



22<sup>nd</sup> July 2020

Dear Sir/Madam,

**A6 / Railway Road Junction Changes**  
**Consultation 22<sup>nd</sup> July to 7<sup>th</sup> August 2020**

The Town Centre Access Plan (TCAP) is a package of measures transforming the accessibility and connectivity to and around Stockport. It is making it easier for everyone to travel and specifically aims to ease congestion and encourage walking and cycling. A key element of TCAP is improving access to public transport facilities and developments.

As part of TCAP, Stockport Council is consulting on proposed changes to the A6 / Railway Road junction. The proposals include:

- Extended two-lane approach to the junction on Railway Road, a loading bay on Exchange (north) side and new vehicular access to the rear of Spring Bank Place;
- John Street to become one-way eastbound (away from the A6), and Loonies Court one-way towards Newbury Street. Loonies Court to be realigned with a new exit and vehicle access to the rear of A6 properties maintained;
- Parking / loading bay to facilitate Town Hall activities and 14no. parking bays retained in Loonies Court, also cycle parking;
- Pedestrian crossings over Railway Road and the A6 (Town Hall, south side of the junction); and
- Segregated 2-way cycle route along the north side of Railway Road, across the A6 and along Loonies Court. Shared footway / cycleway for the remainder of Railway Road connecting to a proposed parallel zebra crossing (pedestrians and cyclists segregated), also adjacent to the Town Hall on the A6 and John Street.

The proposed facilities for cycling connect the key route on the east side of the A6 with the Railway Station and Exchange development on the west side, as well as proposed routes to Edgeley and via a new bridge to Stockport Interchange on the bus station site.

**View the Proposals and Have Your Say**

A plan of the proposals can be viewed online at [www.stockport.gov.uk/haveyoursay](http://www.stockport.gov.uk/haveyoursay).

We would like your views on the proposals, a public consultation is taking place between **22<sup>nd</sup> July and 7<sup>th</sup> August 2020**. Please consider the information provided above and the plan online, and indicate whether you are in support of the proposals by completing the survey online at [www.stockport.gov.uk/haveyoursay](http://www.stockport.gov.uk/haveyoursay).

Stockport Council will not reply to all individuals but will collate, analyse and consider all responses received and the feedback from the consultation will be used as part of the decision making process prior to the implementation of any scheme.

If you have any questions about the proposals please do not hesitate to contact the team on 0161 474 2299 or at [towncentreaccess@stockport.gov.uk](mailto:towncentreaccess@stockport.gov.uk).

Yours faithfully,

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