Delegated Decision 4 February 2025

Temporary Traffic Regulation Order

Ordinary Decision/Key Decision No.



Report of NEIGHBOURHOODS & CLIMATE CHANGE Paul Anderson – Strategic Highways Manager, Technical Services

Electoral division(s) affected:

Bishop Auckland Town Ward: Cllrs S Zair, A Jackson

Purpose of the Report

To consider a request for temporary traffic regulation by Order on 8 February 2025 for the purpose of continued Northumbrian Water drainage works on Ediscum Garth off Etherley Lane, Bishop Auckland.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Council exercises its powers under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to effect a Temporary Traffic Regulation Order to facilitate drainage works

Background

Works are on-going by Northumbrian Water / Lumsden & Carroll for drainage works at location within the confines of the highway. Traffic is using Ediscum Garth when traffic lights deployed on Etherley Lane which is dangerous.

Options

Other traffic management arrangements have been considered and the most appropriate method is for temporary road closure for approx. 4 weeks following the issue of a 5-day urgent notice from 3 February 2025.

Recommendation

The recommendation is approved and that following, consultations with the Chief of Police, arrangements be made to progress the advertising of Public Notices and sealing of an Order.

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Appendix 1: Implications

Legal Implications

TTRO checked, prepared and advertised via Legal Services

Finance

Costs to be charged to the scheme/applicant.

Consultation

Chief of Police, Local Members, Public Transport Providers (via the Public Transport Team)

Equality and Diversity / Public Sector Equality Duty

N/A

Human Rights

No impact

Crime and Disorder

N/A

Climate Change

N/A

Staffing

Network Management Team

Accommodation

N/A

Risk

N/A

Procurement

Advertising in a public newspaper with costs recharged to the scheme/applicant

