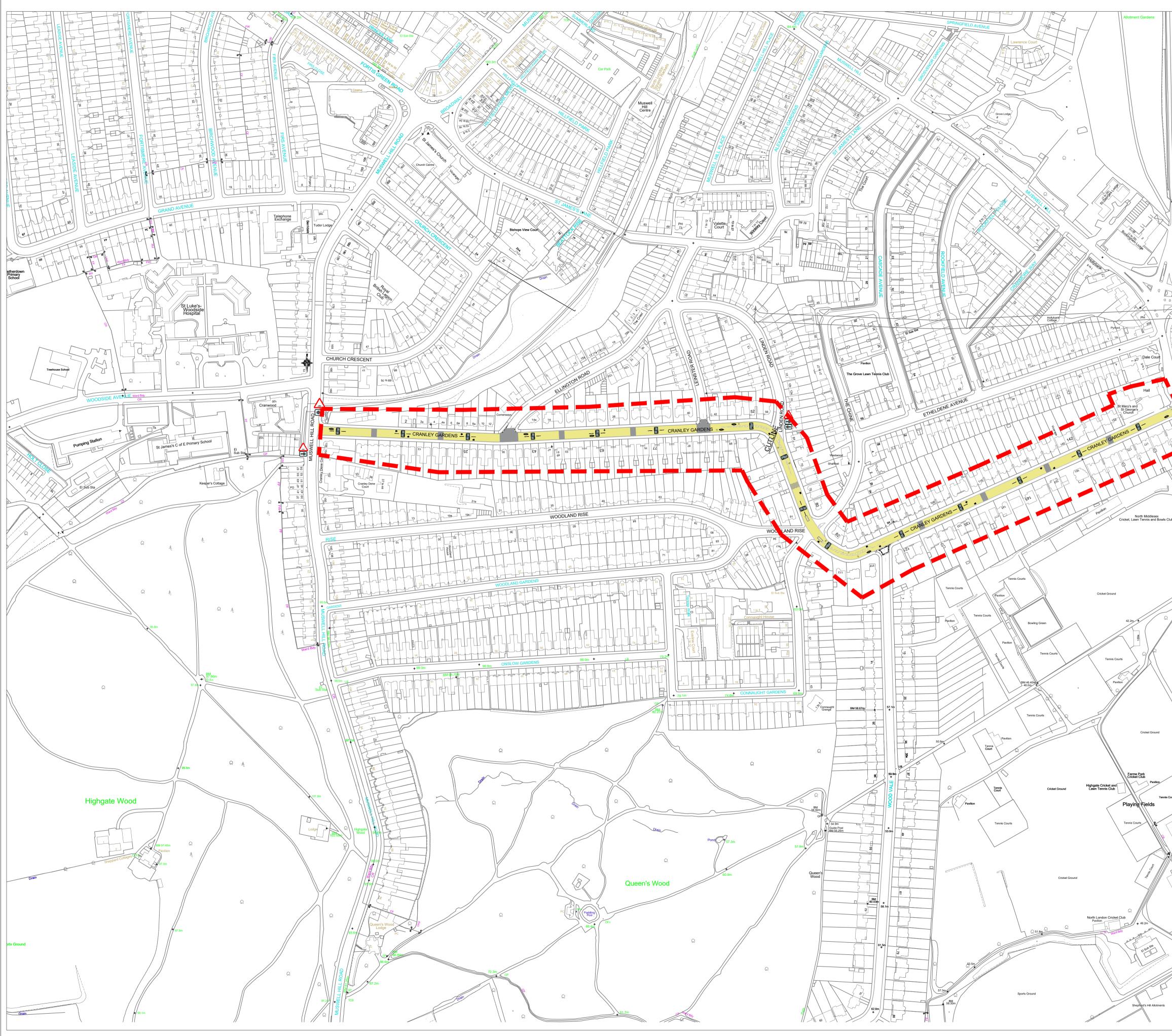
Yours faithfully,

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Public Notice



HARINGEY COUNCIL - PUBLIC NOTICE

ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS – CRANLEY GARDENS N10, SHELBOURNE ROAD N17, SHEPHERDS HILL N6, WOLSELEY ROAD N6

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1. **Notice is hereby given that** the Council of the London Borough of Haringey proposes to implement speed humps under section 90a and 90c of the Highways Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999 in Cranley Gardens N10, Shelbourne Road N17, Shepherds Hill N6 and Wolseley Road N6.

Road	Locations
Wolseley Road N6	No.16, inbetween flats 33 to 44 and 30 to 32, No.56, No.29,
	No.28, No.14, No.6
Shepherds Hill N6	Outside Goldsmiths Court, No.5, No.11, No.19, No.14, No.20,
	No.28, No.34, No.59, No.48, No.56, No.62, No.68, No.80, No.74
Cranley Gardens	Adjacent to No.158 Muswell Hill Road, No.2, No.8, No.43,
N10	No.61, No.34, No.52, No.68, No.80, No.82, No.121, No.135,
	No.147, No.142, No.177
Shelbourne Road	No.38, No.60, No.84, No.128 (existing zebra crossing will be
N17	raised), No.174

Maximum height of the speed humps will be 100mm.

- 3. Copies of this notice and of the Council's statement of reasons for implementing the proposal and plans showing the locations of the proposal may be inspected during normal office working hours for 21 days from the date of this notice at the reception desk, Alexandra House, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR.
- Any person wishing to object to the proposal or make other representation should send grounds for their objection via email <u>traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk</u> or write to Traffic Management Group, Alexandra House, 4th floor, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR quoting reference **2022-T80**, by 16th January 2023.

Dated: 14th December 2022 Ann Cunningham Head of Highways and Parking





Public and Statutory Consultation

Cranley Gardens Speed Humps Final analysis 10 February .

This consultation ran from 14 December 2022 – 18 January 2023. Postal service disruption resulted in a delay to compiling this final consultation report

1a Total Support / Objections

		Count	%
Support or object	Support	45	31%
	Object	78	53%
	Other view	23	16%
	Total	146	100%

1b Support by Road

				Support	or object	2	
		Support		Object		Other view	
		Count	Row %	Count	Row %	Count	Row %
Road	Cranley Gardens	44	48%	41	45%	7	8%
	Etheldene Avenue	0	0%	10	50%	10	50%
	Connaught Gardens	1	14%	6	86%	0	0%
	Rookfield Avenue / Close	0	0%	2	40%	3	60%
	Woodland Gardens	0	0%	5	100%	0	0%
	Cranmore Way	0	0%	2	67%	1	33%
	Cascade Ave / The Chine	0	0%	0	0%	2	100%
	Ellington Rd	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%
	Priory Gdns	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%
	Shepherds Hill	0	0%	4	100%	0	0%
	Not stated	0	0%	6	100%	0	0%
	Total	45	31%	78	53%	23	16%

See comments section for detailed information.

Comments – by Road

Road	Support or object	Comments
Cranley Gardens	Object	Re - plans to install speed humps in Cranley Gardens. There isn't a problem with speeding in Cranley Gardens. Surely, in these difficult times, there are better things to spend the money on.
Cranley Gardens	Object	I am opposed to your current proposals for speed humps . I believe them to be an unnecessary expense, unpopular with many if not most residents, and unlikely to promote road safety. In the nearly 25 years I have lived at this address I have not been aware of an accident other than at the junction of Muswell Hill Rd., and Cranley Gdns., Speed humps won't prevent that. There is also the issue of access for emergency vehicles which do use Cranley Gdns and should be able to do so unimpeded.
Cranley Gardens	Object	You have already done this consultation only one or two years ago, and the residents rejected it. Have you heard about democracy? You cannot keep asking the question, hoping that enough people will be away or not notice it. The traffic generally moves slowly on this street. The signs that light up if you exceed 20mph do the job. This idea would cause vehicles, including trucks, to slow down, changing the engine noise, then accelerating, waking us at night, with the accelerating increasing the pollution for people living here. So you want to disturb our sleep, increase our pollution, and make us pay for it. Why are you so keen to waste money when the poor of Haringey need so much help? Please kill this stupid idea permanently. Cranley Gardens is used often by ambulances. If you put humps in the road, they will be unable to use it, taking longer to get people to hospital. Ambulances do not have soft suspensions. If you are a young mother, rushing to hospital to give birth, can you imagine the pain and fear of banging into high bumps. Or someone with broken limbs, suffering the pain of being thrown up in the air? . Are you just so desperate to spend our money on projects that we do not want? I thought that Haringey, like other councils was short of money. You could spend it on helping poor families, rather than these stupid ideas which will keep us awake at night. I will explain, as I did last time, why this is a dumb idea, and why we don't want it.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I am a local resident and am in favour of both of these schemes. Proposed Road Safety Improvements on Shepherds Hill and Wolseley Road; and Proposed Road Safety Improvements on Cranley Gardens, N10.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I think they sound great, look forward to all the speed restrictions.

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Cranley Gardens	Support	I am broadly supportive of measures to reduce speed on local roads and Cranley Gardens is a road with significant traffic as it is often used as a through route across the borough. My own of this road is as a pedestrian, cyclist and driver. I think measures to reduce speed on the road would be valuable as this is a road where I frequently encounter vehicles doing well over 30mph. Personally I would prefer to see cameras in addition to the speed bumps, but I am mostly disappointed to see no proposed improvements for cycling on this road. Of all the routes up to Muswell Hill, Cranley Gardens is the least steep and therefore the easiest to cycle up, yet the only proposed provision here is some painted cycling signs on the road which provide no protection at all to cyclists. I would much rather see some proper dedicated cycle lanes on the road to allow good separation between road users. The speed bumps will help reduce traffic speed but in my view will provide limited help for cyclists. Please can you ask to repaint the carriageway markings between the up/down lanes! These have been missing for years and road traffic frequently drifts into the middle due to parked cars on both sides and ever wider cars.
Cranley Gardens	Support	As a resident who lives on Cranley Gdns for many years, I'm very much in favour of any traffic calming measures that can take place on this road. Cars drive at reckless speeds up and down Cranley Gdns and I've had our door ripped off our car by a passing speeding driver. The speed on this road is dangerous and will cause serious injury or death if it is left as it is.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I received the notice about proposed speed humps on Cranley Gardens. I am a resident on Cranley Gardens and would just like to say that I strongly support the proposed safety improvements. There is a lot of traffic on the road, and it generally travels very fast, way in excess of the 20mph speed limit, sometimes as fast as 40mph. This makes crossing the road very dangerous, especially with our young children. Speed humps would be a very welcome measure - the existing traffic calming measures seem not to have had any impact.
Cranley Gardens	Object	This is the worst possible idea. This has been tried out a few years ago, it caused a lot more problems than benefits. You are forgetting that if there is a problem in using Muswell Hill all the traffic is diverted to Granley Gardens. Furthermore the Police and Fire Engines use Granley Gardens as a short cut to get to the emergency. No one is speeding in Granley Gardens, as for cyclists, 'where are they', the number of cyclists is almost non-existent. This is a waste of tax payers money that can be better used for people living in the borough requiring financial help or social services, or schools that are crying out for money. Complete waste of funds

Cranley	Object	I am aware from your correspondence that you are currently proposing to
Gardens	00,000	introduce speed humps or bumps in Cranley Gardens for the following key
		reasons: 1. Cranley Gardens is the main route take by Ambulances for access
		to local hospitals and their journey should not be impeded in such a long route
		by these means. Similarly the fire station is nearby and the fire engines use
		this route also for speedy access. Traffic can be slowed down in the road with
		other effective measures. 2. Humps or bumps in the road affects parking ease
		and will cause congestion of parking for local residents. 3. Drivers sometimes
		speed up and slow down to go over bumps and humps. This causes more
		harmful fumes to be emitted. The houses are close to the road and
		consideration should be given to the possible harmful impact this will have.
		4. Will there be electric charging pods in the future required in the street?
		Where will there be space for such consideration if the road is littered with
		humps and bumps. There are already traffic calming measures implemented
		in the road. If these are insufficient speed cameras could be introduced with
		effect. I want to lodge these as strong objections and ask that further thought
		is given to other alternatives that will work for the long term.
Cranley	Object	I am writing to register my strong objection to your proposed provision of new
Gardens		speed humps on Cranley Gardens, N10 3AA. It is beyond all comprehension
		that the Council should be considering implementing 'sleeping
		policemen'/speed bumps, which have already been discredited by a significant
		proportion of drivers as an outdated and destructive approach to traffic
		calming measures both for vehicles as well as surrounding dwellings. On top
		of all that above, is that they can cause inconvenience and frustration for
		drivers, who may have to slow down significantly and then accelerate as they
		pass over the bump.

going across. 13.Speed bumps makes a car journey particularly uncomfortable for car passengers as it causes vomiting, particularly in the elderly and young children.	Cranley Gardens	Object	I strongly object to the proposed measures. Objections are detailed below. 1. The road already has a 20 mph speed limit. What evidence do you have that the 20 mph signage and current carriage way surfacing / road safety measures in place is insufficient to meet current needs? 2.Does Cranley Gardens have a significantly higher number of fatalities on the road than the average Haringey Street to warrant these new speed bumps? Living on the street, I don't believe I have seen any accident on Cranley Gardens to believe that it is not safer than any other street. 3.Excessive amount of proposed speed humps. What evidence do you have to support the need for further improvements to safety in the provision of an additional FIFTEEN new speed humps. This appears an excessive amount for the road in question. 4.Creation of significant level of noise pollution - noise levels caused by the rapid deacceleration and acceleration of vehicles going over the bumps. How do you propose to deal with this issue? Noise pollution caused by 15 speed humps with an average a car every 15 second travelling down Cranley Gardens .5.Creation of longer response times for emergency vehicles - resulting in loss of lives. It takes emergency vehicles an additional 20 to 30 seconds to get through each speed hump. This time is crucial when dealing with life or death situations. Having 15 speed humps will result in an additional 7.5 minutes for an emergency vehicle in response time to travel down Cranley Gardens. 6.What evidence do we have that speed humps actually are effective in slowing traffic? Over and above existing measures in place (Slow signage and displays of vehicle speeds)? 7.Speed humps are particularly unsafe for cyclists, particularly if you are proposing full-width speed bumps. If road safety is an issue, how are you going to make things safe for cyclists. 8.Dust pollution - each time the brakes are pressed, small metal particles are released into the atmosphere. A study by Kings College London has revealed t
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		particles are released into the atmosphere. A study by Kings College London
		has revealed these particles are responsible for making people sick. These
		particles contribute to coughs and colds, and a factor in more serious illnesses
		such as pneumonia and bronchitis. 9.Negative impact to those living with
		disabilities - with speed bumps causing further pain and injuries to those with
		spinal injuries 10. The installation of speed humps requires a significant level of
1		annual maintenance costs 11.Cranley Gardens has always had the streets
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		particularly in the elderly and young children.

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Cranley Gardens	Object	Dear Ms Cunningham I am resident of Cranley Gardens and object to speed bumps being installed on Cranley Gardens as there has been insufficient analysis presented of: accident statistics and the causes of the accidents on Cranley Gardens) b) how speed bumps would help c) the pros and cons of their installation for local residents and road users d) the maintenance plan for the speed bumps e) possible alternatives Please supply the required information in an easy to access online format so I can evaluate the proposal. I have thought for some time that there could be a serious accident on Cranley Gardens if a car or cyclist on Cranley Gardens was hit by a car turning out of a side road. The use of mirrors to improve sightlines coming out of side roads onto Cranley
		Gardens would be one way to avoid such an accident.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I write in support of the traffic calming measures on Cranley Gardens. Cars speed up and down our road and there have been several accidents outside our property caused by the speed people are going
Cranley Gardens	Object	I am writing to object to the proposed use of speed humps in Cranley Gardens. Personally, I find Speed Humps a very crude method of slowing traffic. They damage suspension of vehicles and create a very unpleasant and stressful ride for passengers. They are not an effective method of slowing drivers who travel faster than the 20mph speed limit on this road. It's also more dangerous for pedestrians, as drivers are taking their eyes off what's happening around them in order to focus on negotiating the humps. Residents living next to the humps are affected by the noise, as well by as potential damage to their properties from the vibration. They will also encourage drivers to cut through Woodland Rise and Woodland Gardens which are very narrow residential streets. I think a proper study of traffic flow is needed to justify the expense and prove this will be a beneficial project.
Cranley Gardens	Object	object to speed bumps being installed on Cranley Gardens as there has been insufficient analysis presented of: a) the requirement for speed bumps (eg accident statistics and the causes of the accidents on Cranley Gardens) b) how speed bumps would help c) the pros and cons of their installation for local residents and road users d) the maintenance plan for the speed bumps e) possible alternatives Please supply the required information in an easy to access online format so I can evaluate the proposal. I have thought for some time that there could be a serious accident on Cranley Gardens if a car or cyclist on Cranley Gardens was hit by a car turning out of a side road. The use of mirrors to improve sightlines coming out of side roads onto Cranley Gardens would be one way to avoid such an accident.
Cranley Gardens	Object	my strong objection to your proposed provision of new speed humps on Cranley Gardens, N10. It is beyond all comprehension that the Council should be considering implementing 'sleeping policemen'/speed bumps, which have already been discredited by a significant proportion of drivers as an outdated and destructive approach to traffic calming measures both for vehicles as well as surrounding dwellings

Cranley Gardens	Support	We are writing to express our strongly held views supporting the proposed improvements to road safety on Cranley Gardens, Haringey, London N10. We note that the roads at either end of Cranley Gardens namely Park Road, Muswell Hill Road and Woodside Avenue, are all provided with speed calming humps and central reservations. Cranley Gardens has no effective speed reduction measures and the only central reservation occurs at the bends where Cranley Gardens intersects Woodland Rise, Connaught Gardens and The Chine and at the intersection with Muswell Hill Road. As a result Cranley Gardens attracts drivers of cars, vans and trucks wishing to avoid speed bumps and, with its two long straight sections actively encourages speeding. It also appears often to encourage aggressive driving and behaviour that is threatening to drivers that comply with the speed limit. This is obviously dangerous and frequently leads to accidents. We have had a car of ours that was parked outside our house written off after having been hit by a speeding car that was involved in a collision and lost control at the intersection of Cranley Gardens and Ellington Avenue. With regards to pedestrians and residents the excessive numbers of vehicles, few of which appear to comply with the speed limit, make crossing Cranley Gardens hazardous particularly for the elderly and for parents with young children or toddlers. It also seriously endangers cyclists. It appears that the effective freedom of drivers to use Cranley Gardens as a "rat run" and at speed prioritises their behaviour over the rights of residents to live and walk in a safer and less polluted environment. We strongly support Haringey's proposal to introduce speed reducing measures on Cranley Gardens thereby improving road safety and pedestrian and cyclist accessibility. We very much hope that the proposed improvements can be effected timeously.
Cranley Gardens	Object	Much as I appreciate very much the need for reducing the speed of certain law breaking drivers on our road, I do not believe speed bumps are the answer. The Mayor of London often mentions the large number of asthma sufferers in London and it is a proven fact that speed bumps greatly increase pollution with cars stopping and accelerating away from the bump. My wife has asthma and bronchiectasis so it would be very irresponsible of Haringey council to make the air quality more toxic for her and many other sufferers by installing speed bumps. Speed cameras are a deterrent. Would you consider speed camera signs, with white lines or chevrons painted on the road in several places? Or maybe a very discreet speed camera (eg. SafeZone - Siemens) or two with its revenue raising advantages. No one wants to receive a pricey ticket in the post so I would imagine speeding could quickly become a thing of the past on Cranley with these deterrents in place. Many thanks for your kind attention.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I am fully in support of your proposals to place speed humps along the length of Cranley Gardens.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I'm generally in favour. Some cars drive dangerously fast along Cranley Gardens. I'm worried that pedestrians will be hit. But I would like to understand more. What type of speed humps are being proposed? Why these? What alternatives were considered? What about speed cushions? What about speed cameras?

Cranley	Support	I support the road calming measures proposed on Cranley Gdns.
Gardens	<u> </u>	
Cranley	Support	I wanted to provide some feedback on the proposed road safety
Gardens		improvements for Cranley Gardens. In summary, I'm very, very positive about
		the proposal and am very strongly in favour of the proactive approach to trying
		to reduce speeding and improving safety. We have lived on Cranley Gardens
		for just over a year. In that time we have been unpleasantly surprised by the
		amount of speeding traffic on the road and the fact that there are no effective
		traffic measures in place on the road currently (I appreciate there is
		carriageway surfacing and a speed checker however these do not appear to
		have any meaningful impact on speeding drivers). Despite the limit of 20 mph,
		it's the exception rather than the rule that the 20 mph limit is adhered to,
		particularly on the steeper section from the roundabout connecting to Muswell
		Hill Road down to Linden Road. I've personally been involved in a couple of
		incidents on the road, in once case being very dangerously overtaken at a
		narrow section of the road by a very aggressive van driver whilst biking. The
		second was a scarcely believable overtake whilst I was going at 20 down the
		hill in a car from Muswell Hill Road and I was sped past by an aggressive
		driver at a speed which was probably in excess of 40 mph. It's very
		dangerous and also adds significantly to both noise and air pollution.
		Particularly at night when there are drivers rapidly accelerating to make up
		time on the road it can be very disruptive to the adjacent residential housing.
		Particularly given that all of the other local roads (Muswell Hill Road,
		Woodside Avenue, and even Park Road) all already have speed hump traffic
		calming measures, I believe Cranley Gardens has become a road that drivers
		try to make up time on by not observing the limit and driving recklessly. It
		seems like it's only a matter of time until we have serious accidents involving
		pedestrians, cyclists, or other drivers and in my opinion it's well over due that
		we get similar measures as the neighbouring roads. Happy to provide more
		information or context if you want it.

