ENVIRONMENT, TRANSPORT & SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEM 62(c)iii

Geoff Raw – Chief Executive Brighton & Hove City Council

8th March 2017

Dear Geoff,

We are submitting this letter in accordance with procedural rule 23.3 for inclusion in the agenda of the upcoming Environment, Transport and Sustainability Committee for consideration.

As elected members for Withdean ward we are becoming increasingly concerned by the excessive parking problems in the Surrenden Road area. As we have highlighted to members of the committee over the years the expansion of nearby parking zones has caused a situation to go from bad to worse. We have in the past secured additional double yellow lines to help mitigate excessive parking but there is a growing acceptance from local residents that there needs to be parking controls to solve the problem.

We have also separately received representations from residents from the Friars Estate to be included in a consultation.

We are therefore pleased that the area is due to have a consultation as residents should have their say in shaping solutions to this problem. We are however dismayed that such a consultation will not take place until 2020.

We therefore ask that the committee considers bringing this forward in the timetable to ensure this area of considerable parking stress is given the attention it warrants.

Kind regards,

Cllrs Ann Norman Ken Norman Nick Taylor