

Committee: Town Council

Date: 26th October 2021

Title: Abbots Close – dropped kerbs

Purpose of Report

For members to consider supporting an application to National Highways to install two dropped kerbs on Abbots Close.

Recommendation:

Members to delegate officers to send an application to National Highways requesting the installation of two dropped kerbs on Abbots Close.

Report:

1. A family member of a resident from the block of four flats on Abbots Close attended the Planning, Highways & Transport meeting held on 5th October. The resident, who has mobility issues, is currently housebound as she is unable to go for a walk.
2. When she leaves her home, she cannot safely step down from the pavement to the road by herself even with the help of her mobility aid. She is also unable to walk over the sloping grass area either. This means that she is effectively housebound as she is unable to go for a walk by herself.
3. If agreed, officers can send an application to National Highways requesting installation of two dropped kerbs either side of the parking area situated by the block of flats.



AGENDA ITEM 6



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