

Annex CGuildford Local Committee  
30 Sept 2015  
Open Public Question Time**1. Question from Peter Hattersley, resident of West Horsley**

I'd like to ask some questions about parking at Newlands Corner:

Will National Trust members park for free?

Will there be a season ticket available for regular dog walkers and will people with disabilities park for free?

What provision will there be for horse riders to park their horseboxes and trailers?

What will the arrangements be for using Newlands Corner as a base for events?

What will the arrangements be for motor cyclists and car clubs?

**Reply from Councillor Keith Taylor, Chairman**

Can I thank Mr Hattersley for his questions. This is not really a Local Committee matter however it may be helpful if I briefly tell him what I know about it.

The recent media coverage resulted from a report that appeared in a County Cabinet agenda. This indicated the outcome of some work that had been carried out on possible improvements to the facilities at Newlands Corner and also the possible introduction of parking charges. This work originated from some suggestions by Surrey Countryside Rural Enterprise Forum (SCREF). This is a body which has representation from both Surrey County Council and Guildford Borough Councils but operate separately from Guildford Local Committee.

As it happened, the County Council deferred the item for further consideration. In any case the deferred report did not go into anything like the level of detail necessary to answer all of Mr Hattersley's questions. However, if as seems likely, these proposals do come forward again I am sure that there will be more detailed information available and opportunities for the public to ask question and/or make comments.

**2. Questions from Neil Sellers and Bill Frankland residents of Horseshoe Lane West**

Q1: Aware proposals have been prepared (ref "Road Safety Outside Schools Report" prepared by Duncan Knox for Local Committee (Guildford) dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 2015). How and when will these proposals be formally distributed to

teachers, parents, carers, students and local residents for their consideration?

**Reply from John Hilder, SCC**

There will be a public consultation and we will be in touch to let you know what form that will take.

**Reply from Councillor Matt Furniss**

There was a walkabout with borough councillors and officers to look at the designs and there will be a public meeting at one of the schools to discuss the proposed designs.

Q2: In light of the email from Mr Bahram Assadi to Mrs Cook (14 Horseshoe Lane West) on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2015 could you please advise if the various plans for traffic calming measures and parking restrictions (due for implementation by March 2016) form all or part of measures developed from "Road Safety Outside Schools Report" prepared by Duncan Knox for Local Committee (Guildford) dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 2015?

Q3: In light of the comments raised by Mr Frankland (20 Horseshoe Lane West) on the "Road Safety Outside Schools Report" prepared by Duncan Knox for Local Committee (Guildford) dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 2015 sent to Carolyn Anderson on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2015 how and when will these comments and other questions arising from Q2 above be addressed?

**Reply from John Hilder, SCC**

There has been a ward member meeting since September 2015, there will be a full package of highways interventions and a public consultation.

It was also commented that the surface condition of the roads needs to be looked at – John Hilder to look into this. Officers were advised that there was a new head teacher at St Thomas's school.

**3. Question from Hugh Anscombe Guildford Society Transport Group**

Please can we have more detail on the Guildford Town Centre Transport Package (item 12 of the agenda) such as designs and photos?

**Reply from Paul Fiswick, SCC given under Item 12 of the agenda**

At this stage the consultation and plans are high level for the Local Enterprise Partnership to consider.

**Reply from Councillor Matt Furniss**

I would be delighted to come along to a meeting of the group.