Cranley	Object	I have received your letter this morning about the installation of speed humps
Gardens	Object	I have received your letter this morning about the installation of speed humps in Cranley Gardens. I object 100% at this installation, it creates noise as cars slow down then accelerate, pollution created by the same slowing accelerating process. I live at the corner of Cranley Gardens and Leinster road and the red brick pattern already creates a noise but we put up with it. Remember that some people like us have their bedroom in Cranley Gardens and in the summer, it would make it impossible to sleep with the window open. Some people like me are very sensitive to noise, light, radiation etc In addition to the inconvenience mentioned above, the humps damage the suspension of the cars. Have you ever been in an ambulance on speed humps?? I have . The ambulances have very poor suspension and it is no fun when it has to go over speed humps. Imagine a broken bone, a wound, etc Instead of concentrating on Cranley Gardens which is fine, why don't you try to find a solution for the traffic in St James lane. I never drive there but walk and every day I see people stuck in a line of traffic. Go and spend a day there and you will see. People have to reverse uphill in a narrow space, see what that does for pollution and on people's nerves, aggression. I have seen people in tears as they could not reverse uphill in a straight line. Why not make it a one way going down St James lane and up via Hillfield Park road or vice versa. I am sure that people in St James lane are fed up. I really hope that you will take my opinion into consideration. I thank you for that
Cranley Gardens	Object	 will take my opinion into consideration. I thank you for that. I I support the 20mph roundels, slow markings and cycle logos. Object to the proposed speed humps. This is for a number of reasons 1. I do not think the road is unsafe. I have not seen any statistics to say the road poses a risk to life to justify the spend. There is no school on the road to justify any further intervention, and I doubt our road statistics is worse than others. In 15 years I have never seen a fatality on the road or even a crash. 2. I actually think the speed humps will increase the safety risk. The speed humps will make parking more difficult. Given the hill and narrowness of the road, they are likely to increase the risk of accidents. 3. The proposed changes are likely to cause vibrations in the houses near the bumps which will be stressful for affected residents 4. The proposed changes will cause further wear and tear on resident vehicles 5. The speeding up and down causes extra pollution 6. I am sure this has been considered in the past and rejected and I am not sure what has changed to justify this 7. The council must have better things like adult social care, to spend it's money on. I do not think speed humps pass the value for money objectives compared to other services
Cranley Gardens	Object	Not required in any way. They cause additional danger in snow.
Cranley Gardens	Support	

Cranley	Object	I object to the proposed installation of sped humps on Cranley Gardens for the
Gardens		following reasons: •The road is already designated a 20mph area with the installation of appropriate signage at some cost and effective enforcement would be preferable given the multiple disadvantages of road humps. •Speed humps have various well established disadvantages: They cause an increase in atmospheric pollution from the inevitable speeding up and slowing down between humps, resulting in an increases in CO and HC of potentially 50%+ to the detriment of pedestrians and residents - see TRL report 482; oThey cause additional noise from cars through the process of speeding up and slowing down between humps and from vehicle body and load shaking as well as tyre impact thumps from commercial vehicles to the detriment of pedestrians and residents. The latter translates to physical shaking of properties adjacent to the humps; oThey create additional road maintenance costs because the road surface before and after the humps over a short period of time develop pot holes and subsidence, as is evident throughout the Borough; oThey are a major detriment to the progress of emergency vehicles particularly ambulances and fire tenders. In relation to ambulances they cause discomfort to patients and delay progress. In relation to fire tenders they delay progress and Cranley Gardens is commonly used by tenders from Hornsey Fire Station in avoiding the delays on Muswell Hill Road.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I fully support your proposed road safety improvements. Back in 2009, when residents were last consulted on either having speed bumps or pattern imprints, the consensus of opinion resulted in the pattern imprints being added to the road. These imprints along with the 20MPH and slow signs have unfortunately had minimal if any impact on reducing the excessive speed that some people insist on driving especially on the lower half of Cranley Gardens. Therefore I am of the view that the only way to achieve vehicles travelling within the 20MPH limit is to have speed humps installed.
Cranley Gardens	Support	Some years ago supposed traffic calming measures were installed in our road, principally comprising blocks of red coloured bricks at intervals along the road together with speed activated signs encouraging motorists to reduce speed. These measures have been wholly ineffectual and consequently traffic continues to travel along our road at speeds often considerably in excess of even the previous speed limit of 30mph. This is especially dangerous with regard to the sharp bend in the road mid-way along Cranley Gardens which vehicles seem to enter at speed, in particular accelerating along the flat/straight section of our road between the junctions with Park Road and Wood Vale. I have also noticed an increasing number of vehicles parked to the side of the road near our house which seem to have collision damage. Consequently i believe that only physical speed deterrents, such as the speed humps that you suggest, will be enough to reduce speeds on our road.

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Cranley Gardens	Other view	My comments relate to the the flat section at the bottom of the road from the junction with Park Road to the first bend just beyond the junction with Wood Vale. This a straight section of road and generously wide, even with cars parked on both sides, and offers drivers the tempting opportunity for a serious burst of acceleration. Too many drivers fall into this temptation and there is no doubt that vehicles travel up (and down) this stretch of the road at speeds far in excess of the 20 mph speed limit. Something needs to be done to reduce the speed of the traffic. Speed humps come in various shapes and sizes. Some are so small or avoidable that they have little or no effect on the speed of the traffic. Humps of that kind would be of little/no use. Others (those in Woodside Avenue for example) do have the effect of reducing speed and it essential that they do because if vehicles are driven over humps at speed the potential for damage to the houses near the humps is great. This is an issue which will no doubt be raised by the relevant parties and it will be essential to be able to satisfy them that the proposed humps will force drivers to slow down and cross the humps slowly. Other measures that could be considered: 1 The creation of a mini roundabout at the junction with Wood Vale, with signage ahead Junction Layout Changed followed by Give Way. 2 the introduction of pinch points by narrowing the road, or introducing traffic islands in the middle of it. Examples can be found in Creighton Avenue. These extra suggestions are both designed to remove the impression that this section of road is one on which you can hope to reach a speed of 60 mph or more, by introducing features which make the driver think differently. If these measures were adopted the speed humps could probably be less fierce (as in Creighton Avenue) and experiment of laws and be added to appear adverte the remove the adjustion avenue.
Cranley Gardens	Support	Avenue) and consequently of less concern to adjoining owners. Please can you choose a type of speed hump which is effective at slowing down traffic without causing damage to vehicles who approach the hum at the correct speed. e.g. NOT like those at the junction of Woodside Ave and Fordingly rd., or on Highgate WestHill
Cranley Gardens	Support	I think these plans are a good idea and would welcome speed bumps to calm traffic on my road.
Cranley Gardens	Object	I find it hard to comment on the proposals because there is no information about what the road humps would be like Further to my previous query send to this email address, my response to the consultation is as follows: I would support the proposals if they were modified to increase the number of speed bumps along the road. This is because that would reduce the distance between the speed bumps, which is excessive on the current plans. The current plans would allow cars and other vehicles to speed up too much and then slam the brakes on when they reach the next speed bump. To avoid the safety risks of that speeding and breaking behaviour, AND the associated increased noise and vibration to houses along the road, the speed bumps need to be more frequent and closer together. I would support the proposals if they were modified to include this.
Cranley Gardens	Support	
Cranley Gardens	Support	Happy if this stops cars racing in Cranley. You could have used speed cameras and made a vast profit!

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Cranley Gardens	Object	Object because speed humps will slow down fire engines which use the road as a primary route. Speed isn't an issue most of the time as it's too busy! Humps distract drivers' attention to pedestrians and many drivers swerve round them. Also dangerous for cycles.
Cranley Gardens	Support	Sped humps need to be of sufficient height to be effective.
Cranley Gardens	Object	I'm against speed humps generally and in this case I think they are unnecessary, and expensive. The money could be better spent elsewhere, given the council's limited resources.
Cranley Gardens	Object	I am against these proposals for many reasons. We don't need speed humps, bicycle lanes or any other interference in our street. We are happy as we are. The proposals are costly and counter productive as they would increase noise levels, damage cars and narrow the street making it difficult and more dangerous to face oncoming traffic. The council could better use it's limited resources elsewhere.
Cranley Gardens	Support	1. Fully support the proposed improvements. 2) we've campaigned for road humps here in C.G. for 10 years and have witnessed at least 2 nasty accidents with, thankfully, no fatalities. 3)_We would very much favour a new pedestrian crossing at the bottom of C.G. opposite the entrance to the church car park. This is because there are many parents, children and older people crossing at this point at all times of the day.
Cranley Gardens	Other view	I live on Cranley Gardens and have the following questions. The provision of new cycle logos is highlighted. Does this mean that the proposed improvements include cycle lanes? Can you also please let me know if the proposed safety improvements will result in a reduction in the number of available car parking spaces along Cranley Gardens. If there will be a reduction can you please explain why and where the reductions will be.
Cranley Gardens	Support	
Cranley Gardens	Support	We support the proposed measures. Other suggestions: 1. Installation of mini roundabout at bottom of Cranley Gardens (currently a T junction with Park Road). 2. Review and restrict parking on Park Road near junction at bottom of Cranley Gardens. Impossible for buses to pass each other because of parked cars. 3. Maintain zebra crossing on Park Road just before bus stop on way to Muswell Hill. Essential for people to cross road from Cranley Gardens to get to parade of shops and to catch W7 bus to Finsbury Park. Also to cross and walk into Cranley Gardens from parade of shops.
Cranley Gardens	Support	Also consider having mini roundabout at the junction with Park Road.
Cranley Gardens	Object	I object to speed humps. They cause more pollution through both exhaust fumes and noise. II support roundels ' Slow' markings and cycle logos.

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Cranley	Object	I object to any further interference in Cra	anley Gardens in respect of speed
Gardens		humps. 1:-They are very expensive to	o lay down, and Haringey Council
		cannot afford the cost 2:-Vibration caus	sed by speed humps substantially
		damage nearby house foundations. 3:-S	peed humps cause damage to cars at
		any speed.	4:-Speed humps cause massive
		discomfort at any speed.	5:-Lorries and
		commercial vehicles do not slow down for	or speed humps and the colossal
		vibration causes severe damage to near	by houses.
		6:-Cranley Gardens is a main road used	by police and fire enginesthey
		never slow down for speed humps.	
		7:-Speed humps cause substantial extra	a pollution down to accelerating and
		braking at each speed hump.	8:-Speed humps create
		substantial extra noise owing to accelerate	ating and braking. 9:-Moving kerbs and
		creating obstructions cause all of the abo	oveWhiteman Road is a good
		example of idiocy.	Extra signage is good, and
		most people abide by it. Average speed	cameras DO WORK, and they
		produce revenue which pays for them. F	urthermore, Police, ambulances, and
		fire engines can move freely and swiftly	without speed humps.

Cranley	Object	OBJECT: 1. Noise pollution Cranley Gardens is a residential street studies
Gardens		show there is a distinct increase in noise from cars accelerating and
		decelerating when approaching and passing a sheep hump. As many
		residents have bedrooms at the front of the house this would have a
		detrimental effect on noise levels during the sleeping hour in particular. The
		council has provided no evidence that the use of speed humps would maintain
		or reduce the level of noise on or near the road. This proposal would therefore
		be contradictory to local and national planning aims and rules and should not
		be permitted 2. Exhaust Pollution Studies have shown that speed
		humps create a total increase in pollution because of the inefficiency of
		engines during braking and acceleration caused by slowing for speed humps.
		3. Road Safety. A. The road safety in Cranley Gardens is very good with no
		accidents dating back many years therefore there is no special requirement for
		traffic calming. B. Given the nature of residential Parking and substantial off
		street parking (over 100 cars parked in residents Driveways) the introduction
		speed humps would add an additional point of danger for drivers entering and
		leaving their properties. Residents driving their cars into or out their properties
		either in forward reverse gear would have the addition hazard of a raised
		hump while driving at low speed and turning increasing the duration of the
		manoeuvre and increasing the distraction of the driver from other road users
		and pedestrian. This would lead to decrease in road safety. Also cars driving
		down Cranley gardens would have an increased demand on their attention
		while negotiating the speed humps. this would increase the danger of them
		not noticing pedestrians crossing the road and other drivers exiting their
		driveways. This would lead to decrease road safety. 4. Emergency
		services. Cranley Gardens is often used by the emergency services as
		Muswell Hill is often blocked during peak hours. introducing speed humps will
		reduce response times for our emergency service at a time when they have
		never been under more stress. Any increase in response times will lead to
		further risk to life. This proposal would therefore directly increase the overall
		risk to people's lives and should not be permitted On a separate not I object to
		the positioning on the speed humps directly outside my property for the
		grounds mentioned above but also it will interfere with the additional dropped
		kerb I have been granted planning permission for before this proposal was
		published. This dropped kerb is currently in the councils dropped kerb process
		and will be built within the next couple of months. Therefore if this proposal is
		granted please ensure the positioning of the speed hump does not interfere
		with my new dropped kerb.
Cranley	Support	I'd also like to see restrictions on the size of vehicles that can pass through
Gardens		here. Perhaps a narrowing of the road with a gate in the middle to allow
		access for emergency services. This could be towards the top of the road.

Cranley Gardens	Object	to formally object to the proposals to put speed bumps on Cranley Gardens as a traffic slowing measure. I believe the slowing down at the approach to the bumps and the following speeding up once over the bump will result in a marked increase in pollution in the immediate vicinity and overall. I have observed the map proposal for the location of the bumps and there is one directly outside my house (your map has incorrectly labelled my house as number 145 and not 147 which I find astonishingly sloppy and should be rectified before you finish your consultation period!) There will be far more noise and air pollution than we currently get from these proposals directly outside my house. I think putting in speed cameras and more warning sensory signs that are currently around the dogleg area would be a far more satisfactory solution. It will have the positive effect of slowing traffic without the collateral damage of increased air and noise pollution. The traffic going into Park Road quite often backs up to our house anyway so there little point in them at these times. I would also like to note that Cranley Gardens is an emergency route for police, ambulances and fire engines so cannot understand the logic of speed bumps over cameras as a solution. I am happy to speak to anyone involved with these proposals in person to further outline my concerns. I have observed that traffic proposal consultations such as this or CPZ previously are all done online without anyone have the consideration to consult us on the doorstep. I do fear the intention is to get these proposals through despite the majority of the people objecting to it so would like reassurance on that front.
Cranley Gardens	Support	
Cranley Gardens	Support	Essential that something is done for Cranley Gdns, as the road is so dangerous. There is no safe crossing place. Suggest putting in a mini roundabout at junction with Woodland Rise / Etheldene Ave, plus a raised area where Wood Vale joins Cranley Gdns. It's a very dangerous junction. Also the junction with Park Road is unsafe
Cranley Gardens	Support	Because this road has a steep slope and also, too many cyclists ride on the pavement; the pavement can be dangerous for pedestrians. DO NOT put in a separate cycle lane. There is no place for this as the road is too narrow.
Cranley Gardens	Support	In addition to the proposals, I'd suggest a mini-roundabout or peak-time traffic lights at the junction of Park Road and Cranley Gdns. This would ease the traffic build up in rush hours.
Cranley Gardens	Other view	I'm emailing on behalf of the residents who live at 183 Cranley Gardens. Can we confirm whether the speed bumps are going to affect on street parking? It's already very competitive to park in front of the house as delivery drivers often park there or the neighbour at 181 (who already has a driveway that can fit 2 cars) Parking at the tail end of Cranley Gardens (onto Park Road) is always problematic, especially when people park there to attend shops/ the pub. It can get frustrating when returning from work/ business trips with luggage and having to park at the other end of the street, beyond wood Vale, because of the limited on street parking. I'd just like to know that the proposed speed bumps won't make an already tricky situation more difficult RE on street residential parking.

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Cranley Gardens	Support	The last scheme designed to reduce speeding in Cranley Gdns was about 25 years ago and it had little effect because people objected to speed humps. Please make sure this time that speed humps remain in the scheme. Thank you.
Cranley Gardens	Support	We're in favour of traffic speed reduction measures here as cars currently race up and down in a dangerous fashion. Thank you for proposing this.
Cranley Gardens	Support	We are very pleased that these improvements on Cranley Gardens are happening and you have our full support. We hold the view that the red carriageway surfacing was insufficient for motorists' tendency to accelerate going down this road. I would be very interested to see the design options for the speed bumps. The complexity is for cyclists going down the hill and encountering the bumps at 20 mph. Cranley Gardens has an exceptionally regular and steep gradient.

Cranley	Other view	I understand there has not been the possibility to achieve a unified position for
Gardens		the street regarding traffic calming measures. Haringey council recognises
		the importance and value of 20mph speed limits on the majority of roads in the
		borough, unless there is reason for exemption. It is recognised that this is
		important given the link between lower speed and a drop in serious road
		collisions, reducing emissions and air pollution as well as promoting the health
		benefits from active travel, through promoting safe cycling and walking routes.
		Cranley Gardens as a residential street is signposted 20mph. It is on a hill
		descending to Hornsey with a series of sharp bends. As a pedestrian, cyclist
		and car user my experience is that the speed limit is exceeded by the majority
		of car users and on a regular basis significantly exceeded, to the level of
		dangerous driving, (particularly at the top end of the street at the onset of the
		descent.) The roundabout at the junction of Muswell Hill Road is
		also the site of traffic delay and frequent road traffic accidents and collisions.
		Cranley Gardens does not have controlled parking and therefore heavily used
		for off street parking (primarily at the Muswell Hill end) by families and visitors
		to Highgate woods on a daily basis; it also serves as overflow parking for
		parents at drop off time for children attending St James's School on Woodside
		Avenue, N10. The significant road use by pedestrians often children, at this
		end of the road should be taken into account when considering the need for
		traffic calming. The 20mph measures on Cranley Gardens are not
		achieving safe levels of traffic calming. There is clearly something about being
		at the top of the hill, driving into a clear road that encourages faster driving
		speeds. The council may wish to consider a differential
		approach in different parts of the street; a speed camera at the top or mid
		point may act as a deterrent to using excessive speeds at the top, which are
		then compounded by the descent on the hill. It is to be noted that
		in the borough of Islington, the Holloway Road, a wide non- residential
		highway has rigidly enforced traffic calming measures through the use of
		cameras maintaining the 20mph limits. I believe it is
		important to therefore consider an approach which specifically tackles some of
		the key characteristics of this street, taking into account its geographical
		features and pedestrian use, especially at the top. A differential approach may
		be required at different ends; noting that the current measures are insufficient
		in maintaining a safe residential environment, as opposed to a high speed cut
		through from Muswell Hill to Crouch end. Many thanks for your
		consideration to this feedback.

Cranley Gardens	Object	I strongly object to the way this radically different, traffic control system is being introduced. It may or may not be the optimal thing to do but your process seems non-democratic nor do we feel that we have had enough relevant information to accept this expensive, potentially problematic decision. Amongst other things: 1.Lack of local resident consultation on the matter. Residents consulted via notices and a detailed, helpful meeting in the church hall at the bottom of Cranley Gardens was the approach taken around 12 years ago when the introduction of speed humps was last suggested. Why were we not afforded this courtesy this time around? 2.Lack of provision of information and data supporting the decision. In the dark as to why the decision has been taken this time without above. Has there been an increase in serious, traffic accidents or incidents? Having lived on the street for over twenty years, this does not seem to have been the case. If anything, in recent years, there have been fewer incidents. The fact that the road is busier has in itself reduced the possibility to speed. How has the data been collected and are there minutes of the meeting where these decisions were taken? Is this material available? 3.Lack of analysis provided as to the positioning of the speed humps. Is this information available? 4.Lack of sensible due process particularly around the timing of the decision and notification. The last two major changes in our area have been posted pre-Christmas with an end of consultation date of mid-January which is a time when everyone is busy, on holiday or focused on many other things. Is there a reason for this? Regarding Cranley Gardens itself, are you aware that it is used as a redirection route for buses when there is an issue on Muswell Hill Road or Park Road? I understand that humps are not permitted on major bus routes. Secondly, we have an unusual issue where typically once a year, the road becomes badly affected by any major snowfalls in the area. We and other neighbours have to grit t
Cranley Gardens	Support	As a resident of Cranley Gardens I would like to extend my support for the proposed road safety improvements. Despite markings and signs drivers often break the 20 mph limit or drive aggressively through the constricted road. As a residential road with resident's cars parked on either side of the road, it is unsuited to the high volume of traffic that passes through, so any measures to curtail the more inconsiderate drivers is welcome.

Cranley	Support	I wish to submit comments in strong support of the proposed road safety
Gardens		improvements on Cranley Gardens, N10 as circulated in the leaflet dated 14
		December 2022. Key Issues 1.Risk of death and serious injury
		arising from excessive speed of some vehicles 2.Lack of safe places for
		pedestrians to cross the road Cranley Gardens
		1.Cut-through between Great North Road and Hornsey/Tottenham/Crouch
		End/Wood Green 2.Roads feeding into Cranley Gardens at each end have
		speed tables/speed bumps (Park Road, Woodside Avenue, Muswell Hill
		Road) 3.Cranley Gardens used by some
		drivers to 'catch up'; tailgating, flashing headlights, overtaking when driving at
		less than 25mph 4.Pedestrians include parents dropping off
		and collecting children from schools at junction of Woodside Avenue and
		Cranley Gardens (St James Primary School, Tetherdown Primary School,
		Ambitious About Autism School) 5.Majority of incidents
		on Cranley Gardens are not reported (vehicle accidents, wing mirrors ripped
		off, etc) 6.Many cyclists now using the pavement - or are
		deterred from cycling due to unsafe conditions Story So Far 2006:
		Council undertook consultation but - for reasons best known to the Council -
		consultation included residents in other roads; red rumble strips only installed -
		no impact (except increased noise) 2016/17: 20mph speed limit introduced but
		widely ignored Overall . The freedom of drivers to race up and down Cranley
		Gardens seems to place ahead of residents' right to live, walk and cycle in a
		safer, less polluted environment. We shouldn't have to wait for traffic calming
		measures until there has been a death or serious accident on Cranley
		Gardens. A police survey on Cranley Gardens in March 2017 resulted in 97
		warning letters being sent to motorists who exceeded the speed limit. What
		more proof is needed to acknowledge that there is a speeding problem? ·My
		family alone has had three accidents caused by speeding cars / aggressive
		driver - including one car written off and the incident attended by the police -
		but when we and our neighbours report the over-stretched police advise us to
		deal with our insurers. Thus we and our neighbours don't report accidents any
		longer. There are straight sections on Cranley Gardens (one 500m long, one
		380m long) with no crossing places. Even the roads feeding into and out of
		Cranley Gardens - Muswell Hill Road, Woodside Gardens, Park Road - have
		central reservations, pelican crossings and zebra crossings. And these roads
		all have speed bumps. No wonder drivers try to 'catch up' on Cranley
		Gardens. Consider for a moment how a mum with a child in a buggy is
		expected to cross Cranley Gardens, never mind an elderly person. Thanks for
Oreals	0	considering my comments.
Cranley	Support	Strongly support these improvements and I've been asking for these for years.
Gardens		Excessive speed of some vehicles is a nightmare and very dangerous.
		Residents have the right to live in a safer and less-polluted environment.

Cranley	Support	There have been a lot of views expressed on a WhatsApp group. The	
Gardens	Cupport	principal concern is the fear of the apparent noise and vibration caused by	,
Curdono		speed bumps. The drawing of the proposals attached to the leaflet refers t	
		"proposed speed bump" but gives no details. Can you please advise whic	
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		type of speed bumps are proposed? E.g. Speed humps/round top	
		Sinusoidal Speed cushions Speed tables/flat top	
		comments on 15 Dec: For the	
		attention of Joan Hancox, Head of Sustainable Transport I wish t	to
		submit further comments in strong support of the proposed road safety	
		improvements on Cranley Gardens, as circulated in the leaflet dated 14	
		December Excessive speed of some vehicles using Cranley Gardens: •T	he
		DfT[i] states that 20 mph zones should be used where excessive speeds	
		occur, and where traffic calming measures would be needed to ensure spe	eeds
		are at or below 20 mph. The DfT's Setting Local Speed Limits Circular[ii]	
		states that, where the mean speed is at or above 24mph, it is generally	
		recognised that using sign and road markings only will not be sufficient for	r the
		scheme to be self-enforcing or self-explaining, an issue that will create an	
		unsustainable enforcement problem. In cases where the mean speed is al	bove
		24mph, additional speed reduction measures should be used.	
Cranley	Support	I want to express my strong support of the proposed road safety	
Gardens		improvements on Cranley Gardens, N10 as circulated in the leaflet dated	14
		December 2022. In my experience as a resident of Cranley Gardens for a	over
		25 years there is quite a number of vehicle users who drive very fast both	up
		and down Cranley Gardens. Living opposite Ellington Road I often see and	d
		hear vehicles accelerating from the top of Cranley Gardens before racing	past
		me and braking as they approach the bend in the road at the junction with	-
		Linden Road. Vehicles also drive fast up Cranley Gardens, only braking a	
		they near the junction with Muswell Hill Road. The top section of Cranley	
		Gardens is straight and drivers seem to want to use this stretch to catch u	
		after being delayed on adjoining roads. Cyclists are in real danger. Many	
		take to the pavement. Parents and carers walking children to the schools of	
		Woodside Avenue are also in danger when crossing Cranley Gardens.	
		Indeed there are no safe places to cross the road. I support the proposa	l to
		introduce speed humps/tables. I would also like to see safe crossing points	
		pedestrians and a mini roundabout at the junction with Ellington Road.	
		Thanks for considering my comments.	

