Meeting: Delegated Decisions by the Executive Member for Community Services on Traffic Regulation Orders

Date: 13 October 2014

Subject: Consideration of a petition that has been submitted to the Council requesting improved pedestrian facilities in Sunderland Road, Sandy

Report of: Paul Mason, Head of Highways

Summary: This report is to note the receipt of petitions submitted to Central Bedfordshire Council and determine a way forward.

Public/Exempt: Public

Wards Affected: Sandy

Function of: Council

CORPORATE IMPLICATIONS

Council Priorities:

None from this report

Financial:

There is currently no budget allocated to undertake this work.

Legal:

None from this report

Risk Management:

None from this report

Staffing (including Trades Unions):

None from this report

Equalities/Human Rights:

None from this report

Community Safety:

None from this report

Sustainability:

None from this report.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Executive Member for Community Services notes the receipt of the petition and approves further investigation of the issues raised, subject to finance, for consideration at a future meeting.

Background and Information

1. A petition has been received from Councillor Nigel Aldis signed by 152 residents requesting the installation of a safer crossing point near to the Town Centre roundabout.

We the undersigned call on Central Bedfordshire Council to provide a pedestrian crossing over Sunderland Road at the roundabout end in the centre of Sandy, or to provide a raised table crossing point so that vehicles entering the road do so with caution so creating safer crossing conditions for pedestrians at this important location in the pedestrian network of Sandy.

The issues raised have not been investigated in any detail at this time

2. It is recommended that the petition be investigated in more detail subject to finance being available and a report considering possible further actions be presented for consideration at a future Meeting.

Appendices

Appendix A – Location plan: Sunderland Road, Sandy.





