#### SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

# LOCAL COMMITTEE (REIGATE & BANSTEAD)

DATE: 14 SEPTEMBER 2015

SURREY

LEAD PAUL FISHWICK, PROGRAMME MANAGER (LTS AND MAJOR

OFFICER: SCHEMES)

SUBJECT: PETITION - STATION ROAD ROUNDABOUT REDHILL

DIVISION: REDHILL EAST

## **Summary of issue**

A petition containing 81 signatures has been submitted for consideration at the meeting. Residents are asking for the re-instatement of the pedestrian guard railing in the Station Road Roundabout area.

#### Wording of the petition:

'Today I decided to meet my girl in town after they finished school; I waited at the bus station. What I saw over the span of 10 minutes made my stomach do flips and I began to get very nervous watching the children. I have to state now, I love the renovated town centre, however I am failing to see why the pedestrian guardrail from the traffic lights in Princess Way to the train station was removed. Also the pedestrian guardrail around the bus stop. The children are dangerously jaywalking and I truly feared for their lives watching them cross the road today and I'm sure many of you have witnessed it yourself. I am hoping this petition will help get the pedestrian guardrail re-installed before it's too late'.

### Officer comment:

The Redhill Balanced Network project has recently been completed and part of the process after a short initial 'settling down' period is to carry out an independent Road Safety Audit at stage 3 (post construction).

The points raised within this petition will be taken into account during the Road Safety Audit which is expected in September 2015, and a full report will be presented to the December meeting of this committee.

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