So you want to disturb our sleep, increase our pollution, and make us pa	Cranley Gardens	Object	Stupid, damaging idea to put speed humps in Cranley Gardens WE STONGLY OPPOSE THIS HARMFUL IDEA. Hello, It seems that every few years you arrive, once again, to propose speed humps in Canley Gardens, after it had been rejected by everyone last time, using valid reasons. Are you just so desperate to spend our money on projects that we do not want? I thought that Haringey, like other councils was short of money. You could spend it on helping poor families, rather than stupid ideas which will keep us awake at night. I will explain, as I did last time, why this is a dumb idea, and why we don't want it. Cranley Gardens is a fairly quiet street, and people rarely speed down it, The 20mph signs work really well in slowing the traffic. Here are some reasons why humps would be to the detriment of people living in the street. And add to this the fact that people need financial help, this looks like a really thoughtless waste of residents' money, and really bad taste. 1) At the moment, as you lie in bed at night, you hear only the gentle "swish" of the cars as they pass, not accelerating, not braking. 2) If you put humps, cars slow down to each hump. The engine sound changes, You would be aware of each slowing car. 3) Once over the hump, the car would accelerate, being noisy and waking us if we are in bed. 4) When cars accelerate, there is a LOT of pollution. So, instead of our peaceful lives, and nights, you want to needlessly spend our money to give us more noise, and more pollution! Remembering that trucks will have to do the same things, the noise and pollution from the trucks will be much greater as they go through the above four points. Why would anyone waste residents' money, to give residents more noise and more pollution? I don't think that anyone was elected in order to do this. In hard times it is also in very bad taste. It is like the Chancellor saying: I can't give the nurses a pay rise, because we do not have the money, but instead I will use the state's money on some useless, harmful project, because it amu
Cranley Object keep it as it is One could add a couple of 20mph roundels. Please no s	Cranley	Object	trucks, to slow down, changing the engine noise, then accelerating, waking us at night, with the accelerating increasing the pollution for people living here. So you want to disturb our sleep, increase our pollution, and make us pay for it. Why are you so keen to waste money when the poor of Haringey need so much help?. Please kill this stupid idea permanently.
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Cranley	Object	I am a resident of Cranley Gardens and I have been given a chance to be
Gardens	Object	consulted on this issue. Thank you for this opportunity. I wish to make an
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		evidence based decision on whether or not to support the scheme
		Ms Cunningham's letter date 14th December says there have been requests
		from the local community. I have asked for her to say what those requests are
		and this letter was ignored ·Ms Cunningham's letter
		date 14th December says speed reducing measures have been included for
		my road in the Road Danger Plan. This is misleading. •Because
		Ms Cunningham has completely ignored my requests for information I do not
		know why she thinks the scheme should be introduced
		 No alternatives to speed bumps have been proposed
		 Speed bumps will increase noise in the road all day long
		•The noise of fire engines racing up the road at night and hitting the bumps will
		certainly wake residents and their children
		·Vibrations may damage buildings and infrastructure (there is a mains water
		supply down the road).
		reduce accidents in the road which occur at the junction at the top of the road
		and not along its length . The road is subject to a 20mph speed limit. If this
		were properly enforced by clearly marked road markings and a couple more
		light up road signs that would make sure the limit is adhered to
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Cranley	Object	I Have found the fact that you are doing a consultation and opportunity to
Gardens		object at the same time confusing. I my reply to the consultation is set out
		below and ask you to read those comments to this response I object to the
		scheme. Ms Cunningham's letter date 14th December
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		limit. If this were properly enforced by clearly marked road markings and a
		couple more light up road signs that would make sure the limit is adhered to.
		that where drivers slow down and speed up between bumps that this
		increases pollution against a steady drive at one speed. I am not an expert
		and I must urge you to provide evidence of the likely impact on pollution of
		these measures

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Cranley Gardens	Object	I would like: 1)Details of the speed hump design proposed including such details as the profile (sinusoidal, flat top etc), height and width 2)Full details of the different hump designs considered and the report if any showing how the proposed design was selected 3)Estimates of the likely noise and vibration impacts on the nearest properties to each road hump. These are top be provided to me as peak vibration levels (mm/s) similar to the TRL papers on road humps eg <https: documents="" trl="" trl.co.uk="" trl416.pdf="" uploads=""> 4)The levels of vibration considered allowable in the scheme design (again in mm/s) 5)Clarification of the roads being consulted and if these differ from the roads consulted previously for a similar scheme in approx. 2016. If the consultation approach this time differs from previously I require an explanation of the different approach In addition, I formally request that the consultations be put on hold until such time as the full details of the scheme have been properly disseminated to local residents. Then, as is normal practice, an informal consultation should precede the statutory consultation.</https:>
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Cranley Gardens	Object	I would like to register my objection to the proposed changes for Cranley Gardens, N10. I live at 55 Cranley Gardens. Objections 1.No evidence has been offered that the current configuration of the Cranley Gardens road is unsafe. I am not aware of any significant accidents or incidents that would be sufficient to merit making changes. Does Haringey Council have any data or evidence that suggests otherwise? 2.The consultation notice states that there have been "requests from the local community". Can you please set out how many requests have been received, the nature of these requests, and why you believe these request merit any action at all. I do not consider it reasonable that the council merely act on suggestions/requests because requests have been made. Why does the council feel it appropriate to take action as a consequence of these requests? 3.Cranley Gardens is already a 20mph zone. Is there any evidence that this measure has in some ways failed to mitigate a danger from road traffic? If not, then why are additional measures deemed necessary? 4.Residents, citizens and council tax payers are facing significant financial burdens in the current economic climate. As such, I consider expenditure of this nature to be inappropriate and would instead propose that the budgets set aside for these measures be reclaimed and used to reduce council tax levels. 5.The road surface on Cranley Gardens has some significant pothole degradation in a number of places. In my experience, a greater risk is posed by drivers taking unexpected evasive action to avoid potholes, risking collision with other vehicles, rather than from excessive speed. Repairing these potholes would be a more appropriate measure for improving road safety. The same is true of a number of roads in the N10 area, for example Wood Lane. I look forward to your response to my objections.
Cranley	Object	I would like to object to the proposed speed humps on the following grounds:
Gardens		1. In my opinion there is not much speeding on the road, and therefore no
		need for bumps to reduce speed. 2. To my knowledge there have not been
		any car accidents. 3. Bumps cause cars to slow down and speed up creating
		emissions and noise 4. Bumps damage suspension, and I own a car and just
		spent £2,000 having it repaired.

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Cranley Gardens	Object	Speed humps will cause more noise and more pollution for residents. I don't object to signage or markings. I do object to speed humps.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I strongly support the speed humps. There is a lot of fast moving traffic on Cranley Gdns which makes crossing very dangerous - especially for children.
Cranley Gardens	Support	Thank you!!
Cranley Gardens	Object	I am strongly opposed to the introduction of speed humps to the road. I am not opposed to other measures like markings on the road, interactive speed reminder signs, cameras etc. I am not persuaded that there is clear and robust evidence that the proposed scheme is needed and consider that speed humps are likely to cause additional noise, vibration and pollution, thereby adversely affecting residents rather than improving our day to day living. While the road is not a major thoroughfare it is often used by emergency services which also will not be assisted by speed humps. There have been a number of accidents at the junction of Cranley Gardens and Muswell Hill Road and I do not believe speed humps will lessen the risk there. Haringey has many responsibilities and I think the current proposals are disproportionate to the issue being tackled and I would urge the Council to abandon any plans to install speed humps on Cranley Gardens. My neighbour at number x, has pointed out in his submission various procedural issues and concerns about the manner in which Haringey has carried out this process, which I too find unsatisfactory.
Cranley Gardens	Support	
Cranley Gardens	Object	

Cranley Gardens	Object	I hereby strongly OBJECT to the introduction of speed humps or bumps in Cranley Gardens, for the following reasons (note that I will refer to speed 'bumps' for simplicity, even though I understand that the Council is consulting for speed 'humps': in any case my considerations apply to either): -GENERAL OBJECTIONS: -Cars and especially lorries or fire engines driving over speed bumps notoriously damage adjoining houses by causing vibrations which in turn cause cracks. This is even more so in areas built on London clay such as Muswell Hill. The effects are obviously much worse for old Victorian or Edwardian houses, built with very shallow foundations, such as the majority of those along Cranley Gardens. There are many cases of homeowners suing Councils for damages up and down the country for these reasons, with Councils backing down and removing speed bumpsSpeed bumps generate increased noise and exhaust pollution, not just because of the dynamics of vehicles driving over them, but also because drivers will typically brake before a speed bump, and re-accelerate once past itOBJECTIONS SPECIFIC TO CRANLEY GARDENS: -There is already a traffic calming scheme in Cranley Gardens which was implemented a few years ago at considerable cost, comprising many elements: speed-reducing carriageway surfacing in various points, 20mph signage along the whole length of Cranley Gardens and on both sides, traffic islands, electronic boards displaying real-time measured vehicle speed, and 20mph roundels and cycle logos painted on the carriageway. Maybe some of the above should be freshened up, but there is no absolutely need to add to all of this! -Cranley Gardens is a main route for fire engines from the nearby Hornsey fire station and needing to attend emergencies in the Muswell Hill or Fortis Green area. These vehicles should not be further slowed down. Besides they will obviously tend to adopt a relatively high speed in an emergency, which would further exacerbate the problems mentioned above of heavy vehicles driving over
Cranley	Object	1. What evidence (accident rates / personal injuries) are you putting forward
Gardens		to support this proposal? 2. Speed humps are environmentally unfriendly and create NOISE. Also Haringey council would fail to maintain them. 3. Why not install more radar enabled signs to show drivers' speeds?
Cranley	Support	The road has become more dangerous. The humps will slow lunatic drivers
Gardens		down.

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Cranley Gardens	Other view	Support traffic calming - but NOT speed humps; as too many HGVs - esp. fire engines - use this road. Our houses already shake when lorries pass. Install more warning lights instead.
Cranley Gardens	Object	Strong objection to speed humps because of the noise, vibration, damage to vehicle suspension. They also impede emergency services. I suggest installing 'rumble bars' at bends in the road instead.
Cranley Gardens	Support	I strongly support the use of speed humps, as nothing else works
Cranley Gardens	Support	We have looked at the proposals and would support the installation of speed bumps in Cranley Gardens.
Cranley Gardens	Other view	I support tables with flat tops, but NOT steep sided humps. My preference would be for chicanes
Cranley Gardens	Support	Support in general, but the number and frequency of the speed bumps looks somewhat excessive. Could not some calming effect be achieved with fewer speed bumps?
Cranley Gardens	Other view	I support this IF the number of speed humps are increased; so as to reduce the distance between them and stop cars accelerating between humps.
Cranley Gardens	Object	My objection to the public consultation and related statutory consultation on 2022-T80 Speed humps in Cranley Gardens is attached. Please send confirmation that this representation is placed on the records for both the public and statutory consultations.
Etheldene Avenue	Object	It is Etheldene Avenue N10 which needs speed restrictions. It is used as a regular cut through and cars travel far too fast. If you incorporate speed restrictions in Cranley Gardens alone it will make more cars cut through Etheldene Avenue at speed. You need to instigate speed restrictions eg humps in both roads simultaneously. The other option is to use Etheldene Avenue for access only and close the end of the road to all traffic.
Etheldene Avenue	Object	these changes will only force more traffic down Etheldene Avenue, where you have steadfastly refused to implement any traffic calming measures whatsoever, despite years of protests from us residents? This will turn Etheldene into an even more dangerous rat run. Furthermore the problem will become exponentially worse whilst you implement these works. You need to implement calming measures in Etheldene FIRST and only then in Cranley. There are a lot of young families on Etheldene who are very worried.
Etheldene Avenue	Object	I live on Etheldene Avenue and would like our street to be included in any planning consultation for Cranley Gardens. Our street is used as a short cut and becomes very dangerous at rush hour with cars zooming down. We also suffer with congestion as the road is very thin. It allows cars in both directions, but is only wide enough for one car. Any traffic calming changes and measures on Cranley Gardens will have a knock on effect on our street. Please could you let me know if you can extend your consultation? If not, why not?

Etheldene	Other view	Speed bumps in Cranley Gardens would be welcome, but it is vital that
Avenue		Etheldene Avenue has the same safety measures as Cranley. Etheldene is already used as a short cut to the lights at the foot of the Hill, and attracts
		impatient and speeding drivers. Making Cranley safer with bumps may make
		Etheldene even more hazardous. The two roads must be given the same
		treatment
Etheldene Avenue	Object	Re your proposal for traffic calming on Cranley Gardens, I'm concerned that this will push even more traffic down Etheldene Avenue. We already have frequent speeding down Etheldene so I fear the proposal is simply moving the problem.
Etheldene	Object	Given all the traffic issues in Etheldene Avenue repeatedly brought to
Avenue		council attention why are we not included in traffic calming measures Outrageous ! The speed of traffic in Etheldene is far worse than Cranley and a serious health and safety risk We were told no money to address situation clearly there is and we pay exorbitant council tax Why is etheldene being ignored where the problem is very serious ?
Etheldene	Object	I understand that the council is currently consulting on the addition of new
Avenue		road safety measures on Cranley Gardens. Whilst I welcome the aims of the
		consultation and the addition of road safety measures, I believe that
		neighbouring roads, particularly Etheldene Avenue, should also be considered
		as part of the consultation. Etheldene Avenue already suffers from a high
		volume of traffic and speeding cars which use it as a cut through/rat run. The
		addition of further road safety measures on Cranley Gardens without the
		same/similar measures being put in place on Etheldene Avenue risks
		funnelling even more speeding cars down Etheldene Avenue as they seek to
		avoid traffic calming measures on Cranley Gardens. I have a young family and
		am very concerned about the dangerous drivers on a road that is not at all
		suited for the volume of traffic it now experiences. Therefore, I request that
		Etheldene Avenue is included as part of this consultation.
Etheldene	Other view	We support the proposed traffic calming proposals for Cranley Gardens N10
Avenue		BUT ONLY IF the same traffic calming proposals are extended to Etheldene
		Avenue N10. We live in Etheldene Avenue and it is a rat run for through
		traffic. A lot of the vehicles go down Etheldene at excessive speed. These
		facts have been brought to the attention of Haringey Council many, many
		times but nothing has been done by Haringey to address these issues. If
		speed calming measures are taken for Cranley Gardens then this will
		undoubtedly lead to worse traffic and traffic speeds in Etheldene Avenue with
		resultant pollution and increased danger to residents and pedestrians. Why has Etheldene Avenue not been included in the proposed road safety
		improvements?

Etheldene Avenue	Other view	I would like it noted that this will be a second set of traffic calming measures for Cranley Gardens. I live in Etheldene Avenue, N10 3QH and we have had several accidents involving children and also cars over the last 30 years and despite numerous calls for traffic reduction measures we have been ignored. What will it take for some action to be taken in Etheldene - a fatality? My daughter was taken ri hospital after being hit by a car twenty years ago and my neighbour's granddaughter, a couple of doors down was airlifted after being hit by a car. Please consider taking some action in Etheldene Avenue as well.
Etheldene Avenue	Object	I understand that the Council are not considering similar speed restrictions for Etheldene Avenue despite the fact that (as has been made clear on a number of occasions), this road is used as a "rat run", is considerably narrower than Cranley Gardens and is frequently subjected to drivers ignoring 20mph signs. Therefore by proposing to impose restrictions on users of Cranley Gardens, more traffic is likely to use Etheldene Avenue to gain access to Park Road thereby worsening the position for Etheldene Avenue residents. This is simply another example of Haringey ignoring requests for improvements to Etheldene Avenue in a number of ways - including traffic-calming measures, the idea of closing the road to through traffic, re-laying of the pavements due to uneven surfaces along the entirety of the road etc. Please therefore accept this email as a request to introduce calming measures on Etheldene Avenue as soon as possible and as a formal objection to the Cranley Gardens proposals in the meantime, for the reasons stated
Etheldene Avenue	Other view	This email is in response to the Cranley Gardens traffic calming consultation. I have no problem with the addition of traffic calming measures on Cranley Gardens. My main concern is that this will increase even more traffic down Etheldene Avenue, the parallel street. Etheldene Avenue alternates between a speedway rat run to bumper to bumper traffic. I feel strongly that Etheldene should be included in the traffic calming measures. Please consider adding some sort of speed deterrent to our road.
Etheldene Avenue	Other view	I am writing to request as a matter of urgency that Etheldene Ave is considered for traffic calming measures. This road is used as a cut through by many vehicles, many of which ignore the 20mph speed limit.
Etheldene Avenue	Object	I am a concerned resident of etheldene avenue. Number 22. We have been trying to get traffic calming measures in our road for years. I'm saddened and surprised to see the extent of the consultation for cranley that takes no account of our road. It is obvious that our road is already a rat run and this will become worse as it becomes the obvious faster solution with your plans. I'd like to see etheldene added into the consultation. I'm annoyed this hasn't already given the extent of our communication with you around this issue.

Etheldene Avenue	Other view	While I welcome your proposal to improve road safety across the borough, including at Cranley Gardens, I am concerned that you have not included Etheldene Avenue in the proposals. Our street is often used as an alternative to Cranley Gardens. It has become a has become a dangerous rat-run, with cars regularly speeding well above the 20mph limit, as well as occasional traffic jams backing up almost to Cascade Avenue, creating inconvenience, noise and exhaust fumes. This is a quiet residential street with many families with children and as well as elderly and disabled residents, where the through traffic is impacting on safety and amenity. We have made a number of representations to the Council requesting traffic calming measures, and feel strongly that the Cranley Gardens proposals should now take these into account. Ideally we would like to see the whole area enclosed by Cranley Gardens and Muswell Hill become an LTN. This could well prove popular and assist your efforts to gain public support for LTNs generally.
Etheldene	Other view	I approve of the Cranley Gardens scheme but only on condition that traffic
Avenue		calming measures will be installed on nearby Etheldene Avenue, N10. The Cranley Gardens plan will only increase the already seriously dangerous and polluting speeding on Etheldene. To ignore Etheldene now is outrageous, inconsiderate, and frankly irrational.
Etheldene	Other view	As a resident of Etheldene Avenue, please could I ask that our road is
Avenue		considered as part of the consultation for proposed speed reductions on Cranley Gardens. The Cranley Gardens scheme will have a knock-on effect on Etheldene Avenue which is already used as a cut though for those coming down Cranley Gardens and turning out on to Park Road. Our road already has faster traffic, due to the supposed (by non-resident drivers) 'one-way' nature of the road. Because there are few cars coming up the road (only residents), cars drive down at frightening speeds, and much faster than they do on Cranley Gardens. By making Cranley Gardens slower, more traffic will come down our road without restrictions to slow them down. Even as I write I can hear cars hurtling down the road at 9.45pm. We have been speaking to Haringey councillors for years about traffic measures on our road due to very real fears that one day there will be a really bad accident on the road, and with many young families and elderly people this is a constant threat. I look forward to hearing that our collective voice has been heard and that Etheldene Avenue will be considered as part of this scheme.

Etheldene Avenue	Other view	While I am largely in favour of traffic calming measures I worry about the consequences of the measures on Etheldene Avenue We live at 43 Etheldene and daily see the road being used as a cut through for drivers who think they can take 30 seconds off their travel time by speeding down Etheldene towards the Park Road junction, instead of taking a left turn at Cranley Gardens. Drivers who choose to take this route inevitably exceed the 20 mph speed limit since they figure they have an unobstructed route. This is dangerous for pedestrians crossing Etheldene, or cyclists riding the opposite way up Etheldene. I fear that the council's plans for Cranley Gardens will only exacerbate this problem. In my view the council should consider closing off to car traffic the access to Park Road from Etheldene, and instead making Etheldene one way towards The Chine and onto Cranley Gardens. In view of the fact that there is not a lot of car traffic to and from the Rookfield Estate this would be an easy way of calming traffic on Etheldene Avenue.
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Etheldene Avenue	Object	I am extremely disappointed that there is a consultation on speeding in Cranley Gardens which does not include Etheldene Avenue. I and a number of Etheldene residents have repeatedly raised issues of rat running and speeding which have fallen on deaf ears. Please rectify this oversight and include Etheldene in the measures,
Etheldene Avenue	Object	We live on Etheldene avenue. If speed bumps are installed on Cranley, cars will divert down Etheldene. Cars already speed down our road, sometimes at 40+mph. I do not think that the Cranley proposals should be considered in isolation, but the impact on Etheldene taken into account as well. I therefore oppose the plan, unless it is amended to address the potential impact on our street, either making it a no through road or otherwise restricting access.
Etheldene Avenue	Other view	I am concerned that Etheldene is not included in the current traffic calming proposals. We are on the corner of the above road and the Chine and are worried that calming Cranley Gardens with humps will cause 'boy racers' to divert to the rat run of Etheldene in even greater numbers than they do now unless the road is included in the current proposals.
Connaught Gardens	Object	I'd like to express opposition to the plan to put in speed bumps. I do not think they are necessary (have not noticed any problems with people speeding) and they make local journeys much more uncomfortable. I have 3 children and they really feel the bumps in the car on Woodside Avenue and it causes two of them great discomfort. We avoid Woodside Avenue for this reason and I am concerned that if more local streets are given speed bumps, there will be even fewer ways for us to get around locally in the car.
Connaught Gardens	Support	I live on Connaught Gardens. I wanted to send my support for the proposed speed bumps. I think it is an excellent idea and would encourage you to proceed.

Connaught	Object	strong objection to the proposal to install speed humps in Cranley Gardens,
Gardens		Muswell Hill, N10. My reasons are as follows: Procedural issues 1. In the
		previous consultation in 2009, adjacent roads were consulted but were not
		consulted this time around. As a result, the current consultation cannot be
		regarded as valid. Statement of Reasons 2. Both stated reasons for the
		Council proposing speed humps in Cranley Gardens, being (i) requests from
		the local community, and (ii) policy, as per the Road Safety Investment Plan,
		can be shown to be without substance. There have also been no accidents
		reported. 3. The Council's own papers shows that exceeding speed the
		limit is a contributory factor in only 6% of collisions in the borough, while
		human error (failing to look properly or a poor turn or manoeuvre) accounted
		for 60% of collisions. Side effects - pollution, vibration damage and noise,
		stressful ride for passengers 4. Speed Humps are a very crude method of
		slowing traffic. They damage suspension of vehicles and bicycles and create a
		very unpleasant and stressful ride for passengers. Having recently just been
		over such humps in an ambulance to hospital I can speak from experience! It
		is also more dangerous for pedestrians, as drivers are taking their eyes off
		what is happening around them in order to focus on negotiating the humps.
		Residents living next to the humps are affected by the noise and pollution, as
		well by as potential damage to their properties from the vibration. No
		alternatives considered 5. Installing speed humps is acknowledged as just
		one possible approach to traffic calming. Other possibilities include average
		speed cameras (which would also bring income to the Council), build outs,
		and more interactive speed reminder signs. A couple of additional pedestrian
		crossings for Cranley Gardens might also be helpful. 6. There is no
		evidence that the Council has considered any of these alternatives. Ongoing
		maintenance 7. Speed humps wear more quickly than the road itself. The
		speed humps in nearby Woodside Avenue show severe signs of wear and the
		Council seems unable to maintain these humps. 8. While the initial cost of
		the proposed speed humps in Cranley Gardens will apparently be met from
		external funding, Haringey would have to meet the ongoing regular
		maintenance costs. Conclusions 9. I oppose the proposed scheme in
		Cranley Gardens because there is no robust evidence that it is needed. The
		Council's Statement of Reasons are not robust and credible. Speed humps
		along the length of Cranley Gardens would be a blunt instrument which will
		have adverse effects such as noise, vibration and increased air pollution
		affecting all the residents of the street. 10. In summary, the scheme is poorly
		justified, some £100,000 has already been spent on significant traffic safety
		measures in 2009. Any further expenditure is not necessary and is likely to
		produce major detriment to both users and residents of the road. Humps are
		simply unjustified, unnecessary, and not needed.

