

STOCKPORT COUNCIL
EXECUTIVE REPORT – SUMMARY SHEET

Subject: Hollywood Park/Grenville Rd/Bloom Street junction

Report to: (a) Central Stockport Area Committee
2021

Date: Thursday, 22 April

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:

To seek approval for the introduction of 7 Bollards on the northern footway area at the junction of Bloom Street and Grenville Street to prevent parking on the footway.

Recommendation(s):

The Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration requests that the Central Stockport Area Committee approves the installation of bollards set out in **Appendix A**.

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.

Hollywood Park/Grenville Rd/Bloom Street junction

Report of the Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration

1. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To seek approval for the introduction of 7 Bollards on the northern footway area at the junction of Grenville Street and Bloom street.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 Over the last few year SMBC have received several reports in regard to vehicles overrunning the footway on the northern corner of Bloom Street and its junction with Grenville Street to park on the footway. This parking manoeuvre is a danger to pedestrians, is outside of a nursery and next to the crossing points to the local park. Located south west of the town, the section of footway is used by locals to walk to the local park, shopping area, and schools.

3. PROPOSALS

- 3.1. To introduce 7 bollard type posts around the footway to the northern side of the junction of Bloom street, as shown on **Drawing No. NM18-6346-00**, which will help to prevent the illegal use of the footway.
- 3.2. Consultation is not required due to the type of works, but a letter drop will be carried out informing residents these works will be undertaken prior to installation.
- 3.3. The Council has a duty of care for the general public and to ensure the highway remains safe. Thus, the installation of the bollards will help to protect pedestrians from vehicles accessing the footpath.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1. The estimated cost of the scheme is as follows:

Installation of 7 bollard type posts & associated works	£3317.30
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>£3317.30</u>

To be funded from the Edgeley Ward Budget.

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 must lead by example and help the broader community make a positive contribution to the local environment.

6. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- 6.1. The Area Committee makes a decision on approving the scheme and said costs for the works as shown in **Appendix A**.

Background Papers

There are no background papers to this report.

Anyone wishing further information please contact Gillian Kidd on telephone number Tel: 0161 474 4848 or by email on gillian.kidd@stockport.gov.uk

Appendix A