Dear Resident/Business

The purpose of this leaflet is to inform you that Merton Council is undertaking a formal consultation on the proposal to remove 4 Shared Use Bays and replace them with:
1. 25.56 metres of ‘School Keep Clear Marking’ outside the new School entrance on Faraday Road. The ‘School Keep Clear’ will operate Monday to Friday between 8am and 5pm.
2. A single yellow line (waiting restriction) operational during the times of the existing Controlled Parking Zone.

The full proposal is shown on the plan provided overleaf.

THE PROPOSAL
‘School Keep Clear’ markings are provided for safety reasons to ensure clear sight lines for both motorists and children outside schools.

The following is prohibited during the keep clear hours of operation:
• No vehicles, including vehicles showing a Disabled Person’s Blue Badge, will be permitted to stop within the extents of the ‘Keep Clear’ markings.
• No loading or unloading within the restricted area.

As the school is within a Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ), the ‘Keep Clear’ section will also be covered by a single yellow line restriction, which will prohibit parking during the CPZ controlled hours.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT
Statutory consultation is required prior to any decision to proceed to implementation. This is the legal part of the process and requires the introduction of Traffic Management Order (TMO), which is a legal requirement to enable the council to change and enforce traffic or parking regulations. The statutory notice will be published in the London Gazette and one local newspaper circulated in the area. In addition to this, the council will post Notices in the affected streets.

The Notice informs residents and businesses in the affected area to submit written representations to the proposed scheme. Representation can be made in writing to: Head of Street Scene and Waste, Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey, SM4 5DX by no later than 17 December 2010. quoting reference ES/SGE/C&E KEEP CLEAR.

The Council will then be required to consider all representations prior to proceeding further.

A copy of the proposed TMO, a plan identifying the areas affected by the proposals and the Council’s Statement of Reasons can be inspected at the Merton Link, Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey, during the Council’s normal office hours Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm.

Alternatively, this information can be viewed on our website using the following link www.merton.gov.uk/faraday-keepclear.

All objections will be reported to the Cabinet Member for Environmental Sustainability and Regeneration for consideration and decision.

Please note that responses to any representations received will not be made until the final decision is made. If you require further information, you may contact Waheed Alam directly on 020 8545 3200 or email waheed.alam@merton.gov.uk.

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