

# **Decision Session – Executive Member for Transport**

19 March 2020

Report of Assistant Director, Transport, Highways and Environment

# **Yearsley Crescent Residents Parking Petition**

## **Summary**

1. To report the receipt of a petition requesting a residents parking scheme for Yearsley Crescent and determine what action is appropriate.

#### Recommendation

- 2. It is recommended that:
  - Option 2 approve the addition of this street to the residents parking waiting list.

Reason: Because this will respond to the residents concerns and can be progressed depending on funding available each year.

## **Background**

- 3. The above petition was presented to Full Council on 19 December by Councillor Claire Douglas. There are 31 signatures on the petition requesting Yearsley Crescent becomes a residents parking zone. The petition front sheet is shown in Annex A and Annex B shows the location of Yearsley Crescent.
- 4. There has been increased interest in becoming part of a residents parking zone in the last 2 to 3 years. This increase in demand has resulted in a waiting list (see Annex C) for investigating new requests. Each request will be investigated in the order the request was made is be dependent on funding availability.
- 5. Following the sustained increase in demand for residents parking additional funding has been allocated to enable taking this work forward in a more timely manner.
- 6. The process and likely timescales for investigating and implementing a scheme is also outlined on the waiting list in Annex C. In the event of

additional petitions being received from adjacent streets then they would be grouped together in the investigation and consultation in order to better represent the views of the wider community.

7. There are no residents parking schemes in the immediate area, hence in all likelihood if a scheme is progressed it will be a new zone.

## **Options for Consideration**

- 8. Option 1 Note the petitions but take no action. This is not the recommended action because it does not address the residents concerns.
- 9. Option 2 approve the addition of the Yearsley Crescent to the waiting list. This is a recommended option.

#### Consultation

- 10. At this stage there is no consultation but when the area reaches the top of the waiting list there will be a 2 stage consultation process. Firstly, information on how a scheme operates is sent out to all properties together with a questionnaire, the results of which are reported back to a Executive Member meeting for a decision on how to proceed.
- 11. If approval to proceed is granted then the formal legal Traffic Regulation Order consultation is carried out.

#### **Council Plan**

- 12. The above proposal contributes to the City Council's draft Council Plan of:
  - A prosperous city for all,
  - A council that listens to residents

## **Implications**

13. This report has the following implications:

Financial - None.

**Human Resources** – None

**Equalities** – None.

**Legal** – before a residents parking scheme can be implemented the correct legal procedure has to be gone through.

Crime and Disorder - None

Information Technology - None

Other – None	
Risk Management	
14 None.	
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Background Papers: None.	
Annexes:	
Annex A Yearsley Crescent covering letter & petition front sheet	
Annex B Yearsley Crescent location plan	
Annex C Residents Parking Waiting List	

Land - None