

## Item 8 : Petitions Update Report – 31 January 2018

Petition No.	Description	Presented (date)	Portfolio Holder	Status Full copies of the responses may be obtained from Democratic Services
496	Relating to the poor state of road surface in Gordon Road, Corringham.	27 September 2017	Cllr Jones	<p>Over the last 12 months patching and pothole works have been undertaken in Gordon Road, Corringham. There are currently no intervention level defects as a result although the road surface is cosmetically poor.</p> <p>Gordon Road, along with other roads in a similar condition, have been assessed for prioritisation and it is not of sufficient priority to be included in the 2018/19 Programme, it will however continue to be monitored by our Highway Inspectors and should any defects occur, they will be addressed accordingly.</p>
497	Resident(s) of Hadfield Road, Rectory Road, Wharf Road and Fairview Avenue, Stanford-le-Hope request Thurrock Council (a) consult on the introduction of a one-way system around Hadfield and Rectory Road, and (b) introduce speed-calming measures down both roads (also looking to Fairview Avenue also).	27 September 2017	Cllr Hebb	<p>(a) The council previously developed a proposal for a one-way system around Hadfield and Rectory Road in 2015, however, this was not supported by local stakeholders at the time. This will be included for consideration on our programme for project feasibility work and consultation will be undertaken.</p> <p>(b) This will be included for consideration on our programme for 2018/19 with a feasibility study in Q1 of 2018/19 to determine the appropriate speed-calming measures that can be introduced.</p>

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498	Installing CCTV on a section of Seabrooke Rise.	27 September 2017	Cllr Kerin	<p>The Housing service is considering this proposal with input from the Community Safety team. A judgement about a specific new installation will be made when all the relevant information has been assessed in full, and residents and ward members will be advised of the decision within the next two months.</p> <p>The situation continues to be monitored to assess incidents and complaints which remain low. A final decision will be taken in early 2018, following discussions with relevant members.</p>
499	Council's proposal to introduce and extend service charges by up to £400 per year for all tenants.	27 September 2017	Cllr Gledhill	<p>Further to the motion agreed at the Council meeting this reconsideration will be taking place. An update report will be presented to Housing Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 17 October 2017 setting out the proposed scope of the review, with a further report setting out a range of options for the Committee to consider to be presented at the December meeting, The final decision in relation to service charges will be made by Cabinet after the report has been presented to the Scrutiny Committee.</p> <p>January 2018 Council Update – December Housing Scrutiny Committee recommended that GM Service Charges are not proceeded with. February Cabinet will make the final decision.</p>
500	Reconsider the unfair rent increase imposed on Council tenants.	27 September 2017	Cllr Jones	<p>Further to the motion agreed at the Council meeting this reconsideration will be taking place. An update report will be presented to</p>

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				Housing Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 17 October 2017 setting out the proposed scope of the review, with a further report setting out a range of options for the Committee to consider to be presented at the December meeting, The final decision in relation to service charges will be made by Cabinet after the report has been presented to the Scrutiny Committee.
501	Against the installation of the yellow lines outside the shop, off licence and general store on 7 Browns Cottages, High Road, North Stifford, RM16 5UH	20 October 2017	Cllr B Little	Following a site visit with Cllr Hague (on 27 October) and having given further consideration to the accidents statistics in the area, it has been decided that the proposed double yellow lines at this location will not be progressed.
502	This is a Petition to Thurrock Council against the proposed permit parking scheme Mon-Fri 8am-6pm should not be imposed in front of our houses where we have been enjoying free parking for our cars.	13 October 2017	Cllr B Little	Following the consultation, officers are preparing a DDR to go to the portfolio holder for a decision on the proposed scheme. The petition has been placed on file and will be included in the DDR for the PfH to consider. The DDR will go to the PfH for a decision in January 2018.
503	We the undersigned residents call on Thurrock Council to review and improve the parking situation in Angle Road with an aim to provide more parking spaces.	29 November 2017	Cllr Gerrish	A response has been provided directly to the petitioner. Following site visits and further consideration by officers it has been determined that the creation of additional parking in and around Angle Road is unviable, due to the lack of available road space.

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504	We the undersigned wish the current administration of Thurrock Council to know that we fully oppose any future plans to build on The Recreational Grounds of The King George Playing Field otherwise known by the good people of Tilbury as 'The Daisy Field'.	29 November 2017	Cllr Allen	<p>A response has been provided directly to the petitioner and information has been provided to ward members.</p> <p>The significant value and importance of this park is understood and appreciated. All the ideas in the master plan are subject to further consultation and review, and any proposal to change any part of the park's use will require a range of approvals and consents including a formal planning application – there are no proposals at this time.</p>
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