

## Holy Trinity School - School Keep Clears Review - Bradley Stoke Feedback Report

### **Purpose of the report**

This report is to feedback the results from the Holy Trinity School - School Keep Clears Review consultation that took place between 28<sup>th</sup> January and 18<sup>th</sup> of February 2020.

### **Background**

Requests were received by the school in 2017 to review the school keep clear markings. The current markings are correct but unenforceable because there are no signs in place or Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) to give the lines legal backing to be enforced.

### **Purpose of Scheme**

The purpose of the scheme is to improve safety outside the School and restrict areas where dangerous or obstructive parking takes place.

### **Proposed Scheme**

It is proposed to install two new signs on a single post back to back and promote a TRO to make the lining enforceable. It is proposed that the markings will be in force 24/7.

### **Drawing Reference**

Drawing number T439-224-01-Rev A shows the proposals.

### **Consultation**

Details of the proposals including a plan and statement of reasons were posted on the South Gloucestershire website. The Council sent postcards advising of the consultation to all properties affected by the proposals. In addition, notices were posted and maintained in the area for the 3 week consultation period. Local members, the Parish Council and the emergency services, amongst other statutory stakeholders were invited by email to view the consultation.

### **Feedback from the consultation**

The online consultation drawing T439-224-01-Rev A was viewed a total of 58 times. There were 13 individuals and organisations that responded to the consultation via the questionnaire and 1 other responses received via other methods.

The comments received as part of the consultation have now been reviewed.

The respondents were asked to fill out a questionnaire. Figures 1 and 2 show the results of the questionnaire responses.

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Figure 1:

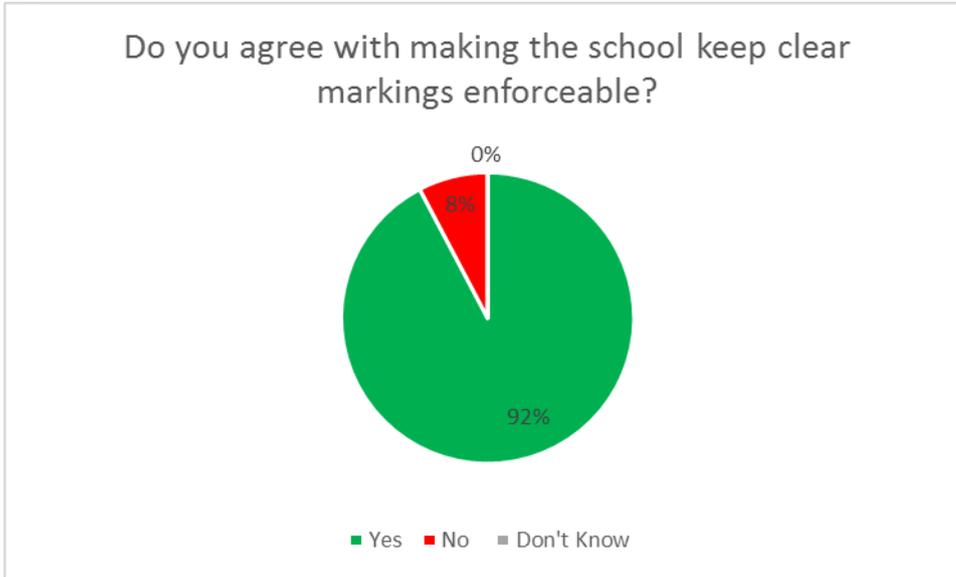


Figure 1 shows that the majority of people agree with making the school keep clears enforceable.

Figure 2:

