

**STOCKPORT COUNCIL**  
**EXECUTIVE REPORT – SUMMARY SHEET**

**Subject: Mersey Vale Nature Park - Replacement Barrier**

**Report to: (a)** Heatons & Reddish Area Committee

**Date:** Monday, 19 April 2021

**Report of: (b)** Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration

**Key Decision: (c)** **NO / ~~YES~~** *(Please circle)*

Forward Plan ☐ General Exception ☐ Special Urgency ☐ *(Tick box)*

**Summary:**

The Area Committee is asked to consider the following proposed Local Initiative scheme:

The manufacture, supply and installation of a more robust barrier to replace the existing 2 leaf entrance gates at the Craig Road entrance to Mersey Vale Nature Park.

**Recommendation(s):**

That the Area Committee supports the maintenance scheme outlined in the report and authorises the Corporate Director to order the work.

**Relevant Scrutiny Committee** (if decision called in): **(d)**

Communities & Housing Scrutiny Committee

**Background Papers** (if report for publication): **(e)**

There are none.

Contact person for accessing  
background papers and discussing the report

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**‘Urgent Business’: (f)** **YES / NO** *(please circle)*

**Certification** (if applicable)

This report should be considered as ‘urgent business’ and the decision exempted from ‘call-in’ for the following reason(s):

The written consent of Councillor \_\_\_\_\_ and the Chief Executive/Monitoring Officer/Borough Treasurer for the decision to be treated as ‘urgent business’ was obtained on \_\_\_\_\_ /will be obtained before the decision is implemented.

## **Mersey Vale Nature Park - Replacement Barrier**

### **Report of the Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration**

#### **1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 To provide the Area Committee with details of a proposed highway maintenance scheme at Mersey Vale Nature Park.

#### **2.0 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The locks on the main entrance gate to Mersey Vale Nature Park have recently been broken rendering the existing access point insecure.
- 2.2 It is proposed to replace the existing two leaf entrance gates with a more robust barrier.

#### **3.0 PROPOSED WORK**

- 3.1 The following would be funded by this Area Committee's Highway Maintenance and Traffic Management delegated budget:-

#### **Heatons South Ward**

- The manufacture, supply and installation of a more robust barrier to replace the existing 2 leaf entrance gates to site
- Specification - manufacture and fit 1 No. low level single leaf heavy duty swing beam vehicle control barrier to suit a 3metre opening
- Hanging post in 120 x 120 x 5 RHS, Barrier in 80 x 80 x RHS c/w Integral padlock enclosure to allow locking in both open and closed positions. Hung from M24 Gr. 8.8 High tensile fabricated adjustable screw eye hangers and 25mm Diameter gudgeon pins c/w Anti-lift collars. All complete with 120 x 120 x 5 locking post and 1no 80 x 80 locking post for open position. Allow for lock cover.
- All to be Hot-Dip Galvanised and finished in Corporate Green

Associated costs - £2,640.00

#### **4.0 RECOMMENDATION**

- 4.1 That the Area Committee supports the maintenance scheme outlined in the report and authorises the Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration to order the work at a cost of £2,640.00 to be funded from the Area Committee's Delegated Budget (Heatons South ward allocation).

#### **Background Papers**

There are no background papers to this report.

Anyone wishing further information please contact Jane Bardlsey, Public Realm on 474-2279