Connaught Gardens	Object	We are residents on Connaught Gardens, N10. Several adults living in this house. We would like to oppose the use of street bumps on Cranley Gardens and suggest to use speed cameras instead. Speed cameras are an effective way of enforcing speed limits and reducing accidents. Although you have the cost of implementing and maintaining the cameras you will benefit from it as a revenue-generating tool and still ensure your goal of traffic calming. Traffic calming measures are there to create safer and more livable streets for all users, whether they are drivers, pedestrians, or cyclists. It's important to consider the needs and concerns of all stakeholders when deciding on the most appropriate traffic calming measures for a particular area and as car users as well as cyclists, speed bumps are an utter nuisance. Speed bumps are also increasing noise levels which for Cranley gardens is the least we all want! Thank you for reading our opposition.
Connaught Gardens	Object	Want: Thank you for reading our opposition. I have lived for many years in Connaught Gardens, which leads onto Cranley Gardens at one end. In that time I have been a heavy user of Cranley Gardens as one of two main thoroughfares into and out of our neighbourhood. In 2016 extensive road safety improvements were made to Cranley Gardens at considerable expense after consultation, with a proposal for the installation of speed humps dropped after consultation. The Council has brought forward this latest proposal without producing any evidence that the current safety measures are now inadequate. Personally I have seen no evidence that the new measures are required. My experience is that generally there is adherence to the 20 mph limit along the road and certainly there has been no deterioration in compliance in the last few years. Motorists are mindful that care is needed to ensure that vehicles pass each other safely and speeding (other than by the odd additional mile per hour) is rare. I object to the installation of speed humps. The noise and vibration they give rise to are a nuisance to local residents. They cause damage to the suspension systems and tyres of vehicles. They are very expensive to install. The Council has produced no cost/benefit figures to support this proposal. Without any supporting evidence on its part I am strongly opposed to this proposal. I am not opposed in principle to the other measures proposed. However I would strongly question whether the costs involved are justified in the light of the heavy demands being made on the Council's resources in the current financial crisis.

Connaught	Object	We are writing to object to the proposal of speed humps on Cranley Gardens.
Gardens		We strongly object to this proposal for numerous reasons as set out below;
		1. These ideas were proposed and then rejected by the Council in 2009.
		Instead, alternative solutions were found - placing islands at various points on
		Cranley Gardens to slow the traffic down. 2. There has been a lack of
		transparency about the decision and no information is available by a structural
		or engineering survey or environmental survey on aspects of vibration caused
		by vehicles, accelerating and decelerating, noise levels, pollution levels and
		potential structural damages to the homes. Surely the expertise exists and
		there is an obligation to provide such independent reports and we would have
		expected the Council to investigate this and provide the relevant information.
		3. This is a significant waste of public funds (not just construction but also
		maintenance) at a time when funding is urgently sought or other more
		carefully thought out for other priorities. 4. The problem could simply be
		addressed by review and appropriate redesign of the junction at Cranley
		Gardens and Muswell Hill Road where the majority of accidents that have
		occurred. 5. Putting speed cameras at a number of strategic locations on the
		road would achieve greater benefits and less adverse consequences. The
		revenues raised could be used to good purpose and cameras would
		furthermore alter the behaviour of drivers who exceed speed limits. 6.Cranley
		Gardens is a major artery used by ambulance and fire emergency services.
		7. Finally, we note that in the 2009 original consultation process that was
		rejected, this included residents not only Cranley Gardens but the adjoining
		streets such as Connaught Gardens, Onslow Gardens and other streets that
		link Cranley Gardens to Muswell Hill road. These residential streets are very
		narrow and it is exceedingly difficult for traffic to flow both ways, this frequently
		leads to situations where cars cannot advance or retreat on these steep roads.
		There is no doubt that speed bumps along Cranley Gardens would encourage
		drivers to use these narrow connecting residential roads causing major traffic
		blocks on these roads. We therefore find this extremely surprising that the
		local residents on these connecting streets have not been invited to the
		consultation process. In summary, this is a poorly thought out scheme which
		has previously been rejected and will bring no benefit to local residents. The
		council owes the local residents an explanation of exactly why this approach
		which was rejected more than 10 years ago has resurfaced and provide the
		professional reports as mentioned above. Furthermore the consultation
		process needs to be widened to include residents on the aforementioned.

Connaught Gardens	Object	I am writing as a local resident to register my strong objection to the proposal to install speed humps in Cranley Gardens, Muswell Hill, N10. My reasons are as follows: 1). They are a very crude and indeed dangerous method of slowing down traffic. They take away a driver's attention from what is happening around them in order to focus on negotiating the humps. 2) They increase air pollution due to vehicles being in a lower gear and slowing down and accelerating as they negotiate the humps. 3) They increase noise and vibration which is detrimental to the environment and the well-being of local residents. 4) There is no evidence that they are wanted by the local community. A previous consultation did not show a majority in favour of humps. 5) There is no evidence that the current traffic calming measures need replacing. Please reconsider this proposal.
Rookfield Avenue / Close	Other view	Many thanks for your focus on road safety in Cranley Gardens, which is very welcome indeed. As a nearby resident, in Rookfield Avenue, I want to point out a similar problem in a parallel road, Etheldene Avenue, with similar dangers. It's a smaller road, quieter, also residential, and already being used as a cut-through to avoid Cranley Gardens. It has a blind curve and people race along the road sometimes 30-40mph, and cutting the corner blindly, straying into the other side with oncoming traffic. It's terrifying. I am very worried that the problem in Etheldene Avenue will increase after the speed bumps are put in to Cranley Gardens. Please could the new initiative be extended to include Etheldene Avenue as well? I know I speak for many other residents nearby, who I think will be writing too. Thank you for considering this request.
Rookfield Avenue / Close	Object	I am concerned by this proposal as it would merely deflect further traffic on to Etheldene Avenue, which is widely used as a rat-run. I know you are well aware of speeding on Etheldene Avenue, because I have seen the police using a speed gun there. If you are going to put speed bumps on Cranley Gardens, you need also to put them on Etheldene Avenue.
Rookfield Avenue / Close	Other view	We are writing in response to the proposed provision of speed humps and 20mph roundels on Cranley Gardens amongst other measures. Whilst these traffic calming measures are welcome for Cranley Gardens we are concerned about the knock on effect they will have on the current traffic flow on Etheldene Avenue. Currently Etheldene Avenue suffers from very fast traffic at rush hours as drivers try to avoid the regular congestion at the foot of Cranley Gardens at the junction with Priory Road. The traffic speeds down the road and it is especially dangerous on the blind bend where The Chine becomes Etheldene Avenue. We feel the traffic calming measures on Cranley Gardens will further exacerbate this problem as drivers will attempt to avoid the traffic calming measures in Cranley Gdns and further use Etheldene as a rat run. We are afraid there is a serious accident just waiting to happen.

Rookfield Avenue / Close	Object	It has come to my attention that you plan to introduce speed bumps to calm traffic in Cranley Gardens. However, I see no mention of Etheldene Ave in your plans. There is already a problem of through traffic speeding down Etheldene. With traffic calming on Cranley this will lead to INCREASED speeding down Etheldene. In my view, Etheldene needs to be part of this scheme with speed bumps on Etheldene. This affects all residents on Etheldene and the Rookfield estate whose route in and out is along Etheldene.
Rookfield Avenue / Close	Other view	I wish to sound my worries that not including Etheldine Avenue in the scheme will allow the avenue to become a rat run to avoid Cranley gdns! This Must NOT happeninclude the Chine as well as Etheldine in the road speed controls to avoid future mayhem in a residential road.
Woodland Gardens	Object	I have just heard about the speed bumps that are scheduled to be placed on Cranley Gardens. I live on Woodland Gardens which is already a very tight road to drive on, and I fear this is just going to drive traffic to our already busy street. I am also concerned about increased pollution as cars idle, reverse and slow as our road gets busier. I oppose this change.
Woodland Gardens	Object	There has been no notification about the Council's intention to put speed humps here. We are totally against this. You have already spent a six figure sum on traffic calming and now propose yet another which, this time, will harm ambulances, anyone with a bad back and any car's suspension. Would you please put statistics about requests from residents in the public domain. We have a right to know. As residents of Woodland Gardens, we know that such a measure would only bring more traffic to this and other parallel roads

Woodland	Object	I never could understand why Haringey Council always waste money and
Gardens		energy on solving non-existent problems. How many accidents were recorded
		on Cranley Gardens? How many were related to speeding? It looks that for
		quite a few years there were no injuries recorded on Cranley Gardens and
		none of the incidents was related to speeding. So what is the purpose of this
		humps? It looks that the most dangerous part of Cranley Gardens is the
		junction with Muswell Hill Road with a few casualties, most of them with
		motorcycles involved and none of them related to speeding. Wouldn't be more
		effective to pay more attention to tackle bad motorcycle driving instead of
		wasting money on installing unnecessary humps. Accordingly to statistics only
		6% of accidents are related to excessive speed, while 60% is attributed to
		human error. Maybe better traffic organisation in high risk places would be
		more effective in reducing the number of accidents than placing unnecessary
		humps in random places with no recorded accidents. Humps increase
		pollution. Isn't the Council policy to reduce pollution? Installing humps
		obviously contravene Council's policy in this matter. Humps damage vehicles
		costing vast amounts in repairs and contribute to increase CO2 emissions due
		to cars being replaced more often. Vibrations caused by passing traffic are
		damaging surrounding properties. What about increased noise levels? Humps
		are detrimental to emergency services. Ambulance and fire brigade are
		affected by humps causing delays in attending emergencies and putting lives
		at risk. Have you ever been in an ambulance with severe condition or pain
		while the ambulance negotiate humps? If yes, I hope you enjoyed it. There
		were many humps on Woodside Avenue. Recently the number of humps
		increased. Most of them are already in urgent need of repair as they are
		dangerous to passing vehicles. Obviously, there is no money for their
		maintenance. So why to waste money on installing more humps, which once
		installed will be left neglected posing more road danger. Do not waste money
		on something which does not solve any problems, is detrimental to vehicles,
		residents' health and their properties. Use the money for something useful like
		keeping our streets clean. It is January and dead leaves are still not cleared
		from pavements since autumn posing not potential but real danger to people
		walking down the streets. You want to reduce rubbish and recycling collection.
		Do not waste money on useless humps, keep rubbish collection! Consider
		removing ALL humps in the whole borough. Do something useful to make our
		life more pleasant.

Woodland	Object	We are residents on the bottom of Woodland Gardens about 75meter off
Gardens		Cranley Gardens and a frequent user of Cranley Gardens either as cyclists or
		car drivers. We heard about the proposal to implement 16 speed bumps on
		that road aiming to slow down traffic. We appreciate your aim to slowdown
		traffic speed, however on balance our view and strong opinion is that this
		would be a bad idea for the following multiple reasons: * the impact on car
		journey is very unpleasant. As an example Woodside avenue with an equal
		number of speed bumps became almost undriveable Not only is it bad for
		the cars, their suspensions, their tyres but - for the passengers it becomes a
		health hazard: the continuous motion upwards/downwards when passing over
		the bump but as well as the continuous forward and backward movements
		when it comes to quasi stopping the car than accelerate. We have multiple
		people with motion sickness in the family for whom this is causing a real
		health issue and we actively search to avoid roads with multiple speed bumps.
		We will not be able to avoid Cranley Gardens though progression of
		emergency vehicles will be slowed down and journey in them very difficult
		particularly in ambulances * air pollution: the repeat accelerations will reduce
		the quality of air and increase CO2 and NOX pollution in the air. As a keen
		cyclist I can confirm that particularly on uphill roads such accelerations are
		noticeable and will make a big difference to the air quality immediately
		observable not only nearby but also further in neighbouring streets. * noise
		pollution: all these acceleration will make the road much more noisy than it
		already is for the entire neighbourhood not only for those living directly on the
		street. We are also of the view that while the road is wide and could allow
		certain cars to speed, we did not observe such behaviour over the past 10
		years living nearby. Neither did we hear of any accident/incident that would
		warrant such a drastic action. In the above example of Woodside Avenue,
		there are two schools, a retirement village potentially warranting such drastic
		action. Not here. For all these reason, we would much prefer to implement a
		milder version of speed control such as speed cameras, perhaps narrowing of
		lanes via bends/island. Speed cameras would also have the benefit to
		generate revenue to the council. Please be assured we are in favour of speed
		control- however of a different nature than the proposed one.

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Woodland Gardens	Object	I am writing to strongly oppose the speed calming measures proposed for Cranley Gardens. 1. Firstly your consultation is flawed as you have not actively consulted with the surrounding roads which will bear the impact of these proposals and shift potential risk on to these surrounding roads. I only heard about the consultation and proposal through the grapevine yesterday! 2. I understand that the council has already spent £100K on speed calming measures. These already have impact. Putting 16 humps along Cranley gardens is a really bad idea. It causes potential damage to properties, affects the suspension of vehicles, and most importantly is a problem for the emergency services slowing them down substantially. Imagine the experience of being seriously ill and having to experience 16 humps on one road only, in an ambulance on the way to hospital. 3. No regard has been given to the impact on surrounding roads. Whenever Cranley Gardens is slowed due to road works there is severe impact on Woodland Rise which becomes a speed trap as frustrated drivers speed up the road. There are many families with young children living on Woodland Rise. This presents a danger to them. Also it is a narrow road when cars are parked on both sides. This leads to damage to cars. There has been no formal notification to residents in our road who will have the impact of 16 humps in Cranley gardens. 4. I regularly drive up and down Cranley Gardens and do not think that it is a road where people particularly speed. The Council can put cameras on Cranley Gardens which will change behaviors where they need to be changed. It is already a 20 mile speed limit road. In conclusion we are against the proposal and also very disappointed that the council has not formally consulted with our road. The
Cranmore Way	Other view	council has many calls on its budget and these plans are not a priority at all. Please but speed bumps down The Chine / Etheldene Ave. if the bumps go into Cranley Gdns then cars will divert down Etheldene Ave which is narrow
		and could do with them anyway
Cranmore Way	Object	Re your consultation letter of 14th December which I have only gained sight of today, 17th January 2023. We are residents on the Rookfield Estate, adjoining Etheldene Avenue and would like to express our concern over the proposed traffic calming on Cranley Gardens, which runs parallel down to Park Road. Etheldene becomes an overflow road whenever there are traffic issues on Cranley. Traffic calming on Cranley will mean many vehicles choosing Etheldene as an alternative. Vehicles already often exceed speed limits, causing hazards to pavement users and traffic joining from Rookfield Avenue and Cascade Avenue. Turning onto Etheldene from the Chine is a sweeping blind curve which downward moving traffic often 'cuts', quite perilous at the permitted speed of 20mph, positively dangerous at higher speeds. Parking on both sides of the road creates blind spots - increased volumes of traffic will increase the chance of accidents for vehicles turning into Etheldene traffic. If Haringey introduces traffic calming on Cranley and leaves Etheldene as is, the council will be creating a dangerous rat run along Etheldene. Please acknowledge receipt of this email and I do hope the views of residents in roads abutting Cranley will be taken into account. It seems odd we were not sent any details of the proposals direct.

Cronmara	Object	Lam approad to append humps on Oranlay Canders writess store are store
Cranmore	Object	I am opposed to speed bumps on Cranley Gardens unless steps are also
Way		taken to control speed on Etheldene Avenue. Etheldene is already a rat run for
		cars cutting through the residential roads, and this will only get worse if these
		cars have been 'controlled' before entering Etheldene. Please consider
		carefully the safety implications of controlling speed on Cranley Gardens and
		not Etheldene. I believe it will worsen speeding and compromise safety if no
		control measure are taken on Etheldene alongside Cranley Gardens.
Cascade Ave	Other view	We are supportive of the speedbumps on Cranley gardens however
/ The Chine		concerned about traffic then favouring Etheldene Road - which already has
		many cars which seem to be exceeding the speed limit in such a built up area
		(delivery vehicles in particular) I would propose putting speedbumps down
		Etheldene Road too to mitigate the inevitable increase of fast flowing traffic.
Cascade Ave	Other view	While traffic calming measurers on Cranley Gardens are to be welcomed,
/ The Chine		these will also encourage traffic descending Cranley Gardens, intending to
,		continue to Priory Road, to use The Chine and Etheldene Road rather than
		continuing to Park Road and turning left. Speeding traffic and "rat-run" traffic
		on the early section of The Chine and Etheldene, part of the Rookfield
		Conservation Area, is of much more concern than any issues on Cranley
		Gardens.
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Ellington Rd	Object	RE Public and Statutory consultation Proposed Road Safety Improvements on
		Cranley Gardens, N10. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: I don't
		currently think that speed bumps will be beneficial to the traffic on Cranley
		Gardens as the road I live on: Ellington Rd wil become a cut through for
		speed. I live very close to the Cranley Rd junction and have never had
		problems with speeding traffic here.I am also afraid of an increased noise and
		air pollution from people travelling uphill braking and then accelerating on the
		bumps. I also know from using Woodside Ave regularly that the bumps
		deteriorate and become uneven and unsafe (I am a cyclist and motorbike
		user- also). The speed bumps also cause tailbacks and more idling traffic.
		The bumps also require upkeep as they wear and tear. In my opinion the 20
		zone is enough of a calming measure, so I object to this.
Priory Gdns	Object	Having been informed by Cllr Luke Cawley-Harrison of your 'road safety
		improvements' proposal for Shepard's Hill N6/Wolseley Rd N8 and having not
		received anything from Haringey Council itself, I would hereby like to object to
		the proposal of 20 speed bumps on Shepard's Hill between Archway Rd and
		Wolseley Rd. As a resident of Priory Gardens, N6, it seems to me that there
		has been no accidents on this road in the passed years. Pedestrians and
		drivers alike seem to use common sense and responsibility on such roads and
		why not let them use those qualities instead of treating them like they are
		incapable of doing so by forbidding them to use their own judgement?
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Shanharda	Object	atranaly abject to the proposal of a refuge island outside 57.50 shaphards hill
Shepherds	Object	strongly object to the proposal of a refuge island outside 57-59 shepherds hill
Hill		on the grounds that: it will severely impede access to the drive ways of the
		flats on either side of the roadit will make accessing the off-street parking
		very difficult for Fitzroy Court (located 57-59 shepherds hill) .it will make
		turning into and out of the drive way of Fitzroy court next to impossible .it will
		mean no delivery vans/ service vehicles can access Fitzroy court at 57-59
		Shepherds hill as the turn will be too tight .it will make it very difficult for the w5
		bus to pass by and stop at its current stop at 57-59 shepherd's hill . there are
		also multiple school coaches that pickup/drop off kids at the proposed
		location. The coaches will not have space to pass or turn. the island would
		make turning into and out of stanhope road very difficult for long vehicles such
		as coaches/ refuse trucks/ delivery trucks the island would increase traffic
		and create danger as driver would be forced to do a U-turn further up or down
		shepherds hill to access properties there is insufficient space for an island
		without removing the parking spaces. The parking spaces on are reserved for
		disabled people and should not be removed. Please note that continuing with
		the proposal to instal a refuge island will result in legal proceedings from the
		management company that runs Fitzroy Court on the grounds that access to
		private property is being unnecessarily being impeded by Haringey Council
Shepherds	Object	As a resident of Shepherds Hill, I object to speed humps, considering the
Hill		increased noise on acceleration as cars clear the speed hump, which will be
		more audible in my flat. Should the Council wish to reduce the speed of traffic,
		I would rather see a proposal similar to the meandering course implemented in
		Wightman Road or fixed parking bays with kerbs and chevron signs,
		protruding into the road slightly, to protect the parked cars and provide an
		incentive for traffic to proceed with caution.
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Shepherds	Object	object to this proposal for the following reasons: •Speed humps are agony for
Hill		patients in ambulances and taxis going to or from Hospital, before or after
		serious operations. •Speed humps cause increased vibration and long-term
		damage to adjoining houses and flats. (see note [1] below) •Tailbacks already
		occur on a regular basis at either end of Shepherds Hill/Wolseley Road and
		Shepherds Hill/Archway Road. These will increase due to the slowed-down
		traffic. • Slow moving or stationary cars with their engines revving cause
		increased noise and pollution. •The supposed road safety "improvements"
		would on the contrary make the road more dangerous, especially for
		pedestrians, due to frustrated drivers ignoring speed limits, driving at high
		speed over the humps etc. More cyclists would be forced to cycle on the
		pavements and more accidents to pedestrians would inevitably occur. •A
		Refuge Island immediately opposite the main vehicle entrance to Fitzroy Court
		would make driving in and out of Fitzroy Court's driveway more difficult to
		negotiate, especially by the larger delivery vehicles which frequently need
		access to Fitzroy Court (Royal Mail, supermarket and other delivery vans,
		Landscape Gardeners, Contract Cleaners, furniture removal vans etc). If these
		were forced to park on Shepherds Hill they would delay passing traffic and
		cause increased parking problems. •The existing Disabled Bays outside
		Fitzroy Court are used by elderly residents of Fitzroy Court who have mobility problems, The Refuge Island would mean the Disabled parking bays would be
		lost. If moved, they would reduce the number of regular parking bays, and be
		more difficult or impossible to access by elderly disabled badge holders.
		•Elderly people might mistakenly think they are safe on the Refuge Island unaware that still could be knocked down by passing motorbikes. •The W5
		bus stops outside both Stanhope House and Fitzroy Court to let passengers
		on/off; while this was happening cars behind the stationary bus would no
		longer be able to pass the W5 bus, due to the narrowing of the road where the
		Refuge Island was, causing constant loud hooting, etc, from angry motorists.
		This proposal would not reduce Road Danger but increase it. A cheaper and
		better proposal would be the installation of a long overdue pedestrian crossing
		at the junction of Stanhope Road/Shepherds Hill. This proposal, received
		yesterday (19 December 2022) appears to be being rushed through ("the
		statutory consultation on the proposed changes will begin on 14 December
		2022"). Please include the following further objection to this scheme: The
		proposed Refuge Island is at the muster point for school children who
		regularly gather and wait at 7am in order to board a large school coach.
		Photo: school coach outside Fitzroy Court taken this morning 5/1/22 at
		7.10am.

