

ENVIRONMENT CABINET MEMBER MEETING

Agenda Item 57A

Brighton & Hove City Council

Councillor Jayne Bennett

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Date: 28 October 2010

Our Ref: JB/

Your Ref:

Dear Councillor Theobald,

Re: Bishops Road

You are aware of the persistent parking problems in Hove Park ward, near Hove recreation ground, caused by commuters, City Park, rail station users and nearby parking schemes. Bishops Road is particularly narrow. At the moment cars are parking on both sides with their wheels on the pavements making it very difficult for mothers with pushchairs, disabled residents and those with impaired vision. The section of the road between Hove Park road and The Drove way is particularly bad, with residents sometimes being unable to get in their driveways. There have been many occasions when the refuse lorry has been unable to get along the road. A fire engine definitely wouldn't and I have a picture of an ambulance having difficulty along that road.

Double yellow lines have just been installed in Elrington Road and it would seem the best solution to this section of Bishops Road would also be double yellow lines along one side of the road. This would considerably increase the safety of the road.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely



Councillor Jayne Bennett

