Paper Petition Details

Dolphin Road Parking Issues

Action petitioned for

We, the undersigned, are concerned citizens who urge our leaders to act now to:

- 1) Restore one hour parking bays at Dolphin Road.
- 2) Restore bus stop and bus shelter to its original location.
- 3) Move give way from Dolphin Road to new side road to ease traffic flow and make it safer for pedestrians and motorists.

Petition summary and background

- 1) One hour parking bays at Dolphin Road helped to reduce traffic congestion on Diamond Road during peak pray times at Diamond Road mosque.
- 2) Bus stop and bus shelter on Uxbridge Road layby opposite the mosque has been moved causing extra traffic delays around mosque at peak time.
- 3) New give way on Dolphin road is dangerous for pedestrians and cars and slows traffic flow.

This petition was received on 29th April, 2014.

This petition was passed to the Engineer - Parking Development on 29th April, 2014.

This petition was responded to by the Transport Consultant on 27th May, 2014.

Final Results	
Number of Signatures	267

Council Response

Thank you for the petition that you have submitted in regard to the:

- removal of the one hour parking bays on Dolphin Road;
- relocation of the bus shelter on Uxbridge Road;
- change in priority of Dolphin Road.

In respect of the:

- removal of the one hour bays, I will recommend to the Commissioner that a public consultation is undertaken of the residents of Dolphin Road to determine whether they wish for a change to the traffic regulation order (TRO) to be made such that the replacement bays, that have been provided on the Access Road leading to the development, could be used for a period of 1 hour by non residents;
- relocation of the bus stop I have previously advised that for highway safety reasons the bus stop cannot be sited in the deceleration lane from the A412 Uxbridge Road and for this reason the bus stop has been relocated to the south side of the pedestrian crossing. A road safety audit has been undertaken and its location is considered acceptable. The impact on traffic flows on A412 Uxbridge is considered minimal. Whilst I note your comments about the impact on the Mosque, the Mosque is not accessed from A412 Uxbridge Road and therefore the impact on it is very minimal;

 change in priority of traffic flow on Dolphin Road has been safety audited and the change of priority was considered acceptable. I have previously advised you for highway safety and highway legibility reasons the Council does not propose to change the priority at this junction.