

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

CABINET MEETING

30 July 2013

Report of the Acting Strategic Director – Environmental Services

**ADDITION TO THE CAPITAL PROGRAMME 2013/14 – HSBC
BANK – IMPROVEMENTS TO FOOTWAY AT THE KING
STREET, HIGH STREET JUNCTION, ALFRETON**

(1) **Purpose of the Report** To seek approval to include a scheme to carry out improvements to the footway fronting the HSBC Bank at the junction of King Street and High Street, Alferton in the 2013/14 Capital Programme.

(2) **Information and Analysis** A Section 278 Agreement of the Highways Act 1980 is to be secured with the HSBC Bank for an improvement to the footway fronting the property at the junction of King Street and High Street, Alferton in accordance with recent planning approval.

The cost of the works has been estimated at £27,800 and will be paid in full by HSBC. Works are expected to be carried out over several Sundays during the Autumn.

(3) **Financial Considerations** The cost of the works, estimated at £27,800 will be met in full from external funding sourced through an Agreement under Section 278 of the Highways Act 1980.

(4) **Legal Considerations** Section 278 of the Highways Act 1980 permits a highway authority to enter an agreement with any person for the execution of works the authority is authorised to execute if it is satisfied that the works will be of benefit to the public. Any such agreement may provide for that person to pay the whole or any part of the costs of the works.

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered: prevention of crime and disorder, equality and diversity, human resources, environmental, health, property and transport considerations.

(5) **Key Decision** No.

(6) **Call-In** Is it required that call-in be waived in respect of the decisions proposed in the report? No.

(7) **Background Papers** Environmental Service Department files at County Hall (TP41713). Planning Application 2012/0809/FUL with Amber Valley Borough Council. Officer contact details - Chris Allwood, extension 38582.

(8) **OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATIONS** That:

- 8.1 Cabinet approves the inclusion of the scheme to undertake a footway improvement and relocation of traffic signal equipment at King Street/ High Street, Alfreton, in the 2013/14 Capital Programme.
- 8.2 Subject to a Section 278 Agreement being entered into with the HSBC Bank, the works to the junction of King Street and High Street, Alfreton are carried out.

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