

	<h2>Finchley & Golders Green Area Committee</h2> <h3>23 February 2021</h3>
Title	Members' Item
Report of	Head of Governance
Wards	Various wards within Finchley and Golders Green constituency
Status	Public
Urgent	No
Key	No
Enclosures	None
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Summary	
The report informs the Finchley & Golders Green Area Committee of Members' Items and requests instructions from the Committee.	

Recommendations
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Finchley & Golders Green Area Committee's instructions are requested to the item submitted by Members of the Committee highlighted at Section 1.1

1. WHY THIS REPORT IS NEEDED

- 1.1 The following Members Item has been received and the Committee is asked to consider the following matter:

Cllr Arjun Mittra	<p>Long Lane</p> <p>Traffic issues on Long Lane N2/N3 are a concern for local residents and have been raised a number of times at the Area Committee in recent years.</p> <p>Following the discussions with council officers as part of the NRP process, officers and councillors held a site visit in November during which further discussion took place. It is recognised that the traffic and associated issues relate to a number of locations on Long Lane and is agreed that there needs to be further investigation and a study looking at the area as a whole to ensure effective measures are developed.</p> <p>We are therefore submitting this Members Item in full support of the enquiries raised on by residents at the Area Forum in January and are asking that a wider detailed review covering all the issues raised, including a feasibility study, is carried out.</p>
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2. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 No recommendations have been made. The Committee is therefore requested to give consideration and provide instruction.

3. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND NOT RECOMMENDED

- 3.1 Not applicable.

4. POST DECISION IMPLEMENTATION

- 4.1 Post decision implementation will depend on the decision taken by the Committee.

5. IMPLICATIONS OF DECISION

5.1 Corporate Priorities and Performance

- 5.1.1 As and when issues raised through a Member's Item are progressed, they will need to be evaluated against the Corporate Plan and other relevant policies.

5.2 Resources (Finance & Value for Money, Procurement, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)

5.2.1 None in the context of this report.

5.3 **Social Value**

5.3.1 Members' Items provide a process for Members to request officer reports for discussion within a committee setting at a future meeting.

5.4 **Legal and Constitutional References**

5.4.1 The Council's Constitution, Article 2, Members of the Council, Section 2.3 states A Member (including Members appointed as substitutes by Council) will be permitted to have one matter only (with no sub-items) on the agenda for a meeting of a Committee or Sub-Committee on which s/he serves. The matter must be relevant to the terms of reference of the Committee. This rule does not apply to the Licensing, Planning and Urgency Committees. The referral of a motion from Full Council to a Committee will not count as a Member's item for the purpose of this rule.

5.5 **Risk Management**

5.5.1 None in the context of this report.

5.6 **Equalities and Diversity**

5.6.1 Members' Items allow Members of a Committee to bring a wide range of issues to the attention of a Committee in accordance with the Council's Constitution. All of these issues must be considered for their equalities and diversity implications.

5.7 **Consultation and Engagement**

5.7.1 None in the context of this report.

5.8 **Insight**

The process for receiving a Member's Item is set out in the Council's Constitution, as outlined in section 5.4 of this report. Members will be requested to consider the item and determine any further action that they may wish in relation to the issues highlighted within the Member's Item.

6. **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

6.1 None.