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Shepherds Hill	Object	I am writing to object to a feature of the proposed road safety improvements document we received today. While we agree traffic often travels too quickly on this road and speed reduction measures could be beneficial, we strongly object to the proposed speed humps due to the increased noise this will create. Extra signs, road markings, refuge islands or speed cameras would be welcome, but without an accompanying weight limit we fear the noise of trucks and lorries rattling over speed humps would make our flat unbearable to live in, especially since we both work from home. Our flat is in the road-facing half of the building and we therefore have no rooms where we could avoid the noise from the proposed speed hump directly outside our windows.
Not stated	Object	The scheme on Cranley Gardens is on the preferred route recommended by HCC, as the WCAP route up Muswell Hill, the steepest hill in the Borough, is honestly never going to be suitable2022-T80 - Cranley Gardens- The inclusion of the sinusoidal hump detail in the drawings is very welcome, however we suggest the wholesale introduction of humps on these roads is premature without plans in place for local cycle routes or the Highgate East LTN. Filtered road should not need humps. Humps impede access for ambulances, other emergency services and MIP drivers, who may need to cut through on filtered roads. LB Enfield's policy is not to use humps on LTN roads.
Not stated	Object	Speed humps in Wolseley Road will significantly increase both noise and pollution, which is totally inappropriate in a wholly residential street. Installing a speed camera or two along this road and Shepherds Hill would instantly slow the traffic down.
Not stated	Object	I object to speed bumps as they make taking care in driving really difficult - driver always looking on road for next speed bump rather than looking out for pedestrians or fellow road users. Much prefer speed cameras.
Not stated	Object	I am very concerned at the proposal to put speed bumps on Cranley Gardens and wish to object in the strongest terms. There were considerable measures taken not long ago (at great expense) to slow the traffic down and the signs that light up when a vehicle exceeds the limit are clear and helpful. But there are not many of them - we could use more. If these are not effective enough and further measures are needed why not put speed cameras at regular intervals instead? These might even generate some income for the council. Speed bumps are painful and uncomfortable for any passenger suffering from injury or ill health, they damage the suspension of cars, generate noise, additional fumes and vibration for residents on either side as cars slow down and speed up again, including vibrations that can damage their houses and they can also cause drivers to take their eyes off the road to negotiate them. We need at least some routes that make it bearable to travel for those who are infirm! Can we really afford this kind of additional expenditure?
Not stated	Object	This is to register my objection to the above. There is already a 20mph speed limit and speed camera. Humps are totally not necessary and cause noise and suspension issues. Better to spend the money on some kind of pedestrian crossing on the corner with Park Road

Not stated	Object	Dear Ms Cunningham I am writing on behalf of the Friends of the Parkland
		Walk. Our group engages with the council as a critical friend on matters
		relating to the Parkland Walk. Although not normally communicating with
		Haringey Council's Highways and Parking Department, we are prompted to
		respond to your 14th December 2022 consultation letter about the year's Road
		Danger Reduction Investment Plan as there is a concern arising whereby a lot
		of extra pedestrians and cyclists coming from or going to the Parkland Walk
		will foreseeably be crossing roads at a junction which is already known to be
		dangerous. We can't find references to Road Danger Reduction Investment
		Plans on the Haringey website but nevertheless it sounds like there may be
		funds available to address improvements to road safety and pedestrian
		accessibility. We ask that funds are allocated for measures to mitigate the risk
		to Parkland Walk users. The situation is that a busy entrance to the Parkland
		Walk from Muswell Hill Road will be redeveloped as part of the Cranwood
		project. To facilitate contractors carrying out the works safely, public access
		through the underpass will presumably need to be suspended for a period. If
		the underpass below Muswell Hill Road can't be used, more people and
		cyclists than normal will be crossing the Muswell Hill Road/Cranley Gardens
		junction at surface level. As you will be aware Muswell Hill Road/Cranley
		Gardens is a notoriously dangerous junction and with increased use, the risk
		of more accidents there increases too. The main problem appears to be the
		speed of the southbound traffic on Muswell Hill Road, and that very few
		vehicles or cyclists stop and give way at the mini-roundabout as directed.
		Also it is not uncommon for frustrated northbound drivers to overtake buses
		that have stopped at the Cranley Gardens bus stop beside the Muswell Hill
		Road entrance to the Parkland Walk. Please would Haringey Council make
		the Muswell Hill Road/Cranley Gardens junction safer for the extra pedestrian
		footfall when the underpass (tunnel) option is not available. We don't ask for
		improvements to necessarily be long term or to incur maintenance in the way
		speed humps do. We ask simply for an assessment of possible road safety
		interventions for the duration of the closure of the underpass, and
		implementation of interventions to improve safety for when there is extra
		footfall at that junction.
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Agenda Item 8

Report for:	Cabinet Member Signing
Title:	Proposed speed reduction measures on Durnsford Road, N11
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Ward(s) affected: Alexandra Park and Bounds Green

Report for Key/Non-Key Decision: Non-key decision

(There is unlikely to be substantial public interest in the decision/the decision will not result in significant social, economic or environmental risk)

1 Describe the issue under consideration

- 1.1 To report the feedback to the statutory consultation carried out from 14th December 2022 to 18th January 2023, on proposals to introduce a 20mph zone on Durnsford Road, between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road, N11.
- 1.2 To request approval to proceed to implementation, after considering objections and officer responses to those objections.

2 Cabinet Member Introduction

2.1 N/A

3 Recommendations

That the Cabinet Member for Tackling Inequality and Resident Services

- 3.1 Approves the implementation of the proposed 20mph zone on Durnsford Road between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road and
- 3.2 Approves the raised speed tables along Durnsford Road and
- 3.3 Approves the proposal to raise the existing zebra crossing outside No.57 and to raise the existing zebra crossing near No.147 and to remove the central island/extend zig zag markings, as set out on the plan in Appendix A.

4 Reasons for decision

4.1 The Council is required to consider the feedback received during the statutory notification period, in particular any objections to the proposals, prior to proceeding to implementation. The proposals consulted upon will improve road safety and pedestrian accessibility.

5 Proposed Option

- To replace the 20mph speed limit with a 20mph zone inclusive of raised speed tables detailed below on Durnsford Road N11 from a point 28 metres south-west of its junction with Bounds Green Road (outside No.8 St Gabriels Court) to its junction with Albert Road.
- Introduce raised speed tables outside the following properties (unless otherwise stated) on Durnsford Road N11; No.2, No.24/23, No.57 (existing zebra crossing will be raised), No.77, No.84/82, adjacent to 1 to 14 Maya Place, No.121/123, No.147 (existing zebra crossing will be raised), adjacent to the grassed area at Durnsford Road/Albert Road junction.

6 Alternative options considered

6.1 The Council could replace the 20mph speed limit with a 20mph zone with fewer raised speed tables, but this would be less effective than the comprehensive approach being pursued and so that option has been rejected.

7 Background Information

- 7.1 Haringey Council regards road safety, particularly pedestrian safety, as a high priority and actively promotes road safety measures across the borough to reduce vehicle speeds, the number of road traffic accidents and to enhance the environment for all road users.
- 7.2 Following concerns from the local community about speeding traffic, as part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, the Council is proposing to extend the existing 20mph zone to include Durnsford Road. The proposed 20mph zone will be self-enforcing thereby reducing vehicle speeds and improving road safety for all road users.
- 7.3 The total cost of the scheme is £156,225.76 and funding is assigned through the agreed Council capital programme.

8 Consultation

- 8.1 Ward Councillors were informed about the proposals on 5th December 2022 and no comments were received.
- 8.2 Notification documents were distributed to properties in the vicinity of the proposals on 14th December 2023. A copy of the public and statutory consultation document is shown in Appendix A and a copy of the consultation boundary can be found in Appendix B.
- 8.3 The notification letter was uploaded on the Council's website. Legal notices were placed on street and in the local newspaper. A copy of the legal notice is shown at Appendix C.
- 8.4 As part of the statutory process, the following statutory bodies were also notified:
 - AA
 - London Transport
 - Police (local)
 - Fire Brigade
 - London Ambulance Service
 - Freight Transport Association
 - Road Haulage Association
 - RAC
 - Metropolitan Police (traffic)
 - London Travel Watch

Haringey Cycling Campaign

9 Responses to Consultation

9.1 The full consultation report from which Table 1 was extracted, can be found in Appendix D.

Table 1 – Public and Statutory Consultation Analysis

		Count	%
Support or object to	Support	11	41%
proposed measures	Object	12	44%
	Other view	4	15%
	Total	27	100%

9.2 The Council received 27 responses to the proposals during the statutory consultation period, 11 (41%) in support, 12 (44%) objections and 4 (15%) other comments. Objections have been summarised below together with the Council's response.

9.2.1 Objection – Co-ordinated approach required

'The main problem with traffic on Durnsford Road is that it is so often at a standstill - from at least mid-afternoon till later in the evening every day. When there is less traffic, certainly there is some speeding, but using average speed as a measure is not useful because of the contrasts. We absolutely agree with Cllr Rossetti that a co-ordinated approach needs to be taken rather than implementing piecemeal measures. So many people around here are crying out for 24hr bus lanes - perhaps for use by cyclists as well - this is the main priority. The effects of LTNs in the area on traffic levels also need to be taken into consideration. If the proposed LTN in Alexandra North is implemented particularly if it includes Alexandra Park Road N22/Palace Gates Road (as we hope it will) - then the considerable volume of traffic travelling through the neighbourhood from Durnsford will be eliminated. Similarly, if the bus gate on Brownlow road proposed by Enfield council is implemented, this will stop the cut-through along this road used by many motor vehicles in order to avoid a corner of the north circular. This would not only reduce the volume of traffic, but, in particular, speeding traffic. We trust that the transport team are being included in these deliberations'.

9.2.2 Council Response

It is acknowledged that some roads are congested at certain times of the day. During the other periods, speeding is prevalent especially in the evening or during the night.

In terms of using 'average speed as a measure', it should be noted that the Department for Transport guidance Circular 01/2013 - 'Setting Local Speed Limits' sets out the framework that highway authorities should follow when reviewing and setting local speed limits. This guidance states average speeds should be used to measure vehicular speeds and 85th percentile speeds if required.

The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. It should be noted that that during the 3 years collision data up to 30/12/21 along Durnsford Road, there were nine recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), eight slight and one serious. Two PIAs involved pedal cyclists and one involved a pedestrian. The proposed scheme will assist in reducing PIA along the road, by improving road safety.

It is noted that a co-ordinated approach is requested for the consideration of bus lanes for the use of cyclists; these will need be considered for inclusion in future works programmes and will be subject to funding availability. At the same time, any changes to vehicle movements on the network (such as future LTNs and/or restrictions) will be taken into account.

It must however be borne in mind that any reduction in the volume of traffic inevitably results in increased vehicle speeds.

9.2.3 Objection – Already a 20mph zone

'The proposal states "Extension of the existing 20mph zone to include Durnsford Road between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road" This is surprising to read because all the evidence suggests that this section of road is ALREADY a 20mph zone! There are several circular "20" speed limit signs as well as road markings painted with large "20" numbers in white lettering. Please can you explain what's going on? What really is being proposed in relation to the speed limit?'

9.2.4 Council Response

There is a significant difference between the characteristics of a 20mph speed limit and a 20mph zone. 20mph limits are areas where the speed limit has been reduced to 20mph but there are no physical measures to regulate vehicle speeds within the area. Drivers are alerted to the speed limit with 20mph speed limit repeater signs. Whilst 20mph zones use traffic calming measures to reduce the adverse impact of motor vehicles on built-up areas. The principle is that the traffic calming slows vehicles down to speeds below the limit and, in this way, the zone becomes 'self-enforcing'.

Durnsford Road (B106) is currently subject to a 20mph limit and is signed accordingly using '20' speed limit signs and '20' roundel road markings. The continuation of the B106 (Albert Road) is subject to a 20mph zone which is signed differently ('20 Zone' signs) and is self-enforced by means of road humps.

Following concerns raised by the local community about speeding traffic, the proposal consists of extending the existing 20mph zone to include Durnsford Road up to Bounds Green Road, which will include the introduction of 10 new road humps, thereby reducing vehicle speeds and improving road safety for all road users.

It should be noted that vertical deflections in the carriageway such as speed humps are one of the most effective, reliable and cost-effective speed reduction measures currently available.

9.2.5 Objection – Not necessary and waste of resources

'I would like to object to the proposed measures on the following grounds: THIS IS MADNESS! HOW MUCH HAS BEEN SPENT ON THESE PROPOSALS?! 1. Cost. In times of austerity, Haringey should be allocating its budget to more pressing problems, that immediately are affecting lives of residents. 2. Albert and Durnsford roads are almost at a standstill for much of the day since the introduction of Bounds Green LTN. 3. Speed humps damage cars. They actually don't slow speeding motorists. 4. Cameras are more effective in slowing traffic and are a revenue source. PLEASE, ABANDON THIS NOW'.

A total budget of £250,000 has been assigned to delivering the Speed Reduction Measures programme which is part of the Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan for 2022-23, which was agreed at Cabinet in March 2022. The budget includes 5 sites including Durnsford Road. To date, only a negligible amount has been spent on officer time, surveys and consultation costs.

The Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan for 2022-23 supports the Mayor's London-wide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by having no killed or seriously injured (KSI) casualties on Haringey's roads by 2041; and supports the Council's own ambition to reduce all casualty types (KSIs and 'slight' injuries) with specific attention to vulnerable road users, including motor cyclists.

The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community about speeding traffic, which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. During the 3 years collision data up to 30/12/21 along Durnsford Road, there were nine recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), eight slight and one serious. Two PIAs involved pedal cyclists and one involved a pedestrian. The proposed scheme will assist in reducing PIA along the road, by improving road safety.

It is acknowledged that some roads are congested at certain times of the day. During the other periods, speeding is prevalent especially in the evening or during the night.

Road humps do not cause damage to vehicles if traversed at appropriate speeds. Currently, the Council has no mechanism to install speed cameras in the borough without Transport for London's (TfL's) input. TfL has advised that it is currently undergoing a review of their process for assessing speed camera requests. Once this exercise is completed, it will then take on and review new requests. It should also be noted that whilst speed cameras are effective in reducing vehicle speeds, it is only for a particular section of carriageway, after which most drivers accelerate to their normal excessive speed.

9.2.7 Objection – Removal of central island on zebra crossing

'We think there is a problem with the proposal to remove the central island of the zebra crossing by 147 Durnsford Rd. For long periods of the day there is an almost stationary traffic jam going towards Bounds Green Station all the way back to Rhodes Avenue. Drivers going in the opposite direction cannot see whether pedestrians are trying to cross as they are unsighted by stopped vehicles obscuring their view. The central island gives drivers some opportunity to see pedestrians at this point. It also gives pedestrians a chance to pause and look again. We think the central island should remain. Please would you reassess this. There is another dangerous hazard here relating to the O.R. Tambo Recreation Ground gate by this crossing. The gate is obscured by privet hedges and directly in line with the crossing. Park goers sometimes walk straight out of the gate onto the crossing giving drivers during quieter times when there is free flowing traffic almost no time to understand their intention to cross. Please would you consult with the Parks Department to move the position of this gate?'

9.2.8 Council Response

The proposal to raise the zebra crossing outside no 147 Durnsford Road includes the removal of the narrow pedestrian refuge. The width of the refuge is approximately 1.2m which is not wide enough to accommodate a wheelchair or pram. Unfortunately, the carriageway width would not facilitate a wider refuge as this would then create a dangerous pinch point for cyclists.

The comments regarding the location of the gate to Oliver Tambo Recreation Ground is noted and will be passed to the Parks Service for its information/consideration.

9.2.9 Objection – Holistic approach required

'I am writing to express our concern over the current proposed speed reduction measures for Durnsford Road. As residents of the road, with young children, we are very keen to see improvements, however we have grave concerns that this proposal is piecemeal, and requires a more holistic approach to truly solve the issues we face on this road on a daily basis. The road is a wide one, and we believe this is a major contributing factor to people driving recklessly on it. Could the introduction of dedicated cycle lanes offer many solutions in terms of offering not only safe passageway for cyclists (as a cyclist I really don't feel safe on this road) but also act as a calming measure for speeding motorists if there is less room for the cars? The introduction of chicanes could also potentially work well to narrow the road, and would also offer the ability to plant trees on the "islands", as greenery also really lacking on the majority of the road. Wightman Road N8, utilises this approach we believe to good effect. We worry about the proposed removal of the island on the zebra crossing also. This is a crossing we use daily with our children on the walk to school and the idea of losing the ability to stop half way on a wide road such as it is feels like it may make it even less safe to cross. By removing the island, again it is going to effetely make the road feel wider to motorists which could encourage further risk manoeuvres by drivers. Lastly, pollution from cars is a huge problem for us, particularly since the introduction of the LTNs. We have bumper to bumper traffic jams often starting in the early afternoon, right the way through to 8pm. I've heard the Enfield Council are keen to shut down Brownlow Road to rat running traffic, and I'd urge Haringev council to do the same for Durnsford Road, limiting traffic to locals and busses only (to note the busses are very often speeding perpetrators - a single decker failed to stop for me on the above mentioned zebra crossing yesterday at an approximate 40+mph, truly astounding). We hope the council will recognise that more aggressive interventions are needed to improve the lives and safety for this part of the Haringey community and look forward to hearing your responses for the concerned residents'.

9.2.10 Council Response

The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. It should be noted that that during the 3 years collision data up to 30/12/21 along Durnsford Road, there were nine recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), eight slight and one serious. Two involved pedal cyclists and one involved a pedestrian. The proposed scheme will assist in reducing PIA along the road, by improving road safety.

It is noted that a co-ordinated approach is requested for the consideration of dedicated cycle lanes; these will need be considered for inclusion in future works programmes. The proposed raised speed tables will not only reduce vehicle speeds thereby making it safer for cyclists, but the ramps will have a sinusoidal profile which are more comfortable for cyclists. It should be noted that vertical deflections in the carriageway such as speed humps are one of the most effective, reliable and cost-effective speed reduction measures currently available.

Chicanes were considered but were ruled out as they result in the loss of parking and are not favourable to cyclists without the provision of cycle bypass lanes, resulting in the further loss of parking. Chicanes are also less effective in reducing vehicle speeds unless there is adequate opposing traffic to prevent this and also vehicles often speed up between each physical feature.

The proposal to raise the zebra crossing outside no 147 Durnsford Road includes the removal of the narrow pedestrian refuge. The width of the refuge is approximately 1.2m which is not wide enough to accommodate a wheelchair or pram. Unfortunately, the carriageway width would not facilitate a wider refuge as this would then create a dangerous pinch point for cyclists.

The issue regarding increased pollution since the introduction of the LTN is noted and will be passed to the appropriate team for information. In terms of the current proposal, the raised tables are spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed thereby reducing pollution.

Closing Durnsford Road to vehicular traffic (except buses, cycles and local traffic) would need to be considered in future programmes, subject to available funding. Considerable consultation and modelling would also need to be carried out due to the inevitable displacement of traffic onto the surrounding road network.

9.2.11 Objection - Speeds already slow

'Traffic crawls past here and is often at a standstill for much of the time. Why would you slow the traffic any more? Cars may now just dream of travelling at 20mph. The LTNs in Enfield and Bounds Green have funnelled all the traffic onto Durnsford Road, and the stationary cars emit fumes. You clearly have no knowledge of what is happening in this area when you proposed this measure. Please can you remove the unused DB outside #76 (ish). That would be much more useful than proposing these idiotic outdated measures.'

9.2.12 Council Response

It is acknowledged that some roads are congested at certain times of the day. During the other periods, speeding is prevalent especially in the evening or during the night.

The issue regarding increased pollution since the introduction of the LTN is noted. Within the N15 postcode, the Council has three passive air quality monitoring locations and a further thirteen monitoring the air quality associated with the Low Traffic Neighbourhoods (LTN). In the Durnsford Road area, air quality has not deteriorated since the introduction of either the LTN or School Street schemes. In terms of the current proposal, the raised tables are spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed thereby reducing pollution. In terms of the current proposal, the raised tables are spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed thereby reducing pollution.

The resident's comments regarding the redundant dustbin near no 76 Durnsford Road will be passed to the appropriate team for their information/consideration.

9.2.13 Objection – Proposals do not go far enough

'While I commend what you plan to do, it really doesn't go far enough. The speeding issues are along that entire stretch of road, from the Maid of Muswell pub to Bounds Green tube, but you are only tackling one stretch of it. Can you please introduce speed reduction measures on the main road section of Albert Road where speeds regularly exceed 20mph. When lorries do this - particularly the ones carrying skips, of which there are many - our houses literally shake. I know the road is slightly raised outside 229 Albert Road, but it is very slight and really doesn't slow cars/lorries down very much at all, unlike the proper raised bumps on Dukes Avenue. Can we have some of those please on Albert Road? My other concern is that your speed reduction measures seem to be entirely self-monitoring, so relying on the good will and compliance of drivers. They currently don't comply with the 20mph speed limit, so I really think you need stronger measures, such as speed cameras, or the flashing speed light (such as the one on The Avenue), in order

to protect residents, schoolchildren, park users and pedestrians on Albert and Durnsford Roads. The Avenue is a much quieter road, so I'm not sure how its considering necessary for that road to have one, but not the main road. Also, the signage need to be more prominent, simply painting 20mph on the road isn't working. I also think a cyclist lane would be a good idea and for you to stop the low traffic neighbourhood scheme, which has sadly caused extra traffic and pollution on Albert and Durnsford Roads'.

9.2.14 Council Response

The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated, substantiated by speed surveys and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. During the 3 years collision data up to 30/12/21 along Durnsford Road, there were nine recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), eight slight and one serious. Two PIAs involved pedal cyclists and one involved a pedestrian. This scheme will improve road safety, which will reduce the number of PIA that have occurred along the road.

Albert Road is currently within a 20mph zone which benefits from road humps which are a standard height, but due to being on a bus route, the approach ramps have a shallower gradient. The road humps on Dukes Avenue have a steeper gradient due to it not being on bus route. The issue regarding skip lorries is a common problem, especially unladen skip lorries where the skip itself jumps from the bed of the lorry.

The proposed raised tables in Durnsford Road will have a sinusoidal profile ramp which is cycle friendly whilst very uncomfortable for vehicle occupants if driven over at inappropriate speeds.

Currently, the Council has no mechanism to install speed cameras in the borough without Transport for London's (TfL's) input. TfL has advised that it is currently undergoing a review of its process for assessing speed camera requests. Once this exercise is completed, it will then take on and review new requests. It should also be noted that whilst speed cameras are effective in reducing vehicle speeds, it is only for a particular section of carriageway, after which most drivers accelerate to their normal excessive speed.

Flashing speed lights or vehicle activated signs are effective in reminding drivers of the posted speed limit and can be considered in future works programmes, as can the suggested cycle lanes on Durnsford Road.

The issue regarding increased pollution since the introduction of the LTN is noted. Within the N15 postcode, the Council has three passive air quality monitoring locations and a further thirteen monitoring the air quality associated with the Low Traffic Neighbourhoods (LTN). In the Durnsford Road area, air quality has not deteriorated since the introduction of either the LTN or School Street schemes. In terms of the current proposal, the raised tables are spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed thereby reducing pollution.

9.2.15 Objection – Impact on emergency services and waste of money

'No need for these measures. It will slow down emergency response vehicles and add to the gridlock resulting from LTNs that were put in against most people's wishes. You should use residents' hard earned money on stuff that is needed. Please stop wasting taxpayers' money'.

9.2.16 Council Response

The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated, substantiated by speed surveys and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. It should be noted that that during the 3 years collision data up to 30/12/21 along Durnsford Road, there were nine recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), eight slight and one serious. Two involved pedal cyclists and one involved a pedestrian. The proposed scheme will assist in reducing PIA along the road, by improving road safety.

As part of the statutory consultation, all statutory consultees including the emergency services are consulted and their comments duly considered.

The proposals will not increase congestion or queuing, conversely, they may discourage motorists from using Durnsford Road. The comments regarding the LTNs are noted and will be passed to the appropriate team for their information.

The proposals in Durnsford Road form part of the Speed Reduction Measures programme which is included in the Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan for 2022-23, which was agreed at Cabinet in March 2022.

The Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan for 2022-23 supports the Mayor's London-wide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by having no killed or seriously injured (KSI) casualties on Haringey's roads by 2041; and supports the Council's own ambition to reduce all casualty types (KSIs and 'slight' injuries) with specific attention to vulnerable road users.

9.2.17 Objection – Impact on pollution

'I have been living on Albert Rd for many years! Unfortunately since the closure of the side roads leading to Colney Hatch Lane (also from Alexandra Park Road) some years ago our street became a very busy road with traffic jams, especially three times a day....,morning and afternoon school runs as we have two schools in the area, and evening traffic. Apart from the time lost to reach my home, the dirty air I have to breathe all the time is not good for me, an elderly woman, nor the children in the family. Recently all this has even become worse because of the closure of side streets in Bound Green and Durnsford Rd area. This is not fair for us who live on these roads. The air is unbearable and the traffic is too. I have written many times in the past years concerning this issue but nothing has been done and I do not think anything will be done. Why can we not have a right for clean air and less traffic like the rest of the area? Opening up the side streets will distribute the traffic and dirty air'.

9.2.18 Council Response

It is acknowledged that some roads are congested at certain times of the day. During the other periods, speeding is prevalent especially in the evening or during the night.

The issue regarding increased pollution since the introduction of the LTN is noted. Within the N15 postcode, the Council has three passive air quality monitoring locations and a further thirteen monitoring the air quality associated with the Low Traffic Neighbourhoods (LTN). In the Durnsford Road area, air quality has not deteriorated since the introduction of either the LTN or School Street schemes.

It should also be noted that as Albert Road and Durnsford Road is a B road, it is designed to connect different areas and to feed traffic between A roads and therefore carries a considerable amount of traffic.

During the other periods, speeding is prevalent especially in the evening and during the night and in terms of the current proposal, the raised tables are spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed thereby reducing pollution.

