

**Subject:** Petitions  
**Date of Meeting:** 8 October 2013  
**Report of:** Monitoring Officer  
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**Wards Affected:** Various

**FOR GENERAL RELEASE**

**1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:**

- 1.1 To receive any petitions presented at Council, any petitions submitted directly to Democratic Services or any e-Petition submitted via the council's website.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- 2.2 That the Committee responds to the petition either by noting it or writing to the petition organiser setting out the Council's views, or where it is considered more appropriate, calls for an officer report on the matter which may give consideration to a range of options, including the following:

- § taking the action requested in the petition
- § considering the petition at a council meeting
- § holding an inquiry into the matter
- § undertaking research into the matter
- § holding a public meeting
- § holding a consultation
- § holding a meeting with petitioners
- § referring the petition for consideration by the council's Overview and Scrutiny Committee
- § calling a referendum

**3. PETITIONS**

**3. (i) Woodingdean Warren Road parking improvement- Gilles Guichard**

To receive the following E-Petition signed by 16 people:

"We the undersigned petition the council to In order to improve the local parking on "Warren Road" and increase the amount of spaces for customers of local shops and businesses, we're proposing a 45 degree chevron parking, with 2 hours free time limit, instead of the existing 4hrs parallel parking".

**(ii) Safer road crossings for Church Road and St Andrews Road- Rae Powers**

To receive the following paper petition and E-Petition signed by 405 people:

“We the undersigned petition the council to:

- 1) Install a zebra crossing and metal barriers at the following junctions:  
a. Church Road and North Street, Portslade, BN41 1DZ b. Church Road and St Andrew’s Road, Portslade, BN41 1LU c. St Andrew’s Road and Albion Street / Vale Park entrance, Portslade, BN41 1LU
- 2) Provide a “lollipop lady” for morning and afternoon school crossings of North St
- 3) Change St Peters Road to 20 MPH and remove confusing 30 MPH sign facing Church Road
- 4) Repaint 20 MPH notice on Church Road
- 5) Install a speed camera on Church Road
- 6) Restrict lorries’ travel along Church Road 8:30 – 9:00am and 3:00-3:30
- 7) Install flashing school crossing signs at the following junctions: a. Church Road at Eastbrook Road, Portslade BN41 1PB b. Church Road and north of Wellington Road/A259, Portslade BN41 1EH”

**(iii) Traffic calming measures on Mile Oak road- Sarka Quesne**

To receive the following paper petition signed by 100 people:

“We the undersigned petition the council to implement traffic calming measures along the Mile Oak Road, specifically between Melrose Avenue and the High Street, where the road is particularly narrow. We request that the council introduces a one way system and put in a pavement in order to make the road safer for pedestrians”.