

To: PLANNING & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE		Subject: THE NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL (MAIN STREET AND BELGRAVE STREET, BELLSHILL) (STOPPING UP) ORDER 2007
From: DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION		
Date: 5 March 2007	Ref: 07-01 REPORTJK	

1 Purpose of Report

1.1 The Committee are asked to approve the introduction of a Traffic Regulation Order to introduce a Stopping Up Order on Main Street and Belgrave Street, Bellshill.

2 Location

2.1 A consultation was undertaken with the view to implementation a Stopping Up Order on :-

2.1.1 Main Street, Bellshill

A section measuring 107 square metres or thereby, directly opposite the Gartcosh Walk and Belgrave Street junction.

A section measuring 191 square metres or thereby, directly opposite the Gartcosh Walk and Belgrave Street junction.

A section measuring 61 square metres or thereby, directly opposite the Gartcosh Walk and Belgrave Street junction.

The private means of access, southwest of the West Church, measuring 130 square metres or thereby.

2.1.2 Belgrave Street, Bellshill

The section of remote footpath, measuring 10 square metres or thereby, on the north east corner of the junction of Gartcosh Walk and Belgrave Street.

3 Background

3.1 Work to construct a new roundabout at the junction of Gartcosh Walk and Belgrave Street, which is part of Phase I of the Bellshill Town Centre Action Plan began in May 2006 and is now nearing completion. In addition to the roundabout construction there was a requirement to re-align Main Street, various footways and the existing school access.

3.2 The completion of these works has rendered parts of the existing roads and footpaths and school access redundant and no longer required for public access as alternatives have now been constructed.

3.3 The Council has advertised its proposal to introduce the Stopping Up Order by way of a public advertisement, to which no objections were received. Strathclyde Police, The Road Haulage Association Limited, The Freight Transport Association Limited, Local Councillors and Community Council as well as other organisations have all been consulted and have offered no objections to the proposal.

4 Recommendation

4.1 That the Committee approve the introduction of the North Lanarkshire Council (Main Street and Belgrave Street, Bellshill) (Stopping Up) Order 2007 as detailed in 2.1.1 and 2.1.2 of the report.

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