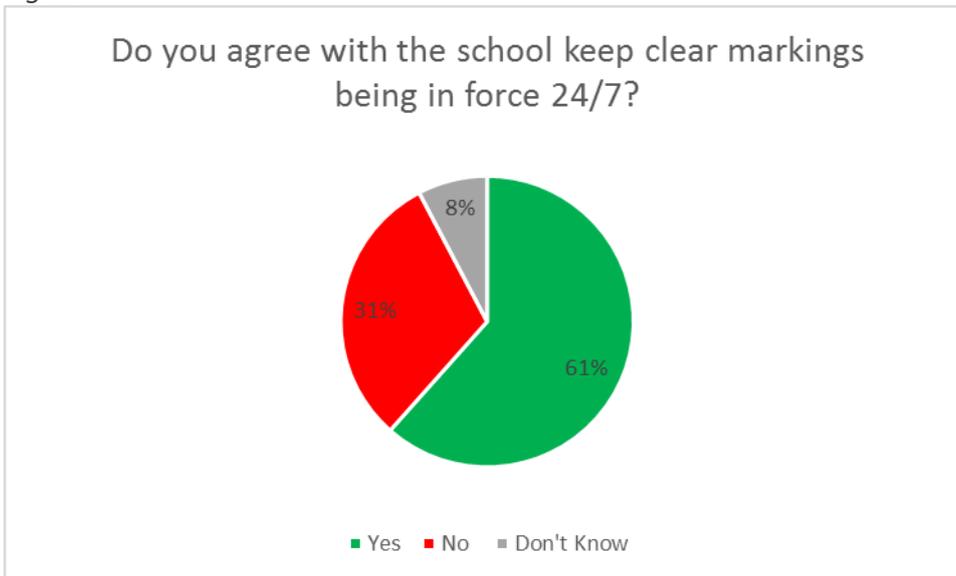


Figure 2 shows that the majority of people agree with the school keep clear markings being in force 24/7, therefore these proposals will proceed to legal advert.

The comments received as part of the consultation have now been reviewed. The comments/concerns received via the online questionnaire are in appendix A.

### Future Programme

In light of the responses received, the scheme will be forwarded to the Councils Legal Team for formal advertisement as proposed.

The Councils Legal Team will draft a Traffic Regulation Order and advertise it for a period of 3 weeks. During this time notices will be placed in the local paper and on street in the affected roads. Details of the proposals will also be published on the Council's website, giving people an opportunity to formally object to or support the proposed scheme.

Depending on the outcome of the advertisement, it is anticipated that works will commence on site shortly after the Traffic Regulation Order has been signed and sealed. However, if objections are received during the advertisement stage, the Council will be required to consider objections in a report before reaching a decision.

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## Appendix A

Comments received via the online questionnaire	Officers Response
Q2a says: You have said that you do not agree with the school keep clear markings being in force. when I replied to Q1 saying 'I don't know' if they should be in force 24 / 7 that's not quite the same thing.	Thank you for your comments.
What is the point of this exercise. People don't park on jig jag lines outside a school. Just save us tax payers money and forget it. South Glos engineers seem to permanently look for something to justify their jobs. What a waste of £28,000 to put screens on Stoke Gifford roundabout! This is our money, not the councils.	Thank you for your comments. The scheme is a result of requests being received to review the lines because they are currently unenforceable.
I would rather the scheme was in place Mon - Fri 8am - 5pm. This would then allow weekend churchgoers (especially disabled) to park outside the church.	Thank you for your comments. The majority of respondents supported the proposal of the school keep clear markings being in force 24/7, therefore the scheme will be progressed on this basis.
I have never seen any cars stopping or parking outside the school where the zigzag lines are currently. The main obstacle to public safety are the 2-3 large vans which seem to be permanently parked opposite the school. These vehicles prohibit car drivers from seeing clearly when using the road and cause difficulties crossing the road safely to and from the school. Perhaps this parking could be addressed when the new markings on the road are made.	Thank you for your comments. It is not possible to restrict vans from parking opposite without restricting other vehicles also. It is beyond the remit of this scheme to investigate the parking on the opposite side of the road, however this request has been recorded so that it can be considered in a future review.
THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN IN THIS AREA IS A PRIORITY AT ALL TIMES ,ALSO PEDESTRIANS, PUSHCHAIRS AND DISABLED USING THE PAVEMENT WHICH ARE SOMETIMES BLOCKED	Thank you for your comments.
I don't disagree with the scheme but what is the point if you do not enforce the yellow no parking/stopping markings, it becomes a further waste of ratepayers money with no added value. You have proposition to do the same in Stoke Lodge but on taking my grandson to Stoke Lodge school every day a certain few cars consider the area beneath the the enforcement sign a reservation for then to park there and have been doing so everyday since the year started in September. Si in Stoke Lodge no patrols, no police, no added value	Thank you for your comments. To report parking contraventions, please go to <a href="http://www.southglos.gov.uk">www.southglos.gov.uk</a> , then report, then Parking Illegally or follow this link; <a href="http://www.southglos.gov.uk/transport-and-streets/parking/parking-enforcement-and-fines/illegally-parked-vehicles/">http://www.southglos.gov.uk/transport-and-streets/parking/parking-enforcement-and-fines/illegally-parked-vehicles/</a> Alternatively, to report a vehicle that is illegally parked please email <a href="mailto:parklegally@southglos.gov.uk">parklegally@southglos.gov.uk</a> or telephone 01454 868000 during office hours. Contraventions include but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• parking on double yellow lines</li> <li>• parking on a single yellow line when restrictions are in place</li> <li>• parking over a dropped tactile kerb or any dropped kerb on a pedestrian footpath (this does not include driveway dropped kerbs)</li> </ul> The police should be contacted on 101 for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• parking on the pavement</li> <li>• obstruction</li> </ul>
As a Governor of the school and previously the Chair of the Premises Committee I raised concerns about the road markings back in 2017. I am pleased these are eventually being looked at and fully support the introduction of a enforceable scheme.	Thank you for your comments.

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