

report



meeting COUNTY COUNCIL

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RESPONSE TO PETITION PRESENTED TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL ON 5 NOVEMBER 2009

Purpose of Report

1. The purpose of the report is to respond to the issues raised in a petition presented to the Chairman of the County Council at the Council meeting on 5 November 2009.

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Response of the Cabinet Member for Transport and Highways

2. A 1004 signature petition was presented to the 5 November meeting of the County Council by Councillor Gordon Wheeler. The petition requests the installation of a pedestrian crossing on Boundary Road, West Bridgford.
3. The petition highlights difficulties the elderly have in crossing Boundary Road and the proximity of the Jesse Gray and West Bridgford Comprehensive Schools as well as the recently improved Park.
4. Whilst the 2009/10 crossings programme is fully committed this location will be reviewed and considered for the 2010/11 and future years' programme.
5. This review will take into account the strong community desire for a crossing as well as issues such as existing and potential demand, accessibility, traffic flows and accidents along with site conditions.

COUNCILLOR RICHARD JACKSON
Cabinet Member for Transport and Highways

RECOMMENDATION

It is RECOMMENDED that the contents and proposed actions be noted and that the petitioners are informed accordingly.