

## **Directorate for Communities**

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Ref: Proposal of a Toucan Crossing and Shared-Use

Path at Ellen Road, Aylesbury

Dear Residents,

## Consultation for the proposal of introducing Signalised Toucan crossing and upgrading existing footway to shared use at Ellen Road j/w Churchill Ave, Aylesbury

Buckinghamshire Highways is proposing to introduce a Signalised Toucan Crossing outside Mandeville school and upgrade the footways to shared-use paths. This includes the southeast footway of Ellen Road, from Orwell Close to the Churchill Avenue roundabout (on the school side), and the northeast footway of Ellen Road, from the pedestrian refuge to the Churchill Road roundabout. These changes aim to provide a safer off-carriageway route for cyclists and pupils, reducing collision risks caused by insufficient footway width or lack of official designation as a shared use path.

## **How to Have Your Say**

Details of the proposals and how to support, comment or object, can be found by visiting the Your Voice Bucks website https://yourvoicebucks.citizenspace.com and search for "Proposal of a Toucan Crossing and Shared-Use Path at Ellen Road - Statutory Consultation", where you will find a link to the online survey at the bottom of the consultation page.

There is also a QR code at the bottom of this letter which you can scan with your smartphone to access the consultation page directly.

Alternatively, you can email us at highways.consultations@buckinghamshire.gov.uk or write to us at the following postal address: Design Services, Buckinghamshire Highways, Floor 10, Walton Street Offices, Walton Street, Aylesbury, HP20 1UA with your comments.

If you would like a printed copy of the information, please get in touch with us at the email address provided above. Alternatively, you can view the proposals by appointment at the Main Reception, Walton Street Offices, Walton Steet, Aylesbury, HP20 1UA.

The consultation opens on 27th January 2025 and closes at 11:59pm on 17th February 2025.

Buckinghamshire Council is obliged to make any representations received in response to this notice, open to inspection under the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985.

## What happens next?

We will develop the proposals based on what residents and key stakeholders within the area tell us. If the feedback shows people support the proposal, we will begin the process of implementing these restrictions, and we will update you again to confirm the proposal.

The consultation web page <a href="https://yourvoicebucks.citizenspace.com/roads-parking/proposal-of-a-toucan-crossing-and-shared-use-path">https://yourvoicebucks.citizenspace.com/roads-parking/proposal-of-a-toucan-crossing-and-shared-use-path</a> to be updated with the outcome of this consultation.

Yours faithfully,

**Buckinghamshire Council** 

