Batheaston Parish Council – Council Meeting 18th June 2024
Recommendation to B&NES for additional Parking Restrictions for Prospect Gardens

In November 2023 residents of Prospect Gardens approached the Parish Council with concern about parking on Prospect Gardens. They provided details of the impact of the problems, which had included impeding access for delivery vehicles and on one occasion, an ambulance on an emergency call.

The Parish Council has heard from other, nearby residents, who have highlighted the lack of parking in this part of Northend.

Residents of Prospect Gardens and of nearby streets attended a Parish Council meeting in January 2024, at which the matter was discussed. Some spoke in favour of more restrictions, while others expressed concerns about the further reduction in on-street parking options in the vicinity.

Cllr Lewis, who is a member of the Council's Working Group for Highways, undertook to take a lead on this issue to work with the Clerk to represent impartially to B&NES Officers the points made by all residents.

This culminated in a meeting on site with a Highways Officer to assess the situation, in which Cllr Lewis was at pains to ensure that the breadth of views in the community were represented.

The Highways Officer surveyed the location, and surrounding area, and in consultation with B&NES colleagues developed the attached proposal which will go forward as part of the "TRO" (Traffic Regulation Order) consultation process. This draft proposal is attached as appendix to this paper.

It should be noted that this proposal will now progress for review within B&NES and will then be subject to public consultation in which all residents can submit comments directly to B&NES. Only once this consultation has concluded, and the submissions have been assessed, will the proposal go forward for final approval and for implementation.

Cllr Peter Lewis,
Richard Maccabee, Parish Clerk
17th June 2024

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Bath and North East Somerset
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