

Minutes of Decision Making Session for the Cabinet Member for Environment & Highways

**Wednesday, 1 November 2023 at 5.00 pm
at Annexe 1 - Sandwell Council House, Oldbury**

Present: Councillor Millard – Cabinet Member for Environment and Highways.

Officers: Andy Miller (Strategic Planning & Transportation Manager), Rajpreet Mander (Transportation Planning Project Manager), Steve Wall (Senior Engineer), Trisha Newton (Deputy Democratic Services Manager) and Anthony Lloyd (Democratic Services Officer)

4/23 Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence received.

5/23 Declarations of Interest

No declarations of interest were made.

6/23 Objections Arising from The Advertising of the Traffic Calming Scheme - Yew Tree Estate 2023

On 26 June 2020, the Director – Borough Economy gave approval to statutory consultation with residents and to implement a traffic calming scheme including raised traffic calming measures. The statutory consultation was carried out between the 10 and 31 August 2023 to 391 residents on Yew Tree Estate.



As objections had been received via the statutory consultation process, a decision-making session was called to consider the objections and amend or approve the original recommendations.

No objectors were in attendance.

Resolved:-

- (1) That the objections received via the statutory consultation process are noted and that approval is given to authorise the Director – Borough Economy to implement the proposed traffic calming scheme as advertised, which includes raised traffic calming as shown on drawing No. 41042 S/1;
- (2) that subject to (1) above, the Director – Borough Economy be authorised to complete the necessary statutory procedures;
- (3) that the Director – Borough Economy informs objectors of the decision of the Cabinet Member for Environment and Highways.

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Objections Arising from the public consultation for the New Cycle Track between Lynton Avenue and Soho Street Junction along the A457 Soho Way

The A457 proposal was a Town's Fund project which was approved by the Towns Fund Board under delegated powers from Council. Residents and ward members had been consulted on the details of the new cycle track. Subsequently, objections had been received.

No objectors were in attendance.

Resolved:-

- (1) That the objections received via the public consultation process are noted and that approval is given to authorise the Director – Borough Economy to

implement the New Cycle Track between Lynton Avenue and Soho Street Junction along the A457 Soho Way, as advertised and shown on drawing No. 41118 S/1;

- (2) that subject to (1) above, the Director – Borough Economy be authorised to complete the necessary statutory procedures;
- (3) that the Director – Borough Economy informs objectors of the decision of the Cabinet Member for Environment and Highways.

Meeting ended at 5.03pm

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