

**AGENDA ITEM NO: 20** 

Report To: ENVIRONMENT AND

**REGENERATION COMMITTEE** 

Date: 14 JANUARY 2016

Report By: CORPORATE DIRECTOR

**ENVIRONMENT, REGENERATION** 

Report No:

LP/167/15

**AND RESOURCES** 

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Subject: PROPOSED TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER -

LINNET ROAD, GREENOCK (ONE WAY ONLY) ORDER 2015

#### 1.0 PURPOSE

1.1 The purpose of the report is to introduce the Traffic Regulation Order – Linnet Road, Greenock (One Way Only) Order 2015.

#### 2.0 SUMMARY

- 2.1 Linnet Road is a local residential road which links Curlew Crescent and Grieve Road. There is a high demand for on-road parking in this area which, along with the narrowness of the road and lack of footway on the east side, results in difficulties when vehicles approach each other from opposite directions. There is also a right-angled bend with severely restricted forward visibility.
- 2.2 It is considered necessary to make the above Order to avoid danger to persons and other traffic using the road.

#### 3.0 RECOMMENDATION

3.1 That the Committee recommend to The Inverclyde Council the making of the Traffic Regulation Order – Linnet Road, Greenock (One Way Only) Order 2015 and remit it to the Head of Environmental and Commercial Services and Head of Legal and Property Services to arrange for its implementation.

#### 4.0 BACKGROUND

- 4.1 Local Authorities are empowered to make Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation and Roads (Scotland) Acts 1984 and under the Council's Scheme of Administration the Environment and Regeneration Committee is responsible for the making, implementation and review of Traffic Management Orders and Traffic Regulation Orders.
- 4.2 The Council has received a petition signed by all the residents of Linnet Road requesting One Way restrictions.
- 4.3 The Committee is asked to note that, if approved, the Order may not be implemented until the making of the order has been advertised to allow any persons who so wish a period of six weeks to question the validity of the Order in terms of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

#### 5.0 IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report.

#### Legal

5.2 There are no legal implications arising from this report.

#### **Human Resources**

5.3 There are no HR implications arising from this report.

#### **Equalities**

5.4 There are no equalities implications arising from this report.

#### Repopulation

5.5 There are no repopulation implications arising from this report.

#### 6.0 CONSULTATIONS

- 6.1 The proposals have been advertised in the Greenock Telegraph and full details of the Appendix proposals have been made available for public inspection during normal office hours at the offices of the Head of Environmental & Commercial Services, the Head of Legal and Property Services and at the Central Library. A copy of the draft Order is appended hereto for Members' information.
- 6.2 No objections to the proposals have been received and, accordingly, the Committee is requested to approve the Order.

#### 7.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 None.

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TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER

#### THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL

#### LINNET ROAD, GREENOCK (ONE WAY ONLY) ORDER 2015

We, The Inverclyde Council in exercise of the powers conferred on us by Sections 1(1), 2(1) to (3) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended) ("the Act") and of all other enabling powers and after consulting the Chief Constable of the Police Service of Scotland (Seirbheis Phoilis na h-Alba) in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby make the following Order:

#### 1.0 Commencement and citation

1.1 This Order may be cited as "The Inverclyde Council, Linnet Road, Greenock (One Way Only) Order 2015" and shall come into operation on ########.

#### 2.0 Interpretation

2.1 In this Order, except where the context otherwise requires, the following expression has the meaning hereby respectively assigned to it:

"Vehicle" means a vehicle of any description and includes a machine or implement of any kind drawn or propelled along roads whether or not by mechanical power.

#### 3.0 Prohibition and restriction

3.1 No person shall drive or cause or permit to be driven any Vehicle on the lengths of road specified in Column 1 of the Schedule to this Order otherwise than in the direction specified in Column 2 of the said Schedule as referred to in the plan annexed to this Order.

Sealed with the Common Seal of The Inverclyde Council and subscribed for them and on their behalf by

#### **SCHEDULE**

## LINNET ROAD, GREENOCK (ONE WAY ONLY) ORDER 2015

# Length of Road in Inverclyde within the Town of Greenock

#### **Permitted Direction of Travel**

#### **Linnet Road**

For its entire length, from the junction with Curlew Crescent to the junction with Grieve Road.

Northwards then Eastwards

### **INVERCLYDE COUNCIL**

# ONE WAY ONLY

Statement of Reasons for Proposing to Make the above Order

It is considered necessary to make the above Order to avoid danger to persons and other traffic using the road.

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