Petitions Update Report

Petition No.	Description	Presented (date)	Presented (by)	Status
524	Thurrock Sports Council – Improve sports facilities	19 June 2019	Mr Norrington Presented at Council	Sports and Recreation Officers continue to liaise and support Sports Clubs and Community groups with their ambitions and bids for financial support. Sports and Leisure draft Strategy work continues to be progressed. The Active Parks team have been proactive during the summer with community engagement and sports sessions in parks and open spaces. Plans for the October school holidays are also being promoted.
529	Council to consider replacing the grass area in Heathview Gardens with hard standing for parking.	18 September 2019	Cllr Redsell Presented at Council	This request has been sent to the Transport Development team so that it can be assessed and considered within the Kerb-it programme. A capital funding bid is currently being prepared in order to identify the additional funds required to assess and implement Kerb-it requests over the next 2 years. If this funding bid is successful all requests will be assessed and prioritised for implementation with the available funds. If Heathview Gardens is identified as a priority residents will be notified and engaged through a statutory consultation process.
530	Strongly against the implementation of parking permit within SS17 until a suitable solution is found we also ask Thurrock Council to abandon this project which is not in the best interest of the community	18 September 2019	Cllr Byrne Presented at Council	The petition has been reviewed by the service and the concerns raised have been carefully considered. These schemes are kept review following their implementation to ensure they are meeting the needs of local communities. In accordance with normal procedure following receipt of a petition against a Parking Permit Area, a Delegated Decision Report (DDR) has been progressed for the Cabinet Member for Highways and Transport to consider a number of recommendations for decision. Local residents and businesses will be kept informed and updated.