
To: Audit, Scrutiny and Petitions Board

On: 21 September, 2015

Report by: Director of Finance & Resources

Heading: **Petition: Speed Bumps, Tiree Avenue, Renfrew**

1. Summary

1.1 A petition, comprising around 40 signatures, has been received from Ms Julie Campbell in the undernoted terms

“Renfrewshire Council: Agree to place speed bumps in Tiree Ave for the safety of local children and drivers”.

1.2 The Head of Amenity Services has advised that the Council was unaware of speeding instances in Tiree Avenue, Renfrew. However, any injury accident history in this street will be investigated and a meeting with Police Scotland will be arranged to discuss the issues in detail. He has indicated that further supporting information from the petitioners would be helpful.

1.3 The petition is valid in terms of the Council’s procedures for dealing with petitions and the principal petitioner, together with one supporter, has been invited to attend the meeting and they will be asked to make a statement, lasting no more than 10 minutes, in support of the petition.

1.4 The role of the Board is to consider the petition, hear and ask questions of the petitioner and take the appropriate action in respect of the

petition which will be one of the following: (a) that no action is taken, in which case the reasons will be specified and intimated to the petitioner; (b) that the petition be referred to the relevant director/and or policy board for further investigation, with or without any specific recommendation; or (c) refer the petition to another organisation if the petition relates to that organisation.

2 Recommendations

2.1 That the Board hear from the petitioner

Implications of the Report

1. **Financial** – none.
 2. **HR & Organisational Development** – none.
 3. **Community Planning** – none.
 4. **Legal** – none
 5. **Property/Assets** – none.
 6. **Information Technology** – none.
 7. **Equality & Human Rights** - The Recommendations contained within this report have been assessed in relation to their impact on equalities and human rights. No negative impacts on equality groups or potential for infringement of individuals' human rights have been identified arising from the recommendations contained in the report. If required following implementation, the actual impact of the recommendations and the mitigating actions will be reviewed and monitored, and the results of the assessment will be published on the Council's website.
 8. **Health & Safety** – none.
 9. **Procurement** – none.
 10. **Risk** – none.
 11. **Privacy Impact** – none.
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List of Background Papers – petition form

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