

## Annex J      Heslington Ward

<b>J1</b>	<b>Location</b> Main Street (raised by local resident)
<b>Nature of problem and requested solution</b> Conflict between perpendicular parking (outside the Post Office and shops at numbers 11-14) and through traffic	
<b>Background information</b> There are 10 perpendicular parking places including 2 disabled bays at this location. These are residents parking but allow non residents to park for 30 minutes. Other residents parking bays in the vicinity also allow 30 minutes non resident parking. There is an obvious conflict between cars emerging from the perpendicular parking places and through traffic. There is anecdotal evidence of collisions but the location has had no recorded injury accidents in the last 10 years (01/01/2003 – 31/12/2013). It is estimated that replacing the 10 perpendicular parking bays with parallel parking would result in the loss of 6 parking spaces. One or two of the remaining 4 would probably need to be designated as disabled parking.	
<b>Recommendation</b> No action	
<b>Costs</b> -	

## **Comments from Ward Councillors**

Cllr D Levene

Please can I raise the following 2 issues:

- In terms of the Main Street issue detailed in the report, I disagree with the recommendation of no action. I would like to see local residents and businesses consulted on whether changes should be made, both in terms of the parking layout (ie. whether spaces should be perpendicular or parallel) and the restrictions (eg. waiting times).
- I have also had a request from the Parish Council, that I have passed on to transport colleagues, for a stretch of Heslington Lane to be made 30mph rather than 40mph due to collisions with the chicane to the west of the junction with Holmefield Lane. If possible I would like this added to the review.

[Cllr Levene was informed that we can't add a speed limit item to this annual review, but that his request would be added to the similar speed limit review process]

## **Political Party Comments**

No comments received apart from Cllr Levene above