

24. Oakdene Road - Request from District Councillor

District Cllr. Dickins presented a request to consider the implementation of yellow lines along Oakdene Road, Sevenoaks. The residents of the road had opted not to have parking restrictions introduced when they were brought in for the rest of the Bradbourne Estate. However, since the opening of the Knole Academy he explained that there had been difficulties. He tabled a [photograph of Oakdene Road](#). He stated that since the works had been completed there was a gain of approximately 70 spaces on the school site but the problem remained and with the school roll expected to expand by 200 in the coming years the situation was not likely to improve. Although the headteacher had tried to give advice, she was not able to enforce parking matters. Cllr. Dickins had discussed the matter with Officers but existing workloads were heavy.

The KCC District Manager (Sevenoaks) confirmed that he would consult with the KCC Traffic Engineer to consider whether there was a safety issue.

*Action 2: The KCC District Manager (Sevenoaks) to consult with the KCC Traffic Engineer to consider whether there was a safety issue. Officers to consult with local Members and Knole Academy whether the matter can be resolved informally.*

25. HGV Signage Cramptons Road - Request from District Councillor

The Board considered a report relating to road signage for Crampton's Road, Sevenoaks. The report had been requested by District Cllr. Dickins following concerns that the residential part of the road was being used by HGVs when direct access to the A225 Otford Road was afforded. The report advised that £2,000 funding had been allocated for signage, arising from the Section 106 agreement for the local Sainsbury's store. Advisory signs would be located at each end of Crampton's Road and at the exit points of each of the industrial or commercial facilities to direct HGV drivers to use the most appropriate route. Subject to available resources for design, consultation and implementation the scheme may be able to be delivered in the final quarter of the 2014/15 financial year, or the first quarter of 2015/16.

Resolved: That the report be noted.