



# Devizes Town Council

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## **PLANNING COMMITTEE**

You are summonsed to attend a meeting of the Planning Committee at the following, place and date.

Date: Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Time: 7pm

Place: Assembly Room, The Town Hall, St John's Street, Devizes

Enquiries: Tel: 01380 723333

Chairman: Deputy Mayor, Councillor Stevens

Mayor: Councillor Peter Corbett

Councillors:	Bridewell	Britten	Brown
	Burton	East	Gay
	Geddes	Giraud-Saunders	Greenwood
	Hopkins	Hoult	Hunter
	Nash	Oliver	Ormerod
	Pennington	Rose	Wallis
	Wooldridge		

## **ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEM**

### **13. REPORT FOR DECISION – REQUEST FOR DROPPED KERB IN BATH ROAD BY THE MURCO PETROL STATION**

#### **Recommendation**

That the committee decides if it should support a request for dropped kerbs in Bath Road by the Murco Petrol Station.

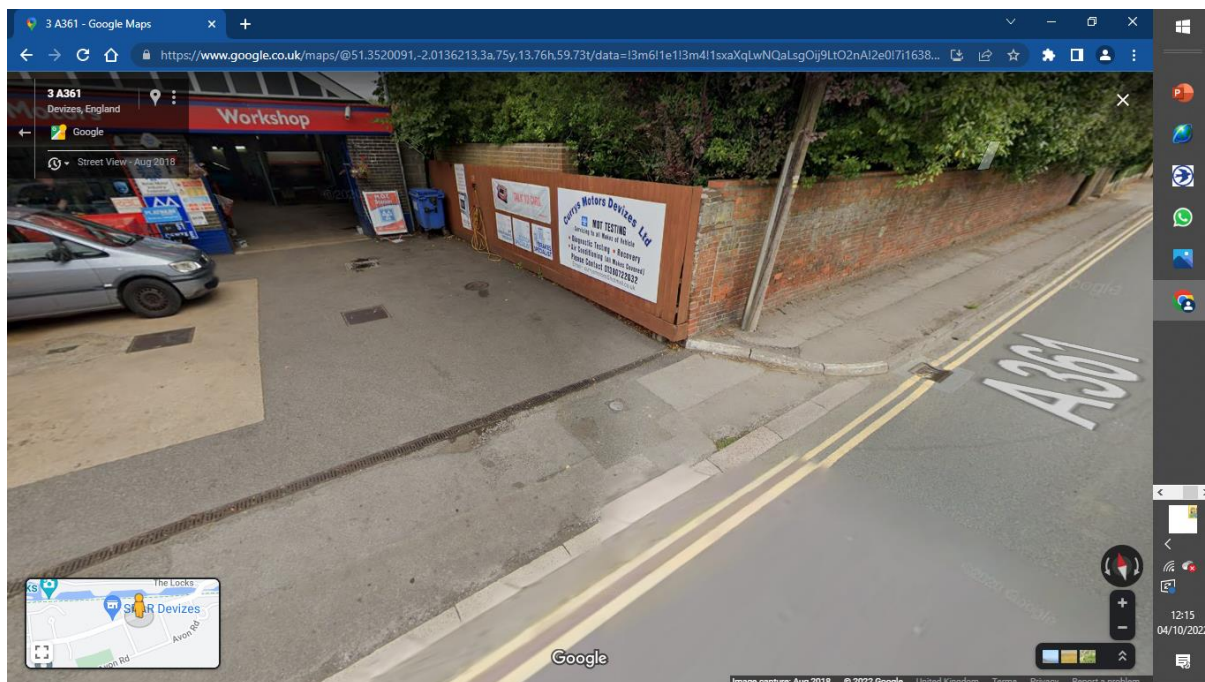
#### **Purpose of the Report**

To consider a resident's request for a dropped kerb in Bath Road by the Murco Petrol Station.

#### **Background**

A resident of Mayenne Place has submitted a Highway Improvement Request Form for dropped kerbs on the Pavement in Bath Road, by the Murco petrol filling station. Within the request ([doc13/1](#)) the

applicant states the pavement outside the petrol station on the A361 had no dropped kerb, so this is a serious problem for wheelchair users, especially because at this location there is no safe option to cross the road. The picture below shows the pavement in question.



The resident feels the current pavement layout is unsuitable for wheelchair users.

### Options Considered

The committee needs to decide if it supports this request for a dropped kerb in Bath Road on the section of pavement by the petrol filling station.

### Implications and Risks

#### Financial and Resource Implications

The Town Council makes financial provision within its budget for requests of this nature, as it is required make a financial contribution of 25% of the cost.

#### Legal Implications and Legislative Powers

The Council will be considering this matter under its General Power of Competence

#### Environmental Implications

Officers are unaware of any environmental implication for the Council associated with this decision.

**Risk Assessment**

Officers are unaware of any risk implication for the Council associated with this decision.

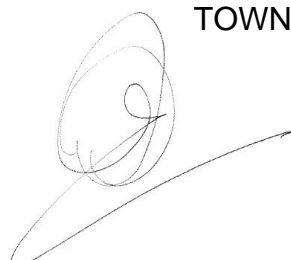
**Crime and Disorder**

Officers are not aware of any issues the Council should consider under Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998.

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<b>Issue Details</b>	
<b>Location of Issue:</b>	Bath Road Garage pavement
<b>Community Area:</b>	Devizes
<b>Parish or Town Council:</b>	Devizes
<b>Nature of Issue:</b>	
The problem relates to the pavement outside the petrol station on the A361. There are no drop kerbs so this is a serious problem for wheelchair users, particularly as there is no option here to cross the road safely.	
<b>How long has it been an issue?</b>	Many years
<b>What would you like done to resolve this issue?</b>	
Drop kerbs should be put in place on this stretch of pavement as this is currently unfit for use by wheelchair users, prams etc	
<b>Have you been in touch with your local Wiltshire Councillor? (Yes/No)</b>	Yes
<i>This form needs to be completed and e-mailed or sent to your local Town or Parish Council. Town and Parish contact details are available via the link below: <a href="https://cms.wiltshire.gov.uk/mgParishCouncilDetails.aspx">https://cms.wiltshire.gov.uk/mgParishCouncilDetails.aspx</a></i>	
<b>Town or Parish Council Comments:</b> (To be completed by Town or Parish Council only)	

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