9.2.19 Objection – Proposals do not go far enough

'I wish to object to the speed tables plan. Firstly I am not sure that the average speed is as high as quoted. A lot of the time it is lower. Secondly as a driver of a small economical car abiding by the limit my suspension is gradually being damaged by going over speed bumps in Haringey (not to mention the potholes). Some you can only do at 10mph. However, I think that those who do speed drive larger expensive cars that can cope with such humps - or accelerate and brake between them. So I don't think that such changes will achieve anything. I am in favour of many more of the illuminated signs with radar giving speeds. I hadn't realised that section wasn't 20mph by default, so I have been doing that speed on the whole section to the A406. Also, more buses and bus routes will help and may be cycle lanes (not sure it is a problem). I don't think pollution is a problem in this area. I have been a resident for along time'.

9.2.20 Council Response

The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated, substantiated by speed surveys and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. It should be noted that that during the 3 years collision data up to 30/12/21 along Durnsford Road, there were nine recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), eight slight and one serious. Two involved pedal cyclists and one involved a pedestrian.

The average speeds were obtained from the 7-day surveys which were undertaken in 2022. Being a mean speed, there was a wide spectrum of speeds, some of which were below and above this level. Average speeds are used by traffic engineers to determine if speed reduction measures are justified as they provide a summary of the spectrum of vehicle speeds.

Road humps do not cause undue damage to vehicles if traversed at appropriate speeds. Drivers who choose to drive over them at excessive speeds potentially risk damage to their vehicles, usually in the form of suspension or tyre issues. The proposed raised tables in Durnsford Road will have a sinusoidal profile ramp which is cycle friendly whilst very uncomfortable for vehicle occupants if driven over at excessive speeds. They will also be spaced in a way to encourage motorists to drive at a constant speed and discourage accelerating and braking between features which will also reduce pollution.

Durnsford Road (B106) is currently subject to a 20mph limit, however the proposal includes making it a 20mph zone and introducing associated traffic calming (i.e., an extension of the existing 20mph zone in Albert Road).

The comments regarding additional buses and bus routes will be passed to the Transport Planning Team for its information/consideration. The suggested cycle lanes will need be considered for inclusion in future works programmes.

9.2.21 Objection – Haringey Cycle Campaign (HCC) - Proposals do not go far enough

'1. From: HCC. Objection to traffic island and other features 2022-T77 - Durnsford Road Will the 10 proposed raised tables be 100mm height and constructed to a true sinusoidal profile? Could the height and proposed details please be provided (as for the Cranley Gardens drawings)? The recent raised table work next to the Oliver Tambo memorial needed remedial work, which is best avoided. The raised tables will make the pinch

point at the zebra slightly less dangerous, however retaining the island will prevent the introduction of protected cycle lanes, which are very much needed to allow a modal shift and traffic reduction. follow from the Bowes Park I TN to 2. Additional objection from HCC: "The Walking and Cycling Action Plan, approved in September, proposes a safe cycle network, including Alexandra Park Rd, Albert Rd and Durnsford Road. In view of Council policy on LTN and WCAP implementation and in view of the increasing bike rider casualties, HCC suggests there should NOT be further traffic calming measures on Durnsford Road for the present and that the planned road safety investment should instead be made in protected cycle lanes. There is ample space on Durnsford Road at the East side for a two-way protected cycle track, or possibly for with-flow cycle tracks. Provision such as this, complying with LTN1/20, would be a real contribution to road safety and could in time be extended to the full length of the route. Combined with the low traffic roads provided by present and future LTN's it will become safe to cycle to schools and local shops. It should be noted one of the cycle casualties in 2016, at Albert Rd, involved serious injury to a school student, on the way to school (apparently a "hit and run" incident). It is not surprising that very few students cycle to school. While supporting traffic calming measures in principle, we consider the schemes will, as presently designed, prejudice the implementation of the Walking and Cycling Action Plan adopted by the Council in September this year'.

9.2.22 Council Response

The proposed 10 raised tables will be 75mm (subject to tolerance) in height with sinusoidal ramps. The raised tables and more specifically the associated sinusoidal ramps will be constructed in accordance with specification supplied to the contractor. A specialist surfacing sub-contractor will be selected to ensure the ramp profiles are constructed correctly.

It is proposed to maintain the existing pedestrian island near Woodfield Way and whilst the available carriageway widths would not allow for a protected cycle lane, the existing lane widths of approx. 4.1m do meet the recommendations set out with The Design of Pedestrian Crossings (LTN 2/95). Furthermore, adjustments to the existing road layout will be made at the time when a protected cycle lane is being progressed.

Support for traffic calming measures in principle is noted, however it is acknowledged that the HCC consider that traffic calming measures will prejudice the Council policy on LTNs and WCAP. The proposed speed reduction measures in Durnsford Road were initiated as a result of concerns raised by the local community specifically about speeding traffic which was then investigated and included as part of the Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan. Whilst the proposed measures improve road safety for all road users, including that of cyclists, it is noted that a co-ordinated approach is requested for the consideration of protected cycle lanes, however, this will need be considered for inclusion in future works programmes.

10 Contribution to strategic outcomes

10.1 The implementation of the 20mph zone and associated traffic calming measures in Durnsford Road will support the delivery of the Council's Road Danger Reduction Action Plan and Investment Plan by addressing the Mayor's London-wide ambition to reach 'Vision Zero', by having no killed or seriously injured (KSI) casualties on Haringey's roads by 2041; and the Council's own ambition to reduce all casualty types (KSIs and 'slight' injuries) with specific attention to vulnerable road users, including motor cyclists. It will also support the delivery of the Council's wider <u>Transport Strategy</u>, by encouraging cycling, walking and making the network safer.

10.2 The work also supports the **Responding to the Climate Emergency** Theme in the Corporate Delivery Plan, particularly the high-level outcome of 'A Just Transition'. The provision of the new zebra crossing forms part of the actions needed to achieve *'reduced casualties and safer road network in Haringey.'*

Statutory Officers' comments

11 Comments of the Chief Financial Officer

11.1 This report seeks the approval for the implementation of the proposed 20mph zone on Durnsford Road, between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road, N11 for a total cost of £156,225.76. The cost of this proposal will be fully met from the Council's capital programme, under capital scheme number 302 – Borough Roads.

12 Comments of the Head of Legal Services and Governance

- 12.1 The Council has power to:
 - 1 Alter pedestrian crossings under Section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 in accordance with the Pelican Pedestrian Crossings Regulations and General Directions 1987;
 - 2 Introduce raised tables under section 90A of the Highways Act 1980 in accordance with the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999;
 - 3 Provide raised paving under section 66 of the Highways Act 1980; and
 - 4 Vary an order restricting speed limits under sections 84 and 124 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.
- 12.2 Before altering a pedestrian crossing/constructing a raised table/varying an order restricting speed limits, the Council must consult with the parties described in paragraph 8.4 above and place/publish notice of the proposal(s) as described in paragraph 8.3.
- 12.3 Where damage is sustained by the execution of works under section 66 of the Highways Act, compensation shall be payable by the Council.
- 12.4 When a consultation has been undertaken, the Council must take into account the representations received in response to that consultation when taking a decision. The consultation responses received are sent out in Appendix D to this report and officers' consideration of the same set out in section 9 of this report.
- 12.5 Section 122 of the RTRA requires the Council to have regard to factors pointing in favour of imposing a restriction on the movement of traffic and those pointing in favour of securing the convenient and safe movement of such traffic, balancing the various considerations and concluding that the restrictions represent an appropriate outcome.
- 12.6 The factors which have pointed in favour of making the restrictions on the movement of traffic in the proposed 20 mph zone have included the objective of securing the safe movement of pedestrians and cycle traffic.
- 12.7 The decision to approve the highway works/altering/implementing highway infrastructure/varying an order restricting speed limits to introduce the 20mph zone can be exercised by the Head of Highways and Parking in accordance with the delegation given by the Director of the Environment and Resident Experience in the scheme of authorisation dated 14 December 2021.

13 Equality Comments

- 13.1 The Council has a public Sector Equality Duty under the Equality Act (2010) to have due regard to the following:
 - Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited under the Act
 - Advance equality of opportunity between people who share those protected characteristics and people who do not
 - Foster good relations between people who share those characteristics and people who do not."
- 13.2 The consultation documents were distributed to all households / businesses within the agreed consultation area to ensure that all stakeholders were made aware of the council's proposals.
- 13.3 By raising the two existing zebra crossings and the introduction of additional traffic calming measures, this allows greater accessibility and safety of those in wheelchairs, and/or with buggies, thereby advancing equality of opportunity for groups with protected characteristics such as disability as well as pregnancy and maternity.

14 Use of Appendices

- Appendix A Statutory consultation document
- Appendix B Consultation boundary
- Appendix C Legal notice
- Appendix D Full consultation report

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Highways & Parking

Ann Cunningham: Head of Highways & Parking



14th December 2022

Public and Statutory Consultation Proposed speed reduction measures on Durnsford Road, N11

Dear Resident or Business,

Following concerns from the local community about speeding traffic, I am pleased to inform you that as part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, we are proposing to extend the existing 20mph zone to include Durnsford Road. The proposed 20mph zone will be self-enforcing thereby reducing vehicle speeds and improving road safety for all road users. The key interventions are as follows and are detailed on the plan overleaf:

- Extension of the existing 20mph zone to include Durnsford Road between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road
- Introduction of raised tables within the proposed 20mph zone
- Proposal to raise existing zebra crossing outside No.57
- Proposal to raise existing zebra crossing near No.147, remove central island and extend zig zag markings
- New road markings and signage

This letter marks the start of public consultation, during which we welcome your views on the proposals. Please provide these using the enclosed Freepost feedback card or email your views to us at <u>frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk</u>

At the same time, the statutory consultation on the proposed changes (legal process whereby the proposals are advertised in the local newspapers) will begin on 14th December 2022. The statutory consultation process normally runs for three weeks but given the approaching Christmas holiday period, it will run for five weeks until 18th January 2023. The statutory process is designed to ensure that anyone wishing to object to the proposals will have their views considered and responded to. You can object to the scheme by emailing <u>traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk</u> Please give reasons for your objection.

Please ensure that your response including any objections to the proposals reach us as soon as possible and no later than **18th January 2023**.

Thank you for your interest and we look forward to hearing from you.

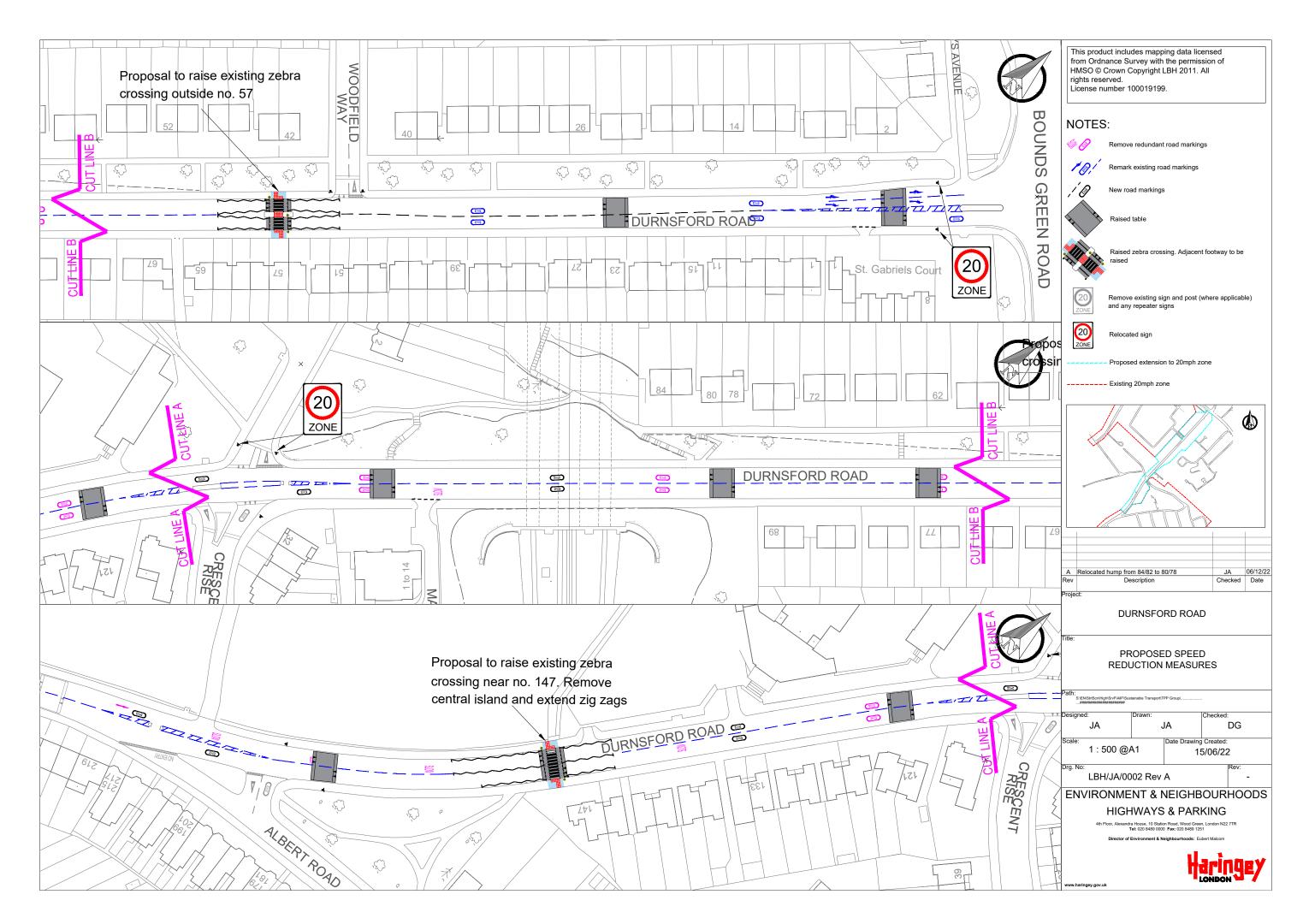
Yours faithfully,

Highways Engineering

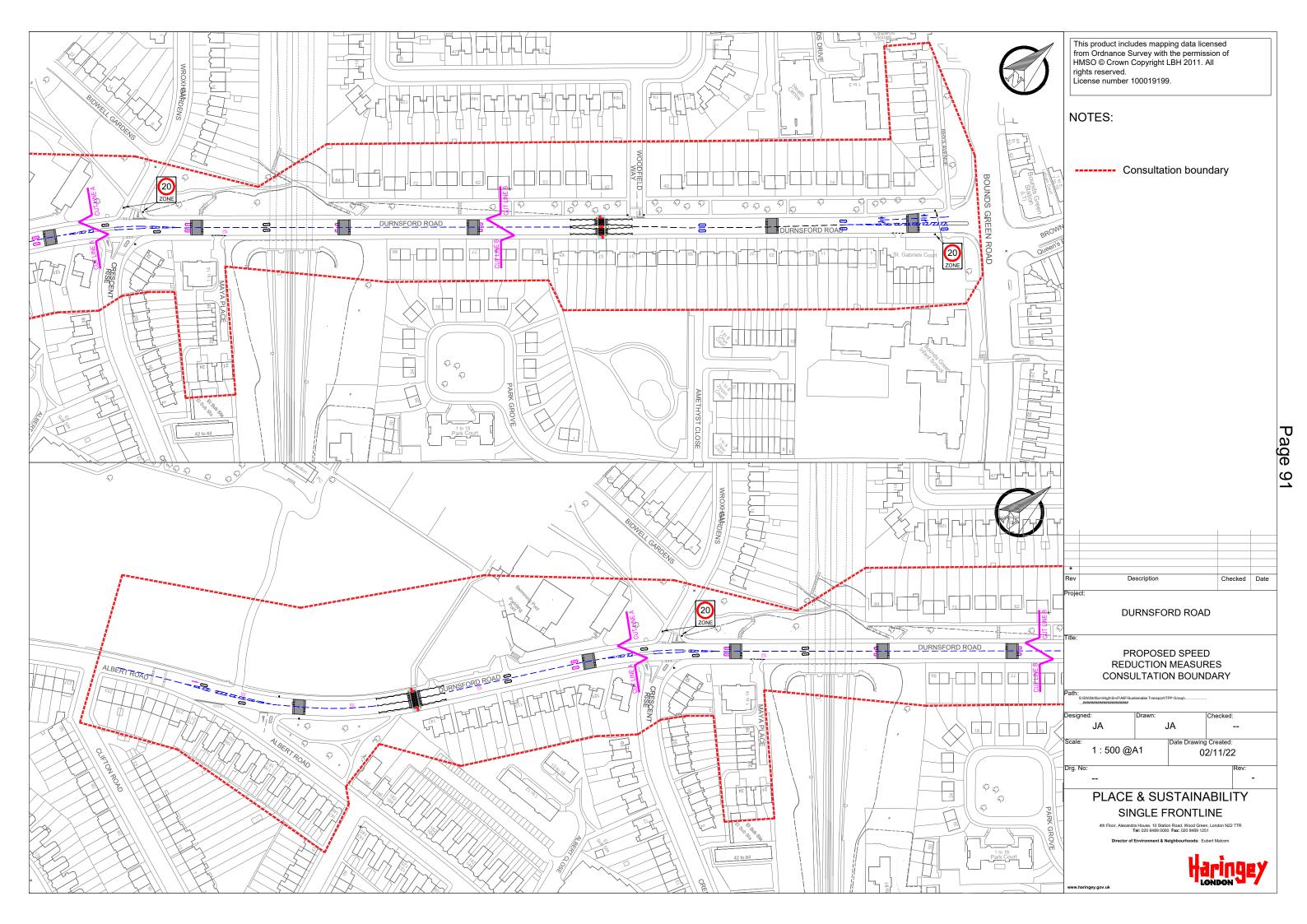
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HARINGEY COUNCIL – PUBLIC NOTICE

ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS – DURNSFORD ROAD N22 The Haringey (Moving Traffic Restrictions) (No. ***) Order 202*

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- Notice is hereby given that the Council of the London Borough of Haringey proposes to make the above mentioned Order under sections 84, and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended and under section 90a and 90c of the Highways Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999 to introduce raised speed tables in Durnsford Road N22.
- 2. **The general effect of order** will be to replace the 20MPH speed limit with a 20MPH zone inclusive of raised speed tables detailed below on Durnsford Road N22 from a point 28 metres south west of its junction with Bounds Green Road (outside No.8 St Gabriels Court) to its junction with Albert Road.

It is also proposed that raised speed tables will be introduced outside the following properties (unless otherwise stated) on Durnsford Road N22:

Locations

No.2, No.24/23, No.57 (existing zebra crossing will be raised), No.77, No.84/82, adjacent to 1 to 14 Maya Place, No.121/123, No.147 (existing zebra crossing will be raised), adjacent to the grassed area at Durnsford Road/Albert Road junction

Maximum height of the speed tables will be 100mm.

- 3. Copies of the proposed Order and of the Council's statement of reasons for making the Order and plans showing the locations and effects of the Order may be inspected during normal office working hours until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, at the reception desk, Alexandra House, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR or can be viewed online at https://consultation.appyway.com/haringey
- 4. Any person wishing to object to the proposed Order or make other representation should objection send grounds for their via the online portal https://consultation.appyway.com/haringey alternatively email or traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk or write to Traffic Management Group, Alexandra House, 4th floor, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR quoting reference **2022-T77**, by 16th January 2023.

Dated: 14th December 2022 Ann Cunningham Head of Highways and Parking This page is intentionally left blank





Combined Public and Statutory Consultation Feedback

Proposed speed reduction measures on Durnsford Road N11

This consultation commenced 14 December and ran over the Christmas holiday period until the closing date of 18 January 2023.

Proposed scheme details comprise the following:

- Extension of the existing 20mph zone to include Durnsford Road between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road
- Introduction of raised tables within the proposed 20mph zone.
- Proposal to raise existing zebra crossing outside No.57
- Proposal to raise existing zebra crossing near No.147, remove central island and extend zig zag markings.
- New road markings and signage

Data Analysis

Support / Object

		Count	%
Support or object to	Support	11	41%
proposed measures	Object	12	44%
	Other view	4	15%
	Total	27	100%

		Support or object to proposed measures					
		Support		Object		Other view	
		Count	Row %	Count	Row %	Count	Row %
Road	Durnsford Rd	4	29%	7	50%	3	21%
	Albert Rd	6	55%	4	36%	1	9%
	Alexandra Pk Rd	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%
	Rhys Avenue	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%
	Total	11	41%	12	44%	4	15%

Comments

	Support	
Road	or object	Reasons for view and other comments
Albert Rd	Support	I have lived on Albert Rd for nine years and have two young children at Rhodes Avenue and use the zebra crossing near the Garden Centre on a daily basis. I have seen some appalling dangerous driving on this whole stretch of road all the way from Colney Hatch Lane to Bounds Green Road. Even through the 20mph limit (which is NEVER adhered to) I have seen drivers overtaking at speed - even overtaking through the zebra crossings on the opposite side of the road. The zebra crossing mentioned above that leads to the side of Oliver Tambo Rec Ground is on a dangerous corner as any speeding traffic heading toward Bounds Green Road fails to see the crossing until they are almost upon it. I have seen very scary near-misses on this crossing. Ideally - we need a 20mph speed camera outside the park. I educate my children to be very aware of traffic and speeding drivers on this exact stretch of road but I fear that an accident is inevitable without stronger measures to calm the traffic in this area. Thank you for making these plans and changes and I hope they are implemented as soon as possible. I would encourage this approach along the entire stretch of road between Colney Hatch Lane and Bounds Green Road. This is an area with
		multiple schools and nurseries and the local footfall is heavily comprised of children
		and parents with prams.
Albert Rd	Object	While I commend what you plan to do, it really doesn't go far enough. The speeding issues are along that entire stretch of road, from the Maid of Muswell pub to Bounds Green tube, but you are only tackling one stretch of it. Can you please introduce speed reduction measures on the main road section of Albert Road where speeds regularly exceed 20mph. When lorries do this - particularly the ones carrying skips, of which there are many - our houses literally shake. I know the road is slightly raised outside 229 Albert Road, but it is very slight and really doesn't slow cars/lorries down very much at all, unlike the proper raised bumps on Dukes Avenue. Can we have some of those please on Albert Road? My other concern is that your speed reduction measures seem to be entirely self-monitoring, so relying on the good will and compliance of drivers. They currently don't comply with the 20mph speed limit, so I really think you need stronger measures, such as speed cameras, or the flashing speed light (such as the one on The Avenue), in order to protect residents, schoolchildren, park users and pedestrians on Albert and Durnsford Roads. The Avenue is a much quieter road, so I'm not sure how its considering necessary for that road to have one, but not the main road. Also, the signage need to be more prominent, simply painting 20mph on the road isn't working. I also think a cyclist lane would be a good idea and for you to stop the low traffic neighbourhood scheme, which has sadly caused extra traffic and pollution on Albert and Durnsford Roads.

