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Dear Occupier,

Ashton Green – Local residents briefing on Transport Improvements

Leicester City Council is proposing to carry out highway infrastructure works and support public transport improvements to enable the delivery of the first residential phase of the Ashton Green development.

The works required form part of the planning conditions of the 2014 outline planning permission and include; cycle/footway improvements, speed restrictions and traffic calming measures to Beaumont Leys Lane, Leicester Road and Greengate Lane. The Council consulted on proposals for the works in the City in November 2015 and this latest package of works relates to improvements to Greengate Lane at the Great Central Railway bridge to extend the existing cycle path into Birstall.

The attached concept design drawing includes the reduction of the existing carriageway width to a single lane over the bridge with new traffic signalisation and the provision of a new cycle path.

This overall package of transport improvements follow on from the previous Bennion Road cycleway work and recent improvements to the Beaumont Shopping Centre bus interchange, that were all part of a wider programme of transport improvements in support of this major development.

The Council would like to hear your views on these proposals and invites you to comment through the online public consultation website using the following link <http://consultations.leicester.gov.uk>

The response from this consultation will be reported to the City Mayor in April 2016 and a decision will be made whether to proceed with the works. The outcomes will also be reported online.

If you require any further information regarding this consultation or the wider Ashton Green development project then please contact me by telephone or email.

Yours faithfully,



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