STOCKPORT COUNCIL EXECUTIVE REPORT – SUMMARY SHEET

Subject: Smithy Green & High Lane junction, Woodley - installation of bollards

Report to: *(a)* Werneth Area Committee September 2021

Date: Monday, 13

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 installation of bollards on the footway at the Smithy Green, High Lane junction in Woodley.

Recommendation(s):

The Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration requests that the Werneth Area Committee approves the installation of 2 No bollards on the footway at the Smithy Green, High Lane junction in Woodley.

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

Officer: Nicole Doxey

'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.

Smithy Green & High Lane junction, Woodley - installation of bollards

Report of the Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration

1. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To seek approval for the installation of bollards on the footway at the Smithy Green, High Lane junction, Woodley.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1. Traffic Services have received a request from the Bredbury & Woodley councillors to install 2 No bollards on the footway at the Smithy Green, High Lane junction as vehicles are said to be using the footway to pass parked cars.
- 2.2. An estimated cost was provided and the Highway Ward Spokesperson has requested that a report be prepared for the Area Committee to consider the proposal to install bollards as shown on the attached drawing **NM1**.

3. PROPOSALS

3.1. In order to prevent vehicles from mounting the footway at the Smithy Green, High Lane junction it is proposed to install a total of 2 bollards as shown on NM1 - Smithy Green, Woodley - 2 Middleton Bollards

4. CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS

4.1. No other alternatives were considered

5. CONSULTATION

- 5.1. The Local Ward Councillors have been consulted and no adverse comments were received.
- 5.2. Due to the type of works it was deemed unnecessary to carry out a public consultation. Affected frontages with be informed of the works prior to installation.

6. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

6.1. The estimated cost of this scheme is as follows:-Supply and install 2 No. Bollards including traffic management

<u>TOTAL £800</u>

7. TIMESCALES

7.1. 8 to 12 weeks (Autumn 2021)

8. EQUALITIES/COMMUNITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT

- 8.1. 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".
- 8.2. 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.

9. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

9.1. The Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration requests that the Werneth Area Committee approves the installation of 2 No bollards on the footway at the Smithy Green, High Lane junction in Woodley.

Background Papers

There are no background papers to this report.

Anyone wishing further information please contact Nicole Doxey by email on nicole.doxey@stockport.gov.uk