Tarporley Parish Council

Informal Meeting of Traffic & Parking Working Group Monday 12th September 2016 - Tarporley Community Centre.

Present:

Parish Council - Elaine Chapman, Ken Parker (Chairman), Nigel Taylor, Andrew Wallace, Abigail Webb (Projects Coordinator).

Tarporley Business Owners - Charles Hardy.

Tarporley Community Centre – Peter Jackson.

CW&C Highways - Jerry Gibbs, Ian Lovatt.

Clerk - Ann Wright.

(Apologies Gill Clough)

The meeting reviewed the revised plan of the High Street showing the parking as agreed at the last meeting, the following points were discussed: -

Highways officers asked that the group approve double yellow lines between the crossing and the parking bays on the eastern side of the High street as cars are likely to try and park in the small gap reducing visibility at the crossing. It was noted cars already park on the zig zag lines and the crossing itself.

The group agreed the double yellow lines as proposed.

The group requested the double yellow lines outside the chocolate shop (former fire station) toward the church entrance and seating area are reduced as these were installed for the fire engines.

Highways officers agreed to review the suggestion.

It was suggested that the time limited parking outside the co-op is removed as it is not consistent with the rest of the High Street and is not used by Co-op delivery wagons as intended.

It was agreed the Clerk will write to the co-op to seek their comments on the proposal.

It was noted that traffic regulation orders (TROs) cost between £700 and £800, this does not include the actual works, signage and lining, which will need to be funded. The cost of the scheme will be established once agreed. It was asked whether CW&C Highways will contribute to the costs.

The meeting discussed methods of consultation.