#### NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

# Environment and Highways Cabinet Board 16 February 2017

# Report of the Head of Engineering & Transport D. W. Griffiths

#### **Matter for Decision**

Ward Affected: Pontardawe

## <u>Proposed No Waiting at Anytime Order: Uplands Road/Glan-rhyd Road,</u> Pontardawe

## **Purpose of Report**

1. To consider the objections received following the advertisement of the proposals as indicated in Appendix A.

## **Executive Summary**

2. Eight letters of objection were received in respect of the proposal. The report outlines the objections and the recommendation for the scheme.

# **Background**

3. In November/December 2016, the proposals were advertised and at the same time a consultation exercise was undertaken to all properties directly affected by the scheme; see Appendix A.

# **Financial Implications**

4. The work will be funded by the Capital Works programme

# **Equality Impact Assessment**

5. No requirement for an Equality Impact Assessment.

# Workforce Impact

6. Not applicable

## **Legal Impact**

7. The scheme has been advertised for a 21 day period.

## **Risk Management**

8. There are no service risk management issues associated with this scheme.

#### **Consultation Outcome**

9. This item has been subject to external consultation.

List of consultees:-

Councillor L.Purcell Councillor M James Residents affected by the scheme

As part of the consultation exercise a letter drop was undertaken to all residents within the immediate vicinity of the proposals. During the consultation process, eight letters were received in respect of the proposals.

#### 10. Letters

All the objection letters generally referred to the same point which was the loss of parking adjacent to No.'s 3 and 4 Uplands Road.

The Local Members had received requests from the Fire Service regarding the difficulty accessing Uplands Road due to indiscriminate parking. A site test was undertaken by the fire service using a standard fire tender and witnessed by the Local members. The fire Tender was unable to access Uplands road without the parking restrictions as advertised.

# Recommendation(s)

#### 11. It is recommended that:

The objections be overruled and the objectors informed accordingly and the scheme be implemented as previously advertised.

## **Reasons for Proposed Decision**

12. The scheme is necessary to provide emergency access to Uplands Road in the interest of public safety.

# Implementation of Decision

13. The decision is proposed for implementation after the three-days call-in period.

# **Appendices**

 Appendix A – Consultation Plan Appendix B – Consultation Letter

## **List of Background Papers**

15. TR25

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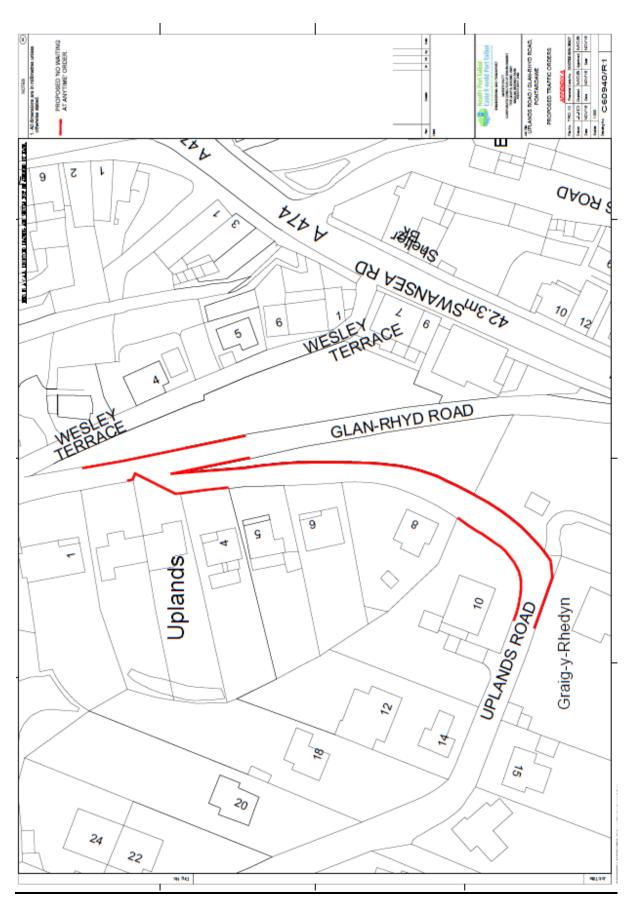
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# **Appendix A**



## Appendix B



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Dear Sir/Madam

Re:-**Prohibition Of Waiting At Any Time** Glan Rhyd Road and Uplands Road, Pontardawe

Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council intend to advertise the above scheme. A copy of the plan is attached.

A copy of the proposed Order, Statement of Reasons and an appropriate plan may be inspected during normal working hours at the main reception desks in the Civic Centres at Neath, Port Talbot and The Quays, Baglan.

Any objections/support or comments should be forwarded as soon as possible in writing to the address below and must be received no later than 20th December 2016.

If you require this information in larger print, or in an alternative format, please contact the above named officer.

Yours faithfully

For HEAD OF ENGINEERING & TRANSPORT

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