

STOCKPORT COUNCIL
EXECUTIVE REPORT – SUMMARY SHEET

Subject: Cote Green Road, Marple Bridge

Report to: Marple Area Committee **Date:** Wednesday, 11 November 2020

Report of: Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration

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

Forward Plan General Exception Special Urgency (Tick box)

Summary:

To seek approval for funding to implement Playground signage

Recommendation(s):

The Corporate Director for Place requests Marple Area Committee approval for the proposed signage to be installed on Cote Green Road as attached drawing NM36- Cote Green Road

Relevant Scrutiny Committee (if decision called in):

Communities & Housing Scrutiny Committee

Background Papers (if report for publication):

There are none.

Contact person for accessing
background papers and discussing the report

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'Urgent Business': **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.

Cote Green Road, Marple Bridge

Report of the Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration

1. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To seek approval for funding to implement "Playground" signage on Cote Green Road, Marple Bridge

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 Residents of Cote Green Road highlighted safety concerns regarding lack of signage to inform motorists of the nearby playground. The playground on Cote Green Road has a concealed entrance; footway width at the location is very restricted, in some sections there is no pedestrian footway.

3. PROPOSALS

- 3.1. Network Management Officers have investigated and propose the signage installation in the attached drawing NM36 – Cote Green Road. Installation points are restricted due to the width of the footway, two locations are proposed where signage can be installed in accordance with TSRGD.
- 3.2. Traffic sign 2 (TS2) proposal is visible for motorists travelling north east along Cote Green Road. Due to no footway opposite the entrance of the play area installation is restricted, therefore it is proposed Traffic sign 1 (TS1) signage will also be located on the northern kerb line of Cote Green as per drawing. To minimise the amount of street furniture, the existing pole and signage located between properties 41/45 indicating road narrowing ahead will be moved 1200mm south west of the footpath entrance and include playground signage on the reverse.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1. Total costs for supply and installation is **£770.48**
£47.48 of this will be required from the 2020/2021 delegated budget.
The provisional quotation of **£723.00** which did not include relocation of existing signage has previously been included on the 2019/2020 budget, due to Covid 19 restrictions feasibility and presentation to Marple Area Committee has been delayed.

5. EQUALITIES/COMMUNITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT

5.1. Equal Opportunities

- To provide a suitable and safer environment for pedestrians and other road users. The scheme contributes to the Council's vision statement "Promote equal life outcomes for all by tackling known inequalities across the borough of Stockport".

5.2. Sustainable Environment

- To develop and sustain a healthy, safe and attractive local environment which contributes to Stockport. Stockport Council understands the responsibility it has to lead by example and help the broader community make a positive contribution to the local environment.

6. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- 6.1. The Corporate Director for Place requests that the Marple Area Committee approve the proposed signage to be installed at two locations on Cote Green Road, Marple Bridge as attached drawing NM36- Cote Green Road.

Background Papers

None.

Anyone wishing further information please contact Julie Pelham on telephone number Tel: 0161-474-4846 or by email on julie.pelham@stockport.gov.uk