

Report of the Strategic Director Place to the meeting of Bradford East Area Committee to be held on 6 December 2023

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Subject:

Florence Street, Bradford Moor, Bradford - Petition

Summary statement:

This report considers a petition requesting a residents only permit parking scheme on Florence Street.

EQUALITY & DIVERSITY:

It is expected that there would be no disproportionate impact from the recommendation within this report.

Ward: Bradford Moor

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Overview & Scrutiny Area:

Regeneration & Environment

1. SUMMARY

- 1.1. This report considers a petition requesting a residents only permit parking scheme on Florence Street.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1. Background information is provided in Appendix 1 to this report.

3. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1. Local ward members have been consulted.

4. FINANCIAL & RESOURCE APPRAISAL

- 4.1. There are no direct financial implications associated with the recommendations within this report.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE ISSUES

- 5.1. There are no significant risks arising out of the proposed recommendations.

6. LEGAL APPRAISAL

- 6.1. There are no specific issues arising from this report.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

7.1. SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1.1. None

7.2. TACKLING THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.2.1. The recommendations within this report will not directly tackle the Climate Emergency or help reduce carbon emissions.

7.3. COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

- 7.3.1. There are no community safety implications arising from the report recommendations.

7.4. HUMAN RIGHTS ACT

- 7.4.1. There are no implications on the Human Rights Act

7.5. TRADE UNION

7.5.1. There are no implications for the Trade Unions.

7.6. WARD IMPLICATIONS

7.6.1. Ward members have been consulted on the petition.

7.7. AREA COMMITTEE ACTION PLAN IMPLICATIONS

7.7.1. There are no relevant priorities within the Bradford Moor ward plan.

7.8. IMPLICATIONS FOR CORPORATE PARENTING

7.8.1. None

7.9. ISSUES ARISING FROM PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESSMENT

7.9.1. None

8. NOT FOR PUBLICATION DOCUMENTS

8.1. None

9. OPTIONS

9.1. Members may propose alternative actions from those recommended on which they will receive appropriate officer advice.

10. RECOMMENDATIONS

10.1. That the request for permit parking on Florence Street be rejected on the basis that it does not meet the criteria for the implementation of a scheme.

10.2. That the lead petitioner be informed accordingly.

11. APPENDICES

11.1. Appendix 1 – Petition Florence Street, Bradford Moor, Bradford

12. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

12.1. None.

Petition Florence Street, Bradford (28 signatures)

Background information

The petitioners have submitted this petition to “Give permit parking to the residents of Florence street”.

The petitioners are concerned that:

“There is no parking places on Florence street for the residents due to several reasons. One reason is because of [REDACTED] as the customers park on Florence street instead of in the car park. Many people also dump their cars on Florence street for weeks at a time without moving them and this is random people who don't live here or people who take their cars to the garage down the road.

They leave their car's on Florence street when there is no space next to the garage. The street itself is small and has just about enough space to allow the residents of Florence street to park their cars, however because of the above issues , the residents do not have spaces available to park especially during the day. Many of the residents are elder people and find it difficult to walk to the car which tends to be parked farer than Florence street and it makes it difficult for them to easily get to the car.”

Officer comments

Florence Street serves several types of property including residential, commercial, as well as industrial and warehousing.