Albert Rd	Support	 I'm writing to offer my support for the proposed speed reduction measures on Durnsford Road, N11. Whilst I look forward to the council conducting a more holistic and thorough review of the traffic (and resulting pollution) on Albert & Durnsford roads and Bounds Green, in general, I do believe the proposed measures will help increase overall safety in this area. The transition between Albert Road and Durnsford road is important for many reasons not least because of its proximity to our excellent primary and secondary schools and our award winning green space, Oliver Tambo Rec. These factors mean the area is filled with pedestrians many of whom are children. As a father myself, I'm acutely aware of the hazards of fast-moving traffic on a street used by so many children and adults alike so I'm happy to support the proposed measures. Thank you for working to keep our communities safe and thriving by taking these measures into consideration. I hope they will be adopted and implemented as soon as possible.
Albert Rd	Support	
Albert Rd	Support	I fully support these much needed speed reducing measures [Should the Council consider any part of Durnsford, Albert, or Alexandra Park Road as closed School Roads or LTNs they will NOT get our support. Rhodes and APS are schools which our daughter attended/now attends and we do not wish to have stationary traffic pumping out fumes nearby as well as the other associated traffic mayhem associated with these "step too far" divisive schemes.]
Albert Rd	Object	No need for these measures. It will slow down emergency response vehicles and add to the gridlock resulting from LTNs that were put in against most people's wishes. You should use residents' hard earned money on stuff that is needed. Please stop wasting taxpayers' money
Albert Rd	Support	I'm in support of LTNs and would like the end of Albert Road restricted to stop it being used as a cut-through. Albert Rd is too narrow for 2-way traffic, and it's too heavily used in rush hours to be safe.
Albert Rd	Support	Would make sense to move the crossing outside REC side entrance to outside REC car entrance. The location of the bus stop means that everyone crosses in front of the car entrance even though there is no formal pedestrian crossing there.
Albert Rd	Object	I have been living on Albert Rd for many years! Unfortunately since the closure of the side roads leading to Colney Hatch Lane (also from Alexandra Park Road) some years ago our street became a very busy road with traffic jams , especially three times a day,morning and afternoon school runs as we have two schools in the area, and evening traffic. Apart from the time lost to reach my home, the dirty air I have to breathe all the time is not good for me, an elderly woman, nor the children in the family. Recently all this has even become worse because of the closure of side streets in Bound Green and Durnsford Rd area. This is not fair for us who live on these roads. The air is unbearable, and the traffic is too. I have written many times in the past years concerning this issue but nothing has been done and I do not think anything will be done. Why can we not have a right for clean air and less traffic like the rest of the area? Opening up the side streets will distribute the traffic and dirty air.

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Albert Rd	Other view	 While I support the proposals I don't think they are strong enough to work. I live on Albert Road, which is already supposed to be 20mph and there is constant speeding because the 20mph just isn't enforced sufficiently. Some low level speed bumps and 20mph signs are not effective and both cars and lollies drive past at dangerous speeds. It is disruptive for residents and dangerous for the hundreds of schoolchildren who use this road. Can you please consider installing a speed camera and bigger bumps, such as those on Dukes Avenue and a camera which tells drivers their speed, such as the one on The Avenue. These two roads have much better speed restrictions than we do on Albert Road, but we are a residential street too.
Albert Rd	Object	I wish to object to the speed tables plan. Firstly I am not sure that the average speed is as high as quoted. A lot of the time it is lower. Secondly as a driver of a small economical car abiding by the limit my suspension is gradually being damaged by going over speed bumps in Haringey (not to mention the potholes). Some you can only do at 10mph. However I think that those who do speed drive larger expensive cars that can cope with such humps - or accelerate and brake between them. So I don't think that such changes will achieve anything. I am in favour of many more of the illuminated signs with radar giving speeds. I hadn't realised that section wasn't 20mph by default so I have been doing that speed on the whole section to the A406. Also more buses and bus routes will help and may be cycle lanes (not sure it is a problem). I don't think pollution is a problem in this area. I have been a resident for a long time.
Alexandra Pk Rd	Object	The main problem with traffic on Durnsford Road is that it is so often at a standstill - from at least mid-afternoon till later in the evening every day. When there is less traffic, certainly there is some speeding, but using average speed as a measure is not useful because of the contrasts. We absolutely agree with Cllr Rossetti that a co-ordinated approach needs to be taken rather than implementing piecemeal measures. So many people around here are crying out for 24hr bus lanes - perhaps for use by cyclists as well - this is the main priority. The effects of LTNs in the area on traffic levels also need to be taken into consideration. If the proposed LTN in Alexandra North is implemented - particularly if it includes Alexandra Park Road N22/Palace Gates Road (as we hope it will) - then the considerable volume of traffic travelling through the neighbourhood from Durnsford will be eliminated. Similarly, if the bus gate on Brownlow road proposed by Enfield council is implemented, this will stop the cut-through along this road used by many motor vehicles in order to avoid a corner of the north circular. This would not only reduce the volume of traffic, but, in particular, speeding traffic. We trust that the transport team are being included in these deliberations.
Durnsford Rd	Other view	Will the road markings change more? If so what are the options on disabled parking on the street? Also what effect will there be on assigned permits in CPZs?

Durnsford Rd	Object	Dear Peray Ahmet, Mike Hakata, Haringey Council, Highways and parking, Ann Cunningham I hereby give you notice of my non consent to the LTN scheme being implemented. It has ruined our business on Myddelton Road. Clients are now unable to come due to the ridiculous amount of traffic caused by the re-routing onto very busy main roads. What used to take me 10 minutes to drop off supplies now takes 35-45 minutes depending on how bad the traffic is. We have asked you to open up Whittington road as a way to allow those coming to shop an easy entry and exit so that you do not cause more family owned businesses going out of business and forcing more people into poverty. On the other hand we also live on Durnsford road and pollution is up. We have idle traffic all day now, with horn blasting from 7am due to the frustration of sitting in unseen levels of traffic. I'm asthmatic and notice when pollution is bad. My use of inhalers has gone up. Our daughter complains of itchy eyes. Which before the LTN didn't happen. This LTN scheme is damaging our health. Who do I hold liable for all these damages and losses? Haringey council is not listening to its constituents to the detriment of the people. Regardless of the scheme being a trial, you must stop it now. Before you have very serious loss and damage to peoples livelihoods and health on your hands. Our whole street are angry about the traffic and pollution increase. I don't believe you are calculating the traffic and pollution adequately aa your traffic counter only appeared on the roads recently and not when implemented in August, 3 months ago. It has come to my attention that traffic counters do not count a car if it rolls over it slowly which is basically what happens as traffic is user alow
Durnsford Rd	Support	 as traffic is very slow moving. I have received your consultation leaflet about the above matter. I welcome your proposal as it will make Durnsford Road a lot safer for pedestrians, so thank you very much!! I would like to have a chat with a member of your team: one of the new proposed raised tables appears to be right outside my drive: I'd like to gain a better understanding of how the new raised table and the new road marking is going to affect me. e.g. is the white line currently painted across my drive going to be maintained? Another thought on the proposal: I don't think you should get rid of the pedestrian islands as pedestrians - especially with young children or disabled - still need a respite even with the traffic slowing down. Durnsford road is quite a busy road, and it is always useful to be able to manage one direction of traffic at any one time. They are also useful to stop HGV coming from Crescent rise from turning right at the junction
Durnsford Rd	Object	the junction.The proposal states "Extension of the existing 20mph zone to include DurnsfordRoad between Albert Road and Bounds Green Road" This is surprising to readbecause all the evidence suggests that this section of road is ALREADY a 20mphzone! There are several circular "20" speed limit signs as well as road markingspainted with large "20" numbers in white lettering. Please can you explain what'sgoing on? What really is being proposed in relation to the speed limit?

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Durnsford Rd	Object	I would like to object to the proposed measures on the following grounds: > >
		THIS IS MADNESS! HOW MUCH HAS BEEN SPENT ON THESE PROPOSALS?!
		> > 1. Cost. In times of austerity, Haringey should be allocating its budget to more
		pressing problems, that immediately are affecting lives of residents. > > 2. Albert
		and Durnsford roads are almost at a standstill for much of the day since the
		introduction of Bounds Green LTN. > > 3. Speed humps damage cars. They
		actually don't slow speeding motorists. > > 4. Cameras are more effective in
		slowing traffic and are a revenue source. > > PLEASE, ABANDON THIS NOW. >
Durnsford Rd	Object	1. From: HCC. Objection to traffic island and other features 2022-T77
		- Durnsford Road - Will the 10 proposed raised tables be 100mm height and
		constructed to a true sinusoidal profile? Could the height and proposed details
		please be provided (as for the Cranley Gardens drawings)? The recent raised
		table work next to the Oliver Tambo memorial needed remedial work, which is best
		avoided. The raised tables will make the pinch point at the zebra slightly less
		dangerous, however retaining the island will prevent the introduction of protected
		cycle lanes, which are very much needed to allow a modal shift and traffic
		reduction, to follow from the Bowes Park LTN.
		2. Additional objection from HCC: " The Walking and Cycling Action Plan,
		approved in September, proposes a safe cycle network, including Alexandra Park
		Rd, Albert Rd and Durnsford Road. In view of Council policy on LTN and WCAP
		implementation and in view of the increasing bike rider casualties, HCC suggests
		there should NOT be further traffic calming measures on Durnsford Road for the
		present and that the planned road safety investment should instead be made in
		protected cycle lanes. There is ample space on Durnsford Road at the East side
		for a two-way protected cycle track, or possibly for with-flow cycle tracks. Provision
		such as this, complying with LTN1/20, would be a real contribution to road safety
		and could in time be extended to the full length of the route. Combined with the
		low traffic roads provided by present and future LTN's it will become safe to cycle
		to schools and local shops. It should be noted one of the cycle casualties in 2016,
		at Albert Rd, involved serious injury to a school student, on the way to school
		(apparently a "hit and run" incident). It is not surprising that very few students cycle
		to schoolDear Gemma, Thank you for consulting Haringey Cycling
		Campaign. While supporting traffic calming measures in principle, we consider the
		schemes will, as presently designed, prejudice the implementation of the Walking
		and Cycling Action Plan adopted by the Council in September this year.

Durnsford Rd	Object	We think there is a problem with the proposal to remove the central island of the zebra crossing in Durnsford Rd. For long periods of the day there is an almost stationary traffic jam going towards Bounds Green Station all the way back to Rhodes Avenue. Drivers going in the opposite direction cannot see whether pedestrians are trying to cross as they are unsighted by stopped vehicles obscuring their view. The central island gives drivers some opportunity to see pedestrians at this point. It also gives pedestrians a chance to pause and look again. We think the central island should remain. Please would you reassess this. There is another dangerous hazard here relating to the O.R. Tambo Recreation Ground gate by this crossing. The gate is obscured by privet hedges and directly in line with the crossing. Park goers sometimes walk straight out of the gate onto the crossing giving drivers during quieter times when there is free flowing traffic almost no time to understand their intention to cross. Please would you consult with the Parks Department to move the position of this gate?
Durnsford Rd	Support	Long overdue. Cars often travel 3 times faster than the limit in the evenings. There is a school further up the road and a primary school nearby on Bounds Green Road. Please enforce the speed limits with cameras.
Durnsford Rd	Object	I am writing to express our concern over the current proposed speed reduction measures for Durnsford Road. As residents of the road, with young children, we are very keen to see improvements, however we have grave concerns that this proposal is piecemeal and requires a more holistic approach to truly solve the issues we face on this road on a daily basis. The road is a wide one, and we believe this is a major contributing factor to people driving recklessly on it. Could the introduction of dedicated cycle lanes offer many solutions in terms of offering not only safe passageway for cyclists, (as a cyclist I really don't feel safe on this road) but also act as a calming measure for speeding motorists if there is less room for the cars? The introduction of chicanes could also potentially work well to narrow the road, and would also offer the ability to plant trees on the "islands", as greenery also really lacking on the majority of the road. Wightman Road utilises this approach we believe to good effect. We worry about the proposed removal of the island on the zebra crossing also. This is a crossing we use daily with our children on the walk to school and the idea of losing the ability to stop half way on a wide road such as it is feels like it may make it even less safe to cross. By removing the island, again it is going to effetely make the road feel wider to motorists which could encourage further risk manoeuvres by drivers. Lastly, pollution from cars is a huge problem for us, particularly since the introduction of the LTNs. We have bumper to bumper traffic jams often starting in the early afternoon, right the way through to 8pm. I've heard that Enfield Council are keen to shut down Brownlow Road to rat running traffic, and I'd urge Haringey council to do the same for Durnsford Road, limiting traffic to locals and busses only (to note the busses are very often speeding perpetrators - a single decker failed to stop for me on the above mentioned zebra crossing yesterday at an approximate 40+mph, truly astounding

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Durnsford Rd	Other view	Retain the centre island on the pedestrian crossing on Durnsford Rd. This provides an essential refuge for vulnerable pedestrians and prevents over-taking manoeuvres by vehicle drivers.
Durnsford Rd	Support	I think you'll need to put large 20mph markings on the road itself. While you have the 20mph signposts at the junction with Durnsford and Bounds Green roads; I think you also need them further along Durnsford Rd.
Durnsford Rd	Support	
Durnsford Rd	Other view	LTNs have had the effect of increasing congestion and pollution in Durnsford Rd. LTNs should be scrapped.
Durnsford Rd	Object	Traffic crawls past here and is often at a standstill for much of the time. Why would you slow the traffic any more? Cars may now just dream of travelling at 20mph. The LTNs in Enfield and Bounds Green have funnelled all the traffic onto Durnsford Road, and the stationary cars emit fumes. You clearly have no knowledge of what is happening in this area when you proposed this measure. Please can you remove the unused DB outside #76 (ish). That would be much more useful than proposing these idiotic outdated measures.
Rhys Avenue	Support	
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Agenda Item 9

Report for: Cabinet Member Signing

Title:Proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of
Park Road, N8

 Report

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Ward(s) affected: Crouch End and Highgate

Report for Key/ Non-Key Decision: Non-key

(There is unlikely to be substantial public interest in the decision/the decision will not result in significant social, economic or environmental risk)

1 Describe the issue under consideration.

- 1.1 To report on the feedback of the statutory consultation carried out from 18 January to 7 February 2023, on a proposal to introduce a zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of Park Road and to relocate the existing zebra crossing on Park Road near the junction with Wolseley Road, N8.
- 1.2 To request approval to proceed to implementation, after considering objections and officer response to those objections.

2 Cabinet Member Introduction

2.1 N/A

3 Recommendations

That the Cabinet Member for Tackling Inequality and Resident Services

- 3.1 Approves the implementation of the proposal to introduce a zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of Park Road and
- 3.2 Approves the relocation of the existing zebra crossing on Park Road near the junction with Wolseley Road N8, as set out on the plan in Appendix A.

4 Reasons for decision

4.1 The Council is required to consider the feedback received during the statutory notification period, in particular any objections to proposals, prior to proceeding to implementation. The proposals consulted upon are aimed at improving pedestrian accessibility and road safety.

5 Proposed Option

- a) To remove the double yellow lines on both sides of Wolseley Road from its junction with Park Road, southwest for 30 metres to outside flats 4-6.
- b) To remove the double yellow lines and double kerb blips on Park Road N8 across the car park access to Coulsdon Court.
- c) To remove and relocate or install new a small tree located at the proposed crossing point to facilitate the introduction of the zebra crossing.
- d) To introduce a zebra crossing on Wolseley Road N8 approximately 7 metres southwest of its junction with Park Road. To accommodate this, the existing zebra crossing on Park Road N8 will be relocated south eastwards by approximately 8 metres. The crossing is currently located outside no.70 (the Maynard Arms public house) but is to be relocated outside 68a (Traynor & Company).
- e) The crossings will be supported with associated zig-zag markings, on which vehicles would be prohibited from stopping at all times. These will be placed on the carriageway either side of the crossings, no more than 17 metres in both directions.

6 Alternative options considered.

6.1 None

7 Background Information

- 7.1 Haringey regards road safety, particularly pedestrian safety, as a high priority and are keen to improve conditions ensuring that all pedestrians, including vulnerable road users, have safe, accessible crossing points and feel confident and safe in using them.
- 7.2 Following requests from the local community, as part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, the Council is proposing to introduce a zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction with Park Road. Officers have investigated the latest 36 months' collision data (01/12/19 30/11/22) on Wolseley Road at its junction with Park Road and can confirm that there have been 7 recorded personal injury accidents (PIA), of which 2 were serious and 5 were slight. Five of the PIAs involved pedestrians and one involved a cyclist.
- 7.3 The proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road junction with Park Road will provide a clearly defined crossing point where pedestrians are 'expected' to cross the road and will give pedestrians the right of way over traffic, enabling them to cross the road safely, which will assist in reducing PIAs. To accommodate this, the existing zebra crossing on Park Road will be relocated south eastwards by approximately 8 metres, which will improve the visibility between drivers approaching and pedestrians waiting to cross, thus improving pedestrian accessibility and road safety by the junction.
- 7.3 The total cost of the scheme is £137K, and funding is assigned through the agreed capital programme.

8 Consultation

- 8.1 Ward Councillors were informed about the proposals on 22 December 2022. Councillor Luke Cawley-Harrison and Councillor Cressida Johnson welcomed the proposals.
- 8.2 Notification documents were distributed to properties in the vicinity of the proposals on 18 January 2023. A copy of the statutory consultation document is shown in Appendix A and a copy of the consultation boundary can be found in Appendix B.
- 8.3 The notification letter was uploaded on the Council's website. Legal notices were placed on street and in the local newspaper. A copy of the legal notice is shown in Appendix C.
- 8.4 As part of the statutory process, the following statutory bodies were also notified:
 - AA
 - London Transport
 - Police (local)
 - Fire Brigade
 - London Ambulance Service
 - Freight Transport Association
 - Road Haulage Association
 - RAC
 - Metropolitan Police (traffic)
 - London Travel Watch

9 **Responses to Consultation**

9.1 The full consultation report from which table 1 was extracted, can be found in Appendix D.

 Table 1 – Public and Statutory Consultation Analysis

		No.	%
Response (s)	Support	17	63%
	Object	6	22%
	Other views	4	15%
	Total	27	100%

- 9.2 A total of 27 responses were received during the statutory consultation period. 17 (63%) were in support, 6 (22%) objected to the proposal and 4 (15%) expressed other views. Objections have been summarised below together with the Council's responses.
- 9.2.1 Objection Traffic congestion will increase in Wolseley Road and Park Road 'There are already queues and congestion on Wolseley Road and Park Road will increase and the pollution levels.'

Council Response

The proposed zebra crossing may increase vehicle queues and congestion during the peak times. However, over the years, Haringey Council has received several requests from residents and Ward Councillors to introduce a formal pedestrian crossing on Wolseley Road by Park Road, which is on a walking route to Highgate Wood School. Furthermore, as stated in paragraph 7.2 above, officers have investigated the latest 36 months' collision data on Wolseley Road junction with Park Road and can confirm that there have been 7 recorded PIAs, 2 serious and 5 slight. Five of the PIAs involved pedestrians and one involved a cyclist. The proposed zebra crossing will help reduce PIAs by this junction.

The proposed zebra crossing will assist in conforming to the Mayor's 'Healthy Street Approach' on creating streets that are pleasant, safe and attractive where accessibility is not a barrier that prevents people, particularly the most vulnerable from getting out and about.

9.2.2 Objection – Incorrect location for proposed zebra crossing

'I do NOT support the provision of a new zebra crossing on Wolseley Road. The proposed location of the zebra crossing is inconvenient for pedestrians as it ignores pedestrian sight lines, and you will most likely get pedestrians not using the zebra crossing to cross Wolseley Road'.

Council Response

Chapter 6 of the Traffic Signs Manual (2019), states that the controlled area (zigzag road markings) by the proposed zebra crossing should never extend beyond the nearer kerb line of the major road. It should be the aim to provide room for at least one vehicle turning into the minor road to wait at the crossing without obstructing traffic on the major road. The proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road will be introduced approximately 6m away from the Park Road junction to allow space for a vehicle to turn into Wolseley Road from Park Road and meets the sightline requirements of the crossing.

The zebra crossing was designed in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Traffic Signs Manual and the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016 and therefore does meet the required sightline requirements. It should also be noted that a Road Safety Audit (RSA) was undertaken for the scheme, which did not identify any issues regarding the siting of the proposed zebra crossings. An RSA is a systematic process for checking the road safety implications of highway improvements and new road schemes, which is a specialist process that was carried out independently of design and construction work. RSAs are intended to ensure that operational road safety experience is applied during the design and construction process in order that the number and severity of collisions are kept to a minimum.

The proposed zebra crossing will assist in conforming to the Mayor of London's 'Healthy Street Approach' on creating streets that are pleasant, safe and attractive where accessibility is not a barrier that prevents people, particularly the most vulnerable from getting out and about.

9.2.3 Objection – Lighting Pollution and Temporary Traffic Management concerns

'The flashing lights will hinder my sleep and work from home set up. Furthermore, the disruptions to traffic and bus routes during construction would negatively impact many people who use this major route'.

Council Response

The proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road will be installed with Zebrite Belisha beacons, which has ultra-visible LED technology. This means that the lighting sensor adjusts to ambient lighting levels, reducing output at night to maintain contrast. This cuts unwanted lighting pollution, which can be a major nuisance to residents. For further information on this type of Belisha beacon, please visit: - Zebrite - Traffic Safety Solutions

The Belisha beacons will be fitted with a cover to shield the light emitting towards the windows of neighbouring properties, in order to reduce lighting pollution.

Whilst every effort is undertaken to complete such schemes as quickly as possible, the health and safety of all users of the junction and those executing the works need to be safeguarded. As a consequence, it is not only important to provide safe passage through the works for all road users but also to provide sufficient space in which operatives can work safely and without the possibility of being struck by passing traffic. Unfortunately, when usable road space is reduced, traffic lanes are narrowed and temporary traffic lights are deployed, journey time will inevitably be longer resulting in displaced traffic. However, short term inconvenience to residents and the public in general is outweighed by the long term safety and accessibility benefits which the zebra crossing will bring.

9.2.4 Objection – Cars turning into Wolseley Road will have to make a sudden stop

'Cars coming from Crouch End will turn onto Wolseley to be confronted by pedestrians on the crossing. Seems more dangerous. A crossing nearer to Tivoli gives a clear view'.

Council Response

It is unlikely that cars will need to stop suddenly, as they will be travelling at a lower speed, having just made the turn into Wolseley Road from Park Road. Moreover, the proposed zebra crossing will also be introduced on a raised junction table, which will significantly reduce vehicular speeds and make it easier and safer for pedestrians to cross the road on the top of the table where speeds are at their lowest.

The zebra crossing was designed in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Traffic Signs Manual and the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016 and therefore complies with national standards and best practise.

Chapter 6 of the Traffic Signs Manual states that where a crossing is on a minor road, drivers of vehicles turning into that road need time to judge the situation and space in which to stop. Crossings on a minor road should be sited far enough from a give way or stop line to allow at least one car to stop before the crossing. The proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road will be installed approximately 6m (one car space), from the Park Road junction.

It should also be noted that zig-zag road markings, zebra crossing warning signs and Belisha beacons will be introduced to alert approaching drivers to the presence of the crossing. The proposed zebra crossing will also be introduced on a raised junction table, which has been designed to slow the speed of approaching vehicles.

Our preliminary traffic surveys indicate that the pedestrian desire lines (where most people cross the road) is by the Wolseley Road/Park Road junction, hence the proposed location.

Furthermore, an independent RSA was carried out on the scheme proposal, which did not identify any issues with vehicles turning manoeuvres.

9.2.5 Comments from Haringey Cycling Campaign (HCC)

'Can we keep the crossing on the Park Road at the existing Location?'

Council Response

Chapter 6 of the Traffic Signs Manual states that, where a crossing is to be placed near a side-road junction on a major road, the desire line may conflict with visibility requirements for drivers exiting the side road. Crossings may need to be moved off the desire line in order to give drivers enough time to see a crossing and brake safely, but deviations from the desire line should be minimised as far as possible. In this case, it is proposed to relocate the existing zebra crossing on Park Road approximately 6m away from the Wolseley Road junction in order to improve road safety and pedestrian accessibility.

9.2.6 Comment - Police Traffic Management Officer for Haringey

'My main concern here is the placement of the zebra in Wolseley Road so close to the junction. Are any temp signs planned to highlight the presence of this new crossing?'

Council Response

The zebra crossing was designed in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Traffic Signs Manual and the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016. In addition, an independent road safety audit, has been carried out on the scheme proposal, which did not identify any issues regarding signage for this scheme.

The Council will be introducing "New Zebra Crossing Ahead" signage on the approach to the zebra crossings.

