

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Petitions</b>
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	<b>8 October 2019</b>
<b>Report of:</b>	<b>Monitoring Officer</b>
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<b>Wards Affected:</b>	<b>Various</b>

**FOR GENERAL RELEASE**

**1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:**

- 1.1 To receive any petitions submitted directly to Democratic Services or any e-Petition submitted via the council's website.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- 2.2 That the Committee responds to the petition either by noting it or writing to the petition organiser setting out the Council's views, or where it is considered more appropriate, calls for an officer report on the matter which may give consideration to a range of options, including the following:

- taking the action requested in the petition
- considering the petition at a council meeting
- holding an inquiry into the matter
- undertaking research into the matter
- holding a public meeting
- holding a consultation
- holding a meeting with petitioners
- calling a referendum

**3. PETITIONS**

**3. (i) Narrowing Crescent Road – Jane Whitehouse**

To receive the following petition signed by 144 people at the time of publication:

*"We the undersigned petition Brighton & Hove Council to narrow and white-line Crescent Road, Round Hill where there is a dangerous junction with Prince's Crescent"*

**3. (ii) A full road safety audit of Bear Road– Kev Minney**

To receive the following petition signed by 211 people at the time of publication:

*“We the undersigned petition Brighton & Hove Council to undertake a full road safety audit of Bear Road from top to bottom to improve and make it much safer”*

**3. (iii) Speed Bumps Hardwick Road– Louise Marsh**

To receive the following petition signed by 3 people at the time of publication:

*“We the undersigned petition Brighton & Hove Council to install speed bumps on Hardwick Road to stop people speeding up the street”*

**3. (iv) Dangerous crossing opposite Peter Gladwin School– Helen Irving**

To receive the following petition signed by 217 people at the time of publication:

*“We the undersigned petition Brighton & Hove Council to install a pedestrian crossing on Drove Road/Foredown Road opposite Peter Gladwin School in Portslade. This is an extremely busy road with three schools; Peter Gladwin School, Hill Park Lower school and Hill Park Upper school. At drop off and pick up times it is extremely dangerous for children crossing the road as there is no pedestrian crossing in place and numerous cars obstructing the view of oncoming traffic, which is not required to give way to children crossing. Hill Park Lower school is a special needs school and many children crossing at this point have significant additional needs. A pedestrian crossing would make it much safer for everyone to get to school”.*