

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

**Subject:** Rimsdale Close, Gatley - New Street Name Plate

**Report to:** (a) Cheadle Area Committee  
November 2021

**Date:** Tuesday, 30

**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 supply & installation of new street name plate signage on Rimsdale Close to incorporate 'Leading to Firs Close'.

**Recommendation(s):**

The Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration requests that the Cheadle Area Committee approves the supply & installation of the new street name plate signage as show in **Drawing No. NM36-01**

**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.

**Rimsdale Close, Gatley - New Street Name Plate**

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

**1. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 To seek approval for the supply and installation of new street name plate signage on Rimsdale Close, Gatley to incorporate 'Leading to Firs Close'.

**2. BACKGROUND**

- 2.1. Firs Close is a small cul-de-sac located at the bottom on Rimsdale Close. Residents of Firs Close have reported their post is being regularly mis-delivered to Firs Road. They believe mail delivery personnel are unaware that Firs Road and Firs Close are two separate locations and have requested that the street name plates upon entry to Rimsdale Close be amended to highlight where Firs Close is.

**3. PROPOSALS**

- 3.1. To resolve the concerns raised by the residents of Firs Close, Traffic Services propose to replace the existing street name plates located on entry to Rimsdale Close to incorporate 'Leading to Firs Close'.
- 3.2. These concerns have been shared with the Local Ward Councillors who have agreed to fund the new street name plates.
- 3.3. These proposals are shown in **Drawing No. NM36-01**

**4. LEGAL POSITION/IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1. None.

**5. CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS**

- 5.1. No other alternatives were considered

**6. CONSULTATION**

- 6.1. It is not necessary to carry out a consultation for these proposals.

**7. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 7.1. The estimated costs for this scheme are £386.00.

These costs include the removal of the existing street name plates and fixings, and the supply & installation of new street name plates together with the required fixings.

**8. TIMESCALES**

- 8.1. 8-12 weeks.

## **9. EQUALITIES/COMMUNITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

### **9.1. 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".

### **9.2. 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.

## **10. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 10.1. The Corporate Director for Place Management & Regeneration requests that the Cheadle Area Committee approves the supply & installation of the new street name plate signage as show in **Drawing No. NM36-01**

### **Background Papers**

There are no background papers to this report.

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