

From: Ros Layfield
Sent: 21 September 2017 13:42
To: Peter Boughton
Cc: Cllr Elizabeth Scott; David Battensby; Jackie Graham
Subject: Petition Nevilles Cross 30mph and road safety review

Dear Peter,

Thank you for getting back in touch. Firstly please let me reassure you that although the letter did not acknowledge the number of signatories to the petitions, the council is aware of this and as such on receipt of the two petitions the relevant cabinet member/ local members/ chief officers were informed about them, including the number of signatories to both parts i.e. via the e-petition facility 184 signatories, and the paper petition with 150 signatories.

In-line with the petitions scheme, the relevant service was asked to consider the petitions received, which they did and hence the response made to you. Please note that a copy of which was provided to those listed above.

I note your disappointment to the response made, and would suggest as in the letter that you may wish to speak with the senior traffic engineer who could discuss this in further detail with you. I have forwarded a copy of your email to him to ask if he could comment on the point you made about the 20mph zones around schools.

Please note that there is an appeal process which is set out in the councils Constitution which is available on-line. Apologies as we should have notified of you about your right to appeal. I've attached the link to the Constitution for your information
<http://www.durham.gov.uk/media/1650/Constitution-of-the-Council/pdf/Constitution2017v3.pdf>

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(See book mark 40). There is a process to follow, so please give me a ring so I could explain this to you.

Please get back in touch if I can assist further- please note I will be away from the office from 28 September until 11 October.

Kind regards

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