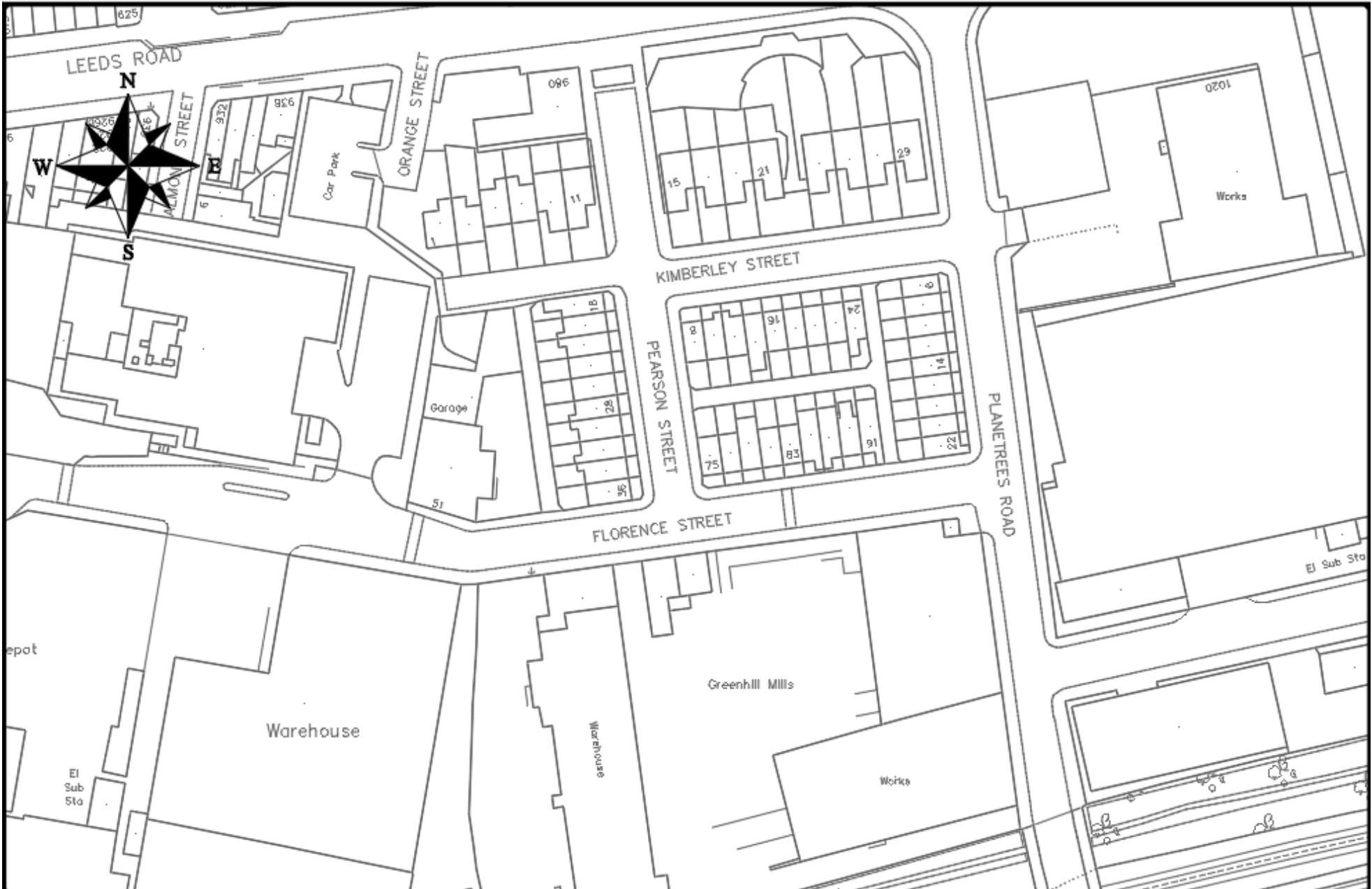
The road is around 8.3m wide and is traffic calmed, there are nine terraced properties on the road and these residents have access to approximately 16 unrestricted parking spaces within 45m of the houses.

During site observations there was parking present on both sides of the road around the terrace houses, but there were still spaces available on street.

There is also a proposal underway which will see sections of the existing waiting restrictions further along Florence Street removed to allow for further parking near the businesses there.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the request for a permit parking scheme be rejected as it does not meet the criteria for the implementation of a scheme on the basis that there is generally spare parking capacity at this location.





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Residents only parking request
Florence Street

 Location Plan