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c.c. YEADING WARD COUNCILLORS
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CABINET MEMBER FOR PLANNING, TRANSPORTATION & RECYCLING Councillor Keith Burrows

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Date: 29 June 2011

PETITION FOR CONSIDERATION BY CABINET MEMBER FOR PLANNING & TRANSPORTATION

I am writing to inform you of the receipt of a emailed petition (copy attached) that will need to be considered by the Cabinet Member for Planning, Transportation & Recycli ng in due course. The petition is in relation to:-

• Residents' petition to keep the footpath between 7 & 8 Airdrie Close, Yeading fenced off. The lead petitioner is Mr J Reeves, 8 Airdrie Close, Yeading, Middx UB4 9SR. The petition has 32 valid signatures (Yeading Ward). I have advised the organiser that a report will be prepared on their petition and that they have the right to speak at a meeting with the Cabinet Member before a decision is made. They have also been advised of the names and addresses of their Ward Councillors.

Officers should now prepare a report for consideration and contact the petition organisers direct if there is any more information needed or advice that can be offered to them. I will let you know when we have a date for the petition to be heard by the Cabinet Member.

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Democratic Services Manager

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27th June, 2011

London Borough of Hillingdon 4W/07 Civic Centre High Street Uxbridge UB8 1UW

For the attention of Keith Burrows

Dear Mr Burrows

RE: 8 Airdrie Close, Yeading, Middlesex, UB4 9SR

I refer to a letter sent from J Fern of which I attach a copy.

I am also forwarding a petition which represents a majority percent of Airdrie Close and effective houses if opening up of alley between 7-8 goes ahead.

After seeing the support we have gained I hope you would look on it more favourably of keeping it closed and therefore relinquish the adopted public highway status which at the moment is just a bit of waste ground.

I look forward to your reply.

Yours sincerely

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Mr Reeves

Cc: John McDonald



10 JUN 2011

Brooks & Partners Solicitors Lyons House 2 Station Road Frimley Surrey GU16 7JA

Ref: SJ/REEVES

3 June 2011

Dear Sirs,

Re: Your Client: Mr J Reeves

Property: 8 Airdrie Close, Yeading, Middlesex, UB4 9SR

Thank you for your letter of 27 April 2011 concerning the stopping up of the footpath that runs between Airdrie Close and West Quay Drive beside number 8 Airdrie Close.

I can confirm that this footpath is Adopted Public Highway.

I have consulted with the Cabinet Member for Planning, Transportation and Recycling and he has confirmed that the Council would not agree to a stopping up order for this footpath.

I understand from your letter that the path has been blocked off with the agreement of other home owners due to their concerns regarding burglaries and is not useable at the present. I thank you for pointing this out to us; this action is not legal as it constitutes an obstruction to the public highway. As the Highway Authority we have a legal duty to assert and protect the rights of the public to the use and enjoyment of any highway and in this respect we will now have to take action to re-open the way. We will be cutting back the overgrowth and ensuring that the path is clear and useable for the public to use.

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NEIGHBOURS

Despite the walkway/alley between 7 and 8 Airdrie Close has been fenced off for some 10 years and the maintenance has not been carried out by the Borough in this time, the London Borough of Hillingdon are thinking of opening up this area for public access. Apparently the reason it was closed off by the residence all those years ago was because of the increase in burglary's and total undesirable elements using it as a cut through.

The council will keep this blocked up if they see we have enough support.

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