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Our reference C/EMK
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Dear [REDACTED]

Petition – Reinstatement of the School Crossing Patrol on Winsford Avenue by the Entrance to St. John's School

I refer to the above petition which you submitted to the Cabinet Member (City Services) meeting on Tuesday 20th September, 2011. I write to confirm that at this meeting Councillor Harvard took account of the issues that you raised regarding the request for the reinstatement of the school crossing patrol on Winsford Avenue by the entrance to St. John's Primary School.

Councillor Harvard noted that the school crossing patrol site had become vacant on 4th January, 2011. In accordance with the usual practice, the opportunity had been taken to review the site location. Consideration had been given to the numbers of pedestrians who crossed the site and the two-way traffic flow over a twelve hour period using the results from the most recent count undertaken on 25th February, 2009. Assuming that there had been no change since this time, then the school crossing patrol was numerically justified.

In light of the count details and the concerns raised by local residents, Councillor Harvard gave approval for the location to remain a school crossing patrol site and for the vacant post to be filled, subject to a suitable applicant being appointed. He noted your comments expressing support for this decision.

No doubt you will inform the petitioners accordingly. I am sending a copy of this letter to [REDACTED] petition spokesperson and also to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] for their information.



Should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number.

Yours sincerely

Liz Knight
Governance Services Officer

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