

**Report for:** Record of Decision Taken Under Delegated Authority

**Item number:**

**Title:** Bikehangar – Vale Grove, N4

**Report  
authorised by :** Head of Operations:

**Cabinet Lead Member for Environment :**

**N/A**

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**Ward(s) affected:** Seven Sisters

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

**1.0 Describe the issue under consideration**

- 1.1** To report on the feedback of statutory consultation carried out from 28 July to 24 August 2017, for a proposal to introduce a Bikehanger on Vale Grove where it meets Hermitage Road.
- 1.2** To request approval to proceed to implementation, having taken objections into consideration.

**2.0 Recommendation**

- 2.1** It is recommended that the Head of Traffic Management:-
- 2.2** Approves the making of the Traffic Order to introduce a Bikehanger on Vale Grove where it meets Hermitage Road.

**3.0 Reasons for decision**

- 3.1** This facility has been consulted upon following numerous requests from Hermitage Road/Vale Grove residents. It should be noted that this Bikehanger will be fully funded via the Seven Sisters Ward Councillors ward budget.

**4.0 Alternative options considered**

- 4.1** None.

**5.0 Background Information**

- 5.1** Encouraging more people to cycle is a vital part of Haringey Council's plan to tackle congestion, improve air quality, promote physical activity and improve accessibility. The council is committed to the promotion of cycling as a serious form of transport. As the number of people who cycle increases, we recognise the need for safe and secure parking.
- 5.2** Following numerous requests from Hermitage Road/Vale Grove residents, the Council proposes to install a second Bikehanger on Vale Grove. This will require an existing residents parking bay to be reduced by 2.6 meters and will be fully funded via the Seven Sisters Ward Councillors ward budget.
- 5.3** The Bikehanger is a communal bike locker that stores six bicycles and only occupies half a car parking space. It's easy to open with a self-lifting door; the steel design protects bicycles from vandalism and wet weather.
- 5.4** The Bikehanger is manufactured by Cyclehoop Ltd, which is a firm of award-winning designers and architects specialising in producing innovative indoor and outdoor cycle parking infrastructure.

**6.0 Statutory Consultation**

**6.1 Ward Councillors were informed of the proposals on the 29<sup>th</sup> June 2017 and had no comments.**

**6.2 Notification documents were distributed to residents in the vicinity of the proposals on the 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017. A copy of the statutory consultation document is shown in Appendix A.**

**6.3 Legal Notices were placed on street at the location where the Bikehangar is proposed. A copy of the legal notice is shown in Appendix B.**

**7.0 Responses to Consultation**

**7.1 The council received seven responses to the consultation. All seven responses were in favour of the Bikehangar.**

**8.0 Contribution to strategic outcomes**

**8.1 This project will improve cycling facilities in the area and thus encourage cycle usage.**

**9.0 Statutory Officers comments (Chief Finance Officer (including procurement), Assistant Director of Corporate Governance Equalities**

**9.1 Comments of the Head of Legal Services**

**9.1.1 N/A**

**9.2 Chief Finance Officer Comments**

**9.2.1 The cost to supply and install the Bikehangar can be contained within the Seven Sisters ward Councillors, ward budget.**

**9.3 Equal Opportunities**

**9.3.1 The consultation documents were distributed to all households / businesses within the agreed consultation area to ensure that all stakeholders were made aware of the Councils proposals.**

**9.4 Staff Side Comments**

**9.4.1 N/A**

**9.5 Summary and Response**

**9.5.1 As there were no objections during the statutory notification period, the council has concluded that no alterations should be made to the proposed scheme. The Bikehangar will reduce vehicle parking by half a space but will allow six**

bicycles to park safely, which will help to promote the use of more sustainable forms of transport contributing to the council priority 2.

10.0 Use of Appendices

- Appendix A – Statutory consultation document
- Appendix B - Legal Notice

11.0 Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

11.1 N/A

# Appendix A



Sustainable Transport

Ann Cunningham: Head of Operations

**Haringey**  
LONDON

## **Bikehangar Cycle Parking** Vale Grove junction Hermitage Road N4

28 July 2017

Dear Resident,

Encouraging more people to cycle is an important part of central Government and Haringey Council policy to tackle traffic congestion, improve air quality, promote physical activity and improve accessibility.

Our commitment includes promoting cycling as a serious transport alternative; and with the continuing growth in numbers of people who cycle, we recognise the need for safe and secure cycle parking.



We would like to help residents who do not have adequate space to store their bikes by offering an additional Bikehangar facility in which space can be rented.

Local residents may rent a Bikehangar space by paying a small annual fee and key deposit to 'Cyclehoops'. For further information on Bikehangars and details of charges, visit: [www.cyclehoop.com](http://www.cyclehoop.com).

All six spaces within the existing Bikehangar on Vale Grove, which was installed in July 2016, were sold out in less than one-day.

### Proposed Location

Following requests for further secure cycle parking, we now propose to install an additional Bikehangar on Vale Grove where it meets Hermitage Road, as per the plan below.



If you have any comments or suggestions on the proposal, please email us by the 24 August 2017, at [Frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:Frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk). Please put 'Bikehangar' and your road name in the title line of the email.

If no major objections are received, we plan to install the Bikehangar in September 2017. This Bikehangar will be funded by the Seven Sisters Councillors' ward budget.





## Appendix B



# Public Notice



## **VALE GROVE N4 – PROPOSED BIKEHANGER**

**THE HARINGEY (PEDAL CYCLE PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. \*)  
ORDER 201\***

**THE HARINGEY (GREEN LANES B) (PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT  
NO. \*) ORDER 201\***

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1. 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, 63 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be to introduce a new bicycle parking place in Vale Grove N4, on the north-east side, by the flank wall of No. 82 Hermitage Road.
3. Copies of the proposed Orders, and of the Council's statement of reasons for making the Orders, and a plan showing the location and effects of the Orders may be inspected during normal office working hours 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, at the reception desk, Alexandra House, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR or can be viewed online at [www.haringey.gov.uk/traffic\\_orders](http://www.haringey.gov.uk/traffic_orders).
4. Any person desiring to object to the proposed Orders or make other representation should send a statement in writing of either their objection and the grounds thereof or of their representation to the Traffic Management Group, Alexandra House, 5th Floor, 10 Station Road, Wood Green, N22 7TR or to [traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:traffic.orders@haringey.gov.uk) within 21 days from the date of this Notice.

**Ann Cunningham,  
Head of Operations**