10 Contribution to strategic outcomes

10.1 The installation of the zebra crossing at this location will support the delivery of the Council's Road Danger Reduction Action Plan, by introducing a safe crossing point for pedestrians, in particular vulnerable road users. It will also support the delivery of the Council's wider <u>Transport Strategy</u>, encouraging walking, as pedestrians will feel more confident and safe when needing to cross the road.

10.2 The work also supports the Responding to the Climate Emergency Theme in the Corporate Delivery Plan, particularly the high-level outcome of 'A Just Transition'. The provision of the new zebra crossing forms part of the actions needed to achieve 'reduced casualties and safer road network in Haringey.'

Statutory Officers' comments

11 Finance

11.1 This report seeks the approval for the implementation of the proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road, near the junction of Park Road for a total cost of circa £137k. The cost of this proposal will be fully met from the Council's capital programme, under capital scheme number 302 – Borough Roads.

12 Legal

- 12.1 Pedestrian crossing facilities are provided under powers contained in Section
 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act (RTRA) 1984, subject to Regulations made
 by the Secretary of State.
- 12.2 Before establishing, altering or removing a crossing a local traffic authority shall consult the chief officer of police about their proposal to do so and shall give public notice of that proposal.
- 12.3 It shall be the duty of a local traffic authority to execute any works (including the placing, erection, maintenance, alteration and removal of marks and traffic signs) required in connection with the establishment, alteration or removal of crossings in accordance with regulations having effect under section 25 of the RTRA 1984, or in connection with the indication of crossings in accordance with such regulations.
- 12.4 Section 66 of the Highways Act permits highway authorities to provide objects or structures on a highway for the purposes of safeguarding persons using the highway.
- 12.5 The Highways Act 1980 permits local authorities to place objects or structures on a highway for the purposes of providing a service for the benefit of the public or a section of the public.
- 12.6 It is the view of Legal Services that what is being proposed and recommended within this report is in accordance with the law, as set out in this section.

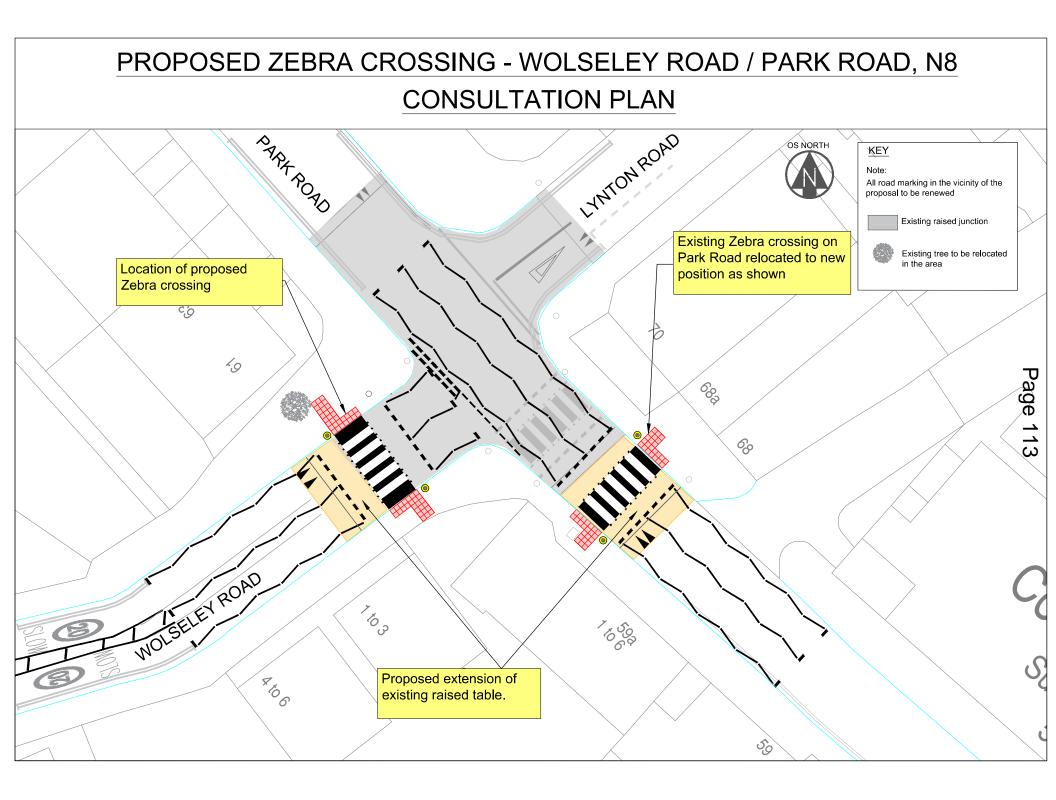
13 Equalities

- 13.1 The Council has a public Sector Equality Duty under the Equality Act (2010) to have due regard to the following:
 - Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited under the Act.
 - Advance equality of opportunity between people who share those protected characteristics and people who do not.
 - Foster good relations between people who share those characteristics and people who do not.

- 13.2 The consultation documents were distributed to all households / businesses within the agreed consultation area to ensure that all stakeholders were made aware of the council's proposals.
- 13.3 Having a new zebra crossing included in the proposal would allow greater accessibility and safety of those in wheelchairs, and/or with buggies, thereby advancing equality of opportunity for groups with protected characteristics such as disability as well as pregnancy and maternity.

14 Use of Appendices

- Appendix A Statutory consultation document and plan
- Appendix B Consultation boundary
- Appendix C Legal notice
- Appendix D Full consultation report



Highways and Parking

Ann Cunningham: Head of Highways & Parking



18 January 2023

Public and Statutory Consultation

Proposed Zebra Crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of Park Road, N8

Dear Resident or Business,

Following requests from the local community, I am pleased to inform you that as part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, we are proposing to introduce a zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction with Park Road. The proposed zebra crossing will improve pedestrian accessibility and road safety. We are also proposing to move the existing zebra crossing on Park Road away from the junction to improve visibility between drivers approaching and pedestrians waiting to cross.

The key interventions are as follows and are detailed on the plan overleaf:

- Provision of a new zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of Park Road
- Relocation of the existing zebra crossing on Park Road slightly further away from the junction with Wolseley Road
- Extension of the existing raised table to accommodate zebra crossings

This letter marks the start of public consultation, during which we welcome your views on the proposals. Please provide these using the enclosed Freepost feedback card or email your views to us at <u>frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk</u>

At the same time, the statutory consultation on the proposed changes (legal process whereby the proposals are advertised in the local newspapers) will begin on 18 January 2023. The statutory consultation process will run for three weeks until 7 February 2023. The statutory process is designed to ensure that anyone wishing to object to the proposals will have their views considered and responded to. You can object to the scheme by emailing traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk Please give reasons for your objection.

Please ensure that your response including any objections to the proposals reach us as soon as possible and no later than **7 February 2023**.

If you have any specific questions on the scheme, please contact <u>frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk</u>

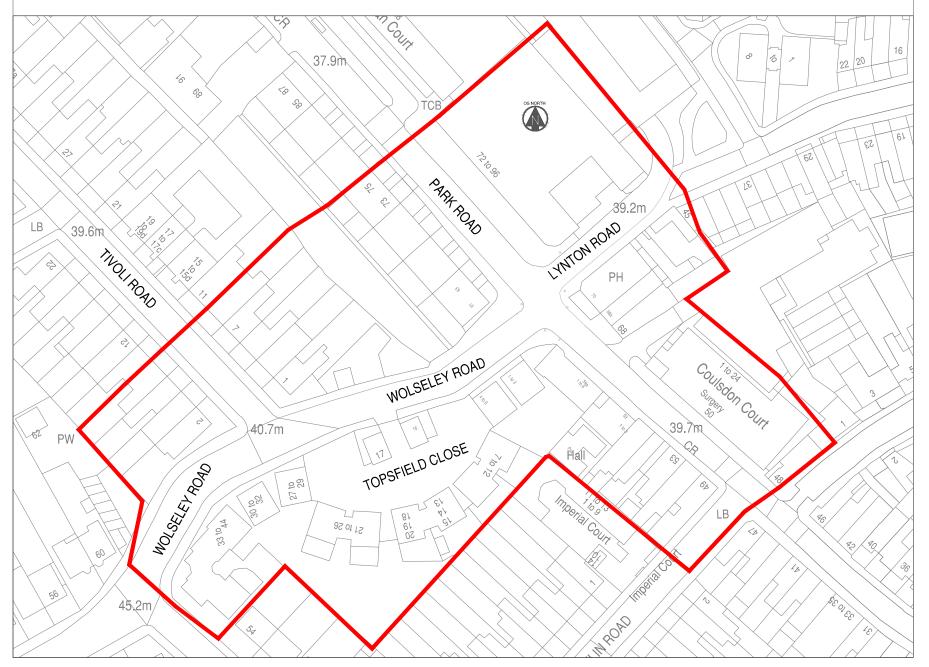
Thank you for your interest and we look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,

Highways & Parking

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Public Notice

HARINGEY COUNCIL – PUBLIC NOTICE PROPOSED ZEBRA CROSSING – WOLSELEY ROAD AND PARK ROAD N8

The Haringey (Free Parking Places, Loading Places and Waiting, Loading and Stopping Restrictions) (Amendment No.***) Order 202*

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Notice is hereby given that the Council of the London Borough of Haringey proposes to make the above mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended and Section 23 Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to implement a Zebra Crossing on Wolseley Road N8 and relocate the existing Zebra Crossing on Park Road N8.

The general effect of the Order: To amend the waiting and loading restrictions as detailed below to facilitate the installation of proposed Zebra Crossings:

- 1. To remove the double yellow lines on both sides of Wolseley Road N8 from its junction with Park Road, south west for 30 metres to outside Flats 4-6.
- 2. To remove the double yellow lines and double kerb blips on Park Road N8 across the carpark access to Coulsdon Court

It is proposed that a Zebra Crossing would be introduced on Wolseley Road N8, with the centre located 9.5 metres south west of its junction with Park Road. To accommodate this, the existing Zebra Crossing on Park Road N8 will be relocated south eastwards by approximately 8 metres. The centre line of this crossing is currently located outside no.70 (the Maynard Arms pub) but would instead be located outside no.68a (Traynor & Company).

The crossings will be supported with associated zig-zag markings, on which vehicles would be prohibited from stopping at all times. These will be placed on the carriageway either side of the crossings; no more than 17 metres in both directions.

A copy of the proposed Order, the Council's statement of reasons for making the Order and plans showing the locations and effects of the Order may be inspected during normal office working hours until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, at the reception desk, Alexandra House, 10 Station Road. Wood Green, N22 7TR or can be viewed online at https://consultation.appyway.com/haringey

Any person wishing to object to the proposed Order or make other representation should send grounds for their objection via the online portal <u>https://consultation.appyway.com/haringey</u> or alternatively email <u>traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk</u> or write to Traffic Management Group, Alexandra House, 4th floor, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR quoting refence **2022-T75**, by 8th February 2023.

Dated: 18th January 2023

Ann Cunningham Head of Highways and Parking





Combined Public and Statutory Consultation Feedback

The Consultation ran from 18 January 2023 to 7 February 2023

Summary of proposed measures

As part of this year's Road Danger Reduction Investment Plan, a zebra crossing is proposed on Wolseley Road near the junction with Park Road. This is designed to improve pedestrian accessibility and road safety. It is also proposed to move the existing zebra crossing on Park Road away from the junction to improve visibility for drivers approaching, and for pedestrians waiting to cross.

The key measures are:

- Provision of a new zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of Park Road
- Relocation of the existing zebra crossing on Park Road slightly further away from the junction with Wolseley Road
- Extension of the existing raised table to accommodate zebra crossings.

Consultation Analysis

1. Overview of support / objection

	2	Count	%
Support or object	Support	17	63%
	Object	6	22%
	Other view	4	15%
	Total	27	100%

2. Comments

Road	Support or object	Explanatory comments
Barrington Rd	Support	I am emailing to say that I do think the new zebra crossing map is a very good idea, AND the moving of the Park Road crossing, too, as confusion over that crossing is very bad, already, with the W5 buses and all waiting, stuck half-way round the corner, as it's too close to the turning. So, YES, go ahead with the new zebra crossing,

Coolhurst Rd	Support	It is good that a new zebra crossing will be put in at the bottom of Wolseley Rd before someone is killed. It is long overdue. I wonder if there may be too many speed humps planned. I hope they will be designed with an appropriate width across the road so that ambulance wheels can remain on the level. It must be a problem for the drivers to try to keep the patient as little disturbed as possible, while having to negotiate the humps. Also, while I welcome an effort being made to slow down the traffic, the frequency of humps will increase the damage to suspension of all vehicles.
Elder Ave	Object	I am writing to oppose the placement of a new zebra crossing at the bottom of Wolseley Road at the junction with Park Road. There are already big queues of cars at peak times trying to get from Wolseley Road onto Park Road or trying to navigate along Park Road either towards Muswell Hill or towards Crouch End Broadway. A zebra crossing, I believe, would cause more traffic build up creating more fumes and potential for accidents. I walk along here often and have not really struggled to get across the bottom of Wolseley Road.
Ferme Park Rd	Object	I am writing in relation to the above proposals. I support the provision of speed bumps along Shepherd's Hill/Wolseley Road and the relocation of the zebra crossing on Park Road. However, I do NOT support the provision of a new zebra crossing on Wolseley Road. Wolseley Road is an unclassified road and as such this junction should be designed with pedestrian priority in mind through the provision of a blended crossing that extends the footway along Park Road across the junction head and the white give-way lines on Wolseley Road moved back further from the junction. The proposed location of the zebra crossing is inconvenient for pedestrians as it ignores pedestrian sight lines, and you will most likely get pedestrians not using the zebra crossing the street actually on the junction (in a straight line).
Glasslyn Rd	Support	 1.Provision of a new zebra crossing on Wolseley Road near the junction of Park Road 2.Relocation of the existing zebra crossing on Park Road slightly further away from the junction with Wolseley Road 3.Extension of the existing raised road surface to accommodate zebra crossings. I totally agree with all the points above, thank you for organising the improvements.
Hornsey Lane	Support	I support the campaign for a pedestrian crossing here. School Children cross here early in the morning and mid-afternoon, and quite often parents with prams and pushchairs are trying to cross - motorists (me included) are more interested in trying to get into the traffic flow along Park Road. I think a Pedestrian Crossing would help a lot: or better still Pedestrian Lights.
Palace Rd	Support	I have been a resident in Palace Road for years, and wholeheartedly agree with the new layout for zebra crossings on Wolseley Road and Park Road. It has always been a nightmare crossing in that area and this should be a great help.

Park Road	Object	I object in part to the proposed scheme. I accept the proposal for the new zebra crossing on Wolsely road as I believe this has substantial benefits and will ensure traffic coming down Wolsely road towards the junction slows to a safe speed for pedestrians. I object to the proposed relocation of the existing pedestrian crossing on Park road. my reasoning is: I believe that the area on the pavement on either side of the proposed relocation site is congested with shops and is less suitable than the existing location. I don't think it is fair to shops to have the crossing directly in front of their entrance. our bedroom would be in the direct line of sight to new flashing lights and this would be very disturbing for sleep and for working from home. I don't believe any possible benefits of relocation of the crossing and extension of the raised table could be justified as the disruptions this would cause to traffic and bus routes for the period of construction would be significant and negatively impact a very large number of people who use this major route. Lastly, I live on this junction, and I don't think that this change would make any difference to my experience of crossing the road at this point. I appreciate your time and I hope my reasoning is clear and insightful as a local who lives on this junction. I am happy to answer any further questions. I look forward to hearing of any news on this decision.
Park Road	Object	. I would like to express my objections to part of the scheme. I support the proposed addition of a zebra crossing on Wolseley Road as it will benefit pedestrians by slowing down traffic in that area. However, I object to the relocation of the pedestrian crossing on Park Road. The proposed relocation location is overcrowded with shops and is not as appropriate as the current location. Placing the crossing directly in front of the shop entrances would be unfavourable for them. The flashing lights would also hinder my sleep and work from home set up. Furthermore, the disruptions to traffic and bus routes during construction would negatively impact many people who use this major route. The relocation and extension of the raised table would not provide enough benefits to justify the disruptions. As a local resident at this junction, I do not see any improvement from this change. Thank you for considering my objections. I am available to answer any further questions. I look forward to hearing about the decision.
Park Road	Other view	Regarding the proposed Zebra crossing on Wolseley Road / Park Road. 1. Moving the crossing away from the junction on Park Road is important. On average once per week, drivers do not stop here for me, probably because it is too close to the junction. 2. Installing another crossing on the bottom Wolseley Road would clearly be a good idea - it is at times a thoroughfare for pedestrians. 3. It would be important to keep the small bollards on the corner of Wolseley/Park Road. Clearly, from the number of times it has been hit - many! - it is critical to keep this here to stop people mounting the curb and cutting the corner. 4. Who do I contact to advocate for a traffic camera further up on Wolseley Road - before or after the junction with Stanhope Road? The 20mph speed limit is routinely and simply always broken, despite the fact that a school is nearby. I have been overtaken three times in the past year by cars speeding and apparently angry with me that I'm doing 20mph.

Park Road	Object	I object to the proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road, as it will add to traffic congestion at peak times an already busy junction. The proposed zebra crossing on Wolseley Road is too close to the junction of the road, when in use it will prevent flow traffic, cars turning in to Wolseley Road from Park Road will be held up causing a traffic jam at this junction, cars not knowing what the hold is attributed to will become frustrated wit will inevitably lead to a build-up in traffic and noise pollution. The raised table on the drawing doesn't indicate any additional drainage points. This is already an issued of ponding water during moderate rain fall on the corner of Lynton Road and Park Road (by the current zebra crossing) without adequate drainage this area will turn in to a paddling pool during rainy weather
Park Road	Support	Great idea for the zebra crossing
Park Road	Support	
Wolseley	Support	
Road		
Tivoli Road	Support	As a local resident, I am in favour of the proposed new zebra crossing on Wolseley Road, particularly for the parents with buggies walking to Bright Horizons nursery at the end of Tivoli Road and for pupils of Highgate Wood School. I would like to make a few points: The crossing needs to be well lit (are there street lamps at the proposed site?) with a notice informing drivers well in advance of the crossing at the new location. The yellow beacons on either side of the crossing need to be bright and always in working order. The 20 mph markings in the road need to be repainted and visible. An electronic 20mph sign also needs to be in working order to slow down the traffic on the bends on Wolseley. As a driver, I would like to point out that due to cars parked in the resident and pay and display spaces on the bend on Wolseley Road close to Tivoli (and very often vans belonging to contractors), cars turning in and out of Tivoli can't see the traffic coming down Wolseley - it is a blind spot and very dangerous. You have to pull quite far out of Tivoli to see if there is traffic coming down the road. It is even more precarious turning into Tivoli when all the bays are in use. I would like to suggest that these bays be removed and located elsewhere - not on a bend. This would also help people crossing the road to spot oncoming traffic sooner.
Tivoli Road	Support	It is good that a new zebra crossing will be put in at the bottom of Wolseley Rd before someone is killed. It is long overdue. I wonder if there may be too many speed humps planned. I hope they will be designed with an appropriate width across the road so that ambulance wheels can remain on the level. It must be a problem for the drivers to try to keep the patient as little disturbed as possible, while having to negotiate the humps. Also, while I welcome an effort being made to slow down the traffic, the frequency of humps will increase the damage to suspension of all vehicles.
Tivoli Road	Support	I fully support the proposal for the zebra crossing on Wolseley Td. I have lived in Tivoli Rd for years and have many times been terrified of crossing Wolseley Rd. as , over the years, have my children and grandchildren I have seen many close shaves between cars and pedestrians.

Tivoli Road	Object	Based on my experience of coming up from Turnpike Lane and turning left on to Tottenham Lane where a pedestrian is not immediately obvious, and cars stop suddenly at the moment cars are slowed to the ped crossing opposite The Maynard. Cars coming from Crouch End will turn onto Wolseley to be confronted by pedestrians on the crossing. Seems more dangerous. A crossing nearer to Tivoli gives a clear view.
Tivoli Road	Other view	As a resident of Tivoli Rd I am. a frequent user of the Park Rd zebra crossing on the junction of Wolseley Rd. I understand you have plans to move it away from the crossroads. I agree this is something that needs to be done. When considering where to re-locate the crossing could you please consider moving it towards the Alexandra Palace side as opposed to Crouch End side of Park Rd? My main reason being the zebra crossing is essential when attempting to get to the W7 bus stop towards Finsbury Park, across the road to go to work or for my young daughter alongside many other young people who need the stop to travel to school. I see many people attempt to cross the road closer to the bus stop, which can cause alarm to drivers, especially when the pedestrian sees a bus on its way, or about to depart from the bus stop, almost risking their life to make it onto the bus! There is also a community of older people living in the sheltered accommodation close by on Park Rd, who would also benefit from this. I have helped older people cross the road in recent times, and worry about them taking risks in crossing the busy Park Rd, when on their own, due to their inability to walk far. if the crossing was moved further along Park Rd towards Crouch End, they would have further to walk and still have to contend with crossing the busy Wolseley Rd junction, and some just might not use it. As a Tivoli Road resident of more than 22 years, the present zebra crossing has caused many safety and near misses to our family, so we are pleased you are planning to move it along. I hope that you will be able to consider though moving it toward the Shell petrol station, to prevent potential accidents of those needing to travel on public transport and cross the road safely. I would appreciate what the proposed re-location plan is, and for residents to be informed beforehand, so they are able to express any views they might have on where to re position it. But please do take notice of my points raised about those needing to access the bu
Topfield Close	Support	Zebra crossing may help slow down traffic at the junction, which gets very busy. Traffic lights might even be better or a roundabout. Certainly the zebra is good for pedestrians crossing the road. Zebra is still difficult for pedestrians currently trying to cross on Park Rd.

Wolseley	Support	I confirm HCC's support for the proposed additional zebra crossing at
Road		Wolseley Rd. I have some queries and comments- 1)Will the gullies be relocated to avoid ponding at the approaches to the extended raised table? 2)Will the beacon posts be self-illuminated? 3)Could the existing zebra at Park Rd be maintained in its present location, which would- Maintain pedestrian desire line; reduce risk of J-walking; save cost (there doesn't seem to be any gain in visibility compared to the present position, please see email with picture). The new zebra at Wolseley Road should increase driver awareness of pedestrians at both crossings.
Wolseley Road	Support	I would like to confirm I believe there should be a Zebra crossing over Wolseley Road N8 somewhere fairly near the corner of Park Road to make this a safer road to cross in particular for the elderly, wheelchair users, children including those from Highgate Wood School and the nearby Nursery as well as people coping with babies in buggies and toddlers and grocery shopping and the many users of the W5 bus. Thanks for giving this your consideration.
Wolseley Road	Other view	I am responding to the consultation on the above proposal. I would suggest that these zebra crossings need to be much further apart, to avoid confusing drivers and to give them time to brake safely. My understanding is that guidance advises not to put crossings close to give way junctions and in this case there is not sufficient distance to allow cars to wait by the crossing having turned right from Park Road. For example, could the Park Road Zebra crossing be moved a short distance further towards no. 63 Park Road? that would also allow people catching or getting off the W7 to cross the road in safety. The number of parking bays opposite may need to be reduced, but not by a material number and I think the reduced risk to pedestrians would more than compensate Please consider this option.
Wolseley Road	Support	Just to say how much I approve of this proposal which is badly needed.
Wolseley Road	Support	I agree with having a zebra crossing at the bottom of Wolseley Road as it will make it clearer for drivers when to stop. Moving the other crossing further away from the junction seems like a good idea too.
Wolseley Road	Other view	Gemma: Thanks for sending this through. Have any RSA's been carried out? If so, please could you send me a copy? My main concern here is the placement of the zebra in Wolseley Road so close to the junction. Are any temp signs planned to highlight the presence of this new crossing?
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