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**Transport planning and Parking Strategy**

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Dear Consultee

**PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON THE PROVISION OF DISABLED PARKING BAY –OUTSIDE THE VALE HOUSE, VALE OF HEALTH, NW3**

We are writing to ask for your views on the Council’s proposal to provide a new general disabled bay on Vale of Health, which will require the loss of 6.6m of resident permit holders parking (approx. 1 space). A sketch of the proposed changes is shown on the plan below.

These proposals follow a request from a resident in The Gables who has met our criteria for a general disabled bay. General disabled parking bays are allocated to residents who have demonstrated a need to park close to their home, where existing bays are often occupied and less accessible.



Whilst Camden understand that it may sometimes be difficult for non-disabled residents to park their cars around the Vale of Health, it can be even more challenging for those with disabilities. It is therefore important to provide this general disabled bay to help the resident to live an independent and active life in the local community.

The Council will be carrying out the required Statutory Traffic Management consultation by advertising the proposed changes in the local newspapers (Ham and High and London Gazette).

**This is your opportunity to comment**

**HOW TO RESPOND?**

**Please submit your response to this consultation no later than 13.06.21 via one of the following two options below:**

**Option 1 Email** – submit your response via email to: Michael.Wijayanayagam@camden.gov.uk

**Option 2 Post** – submit your response using the following address: Freepost LBC TRANSPORT STRATEGY

**Please Note:** if you are responding on behalf of an organisation, only **ONE** reply will be accepted. You **must** give your full postal address when responding to the consultation if you want us to consider your views.

An Equality & Diversity form has been included that is voluntary for you to complete and send to us with your response via email or using free post address as outlined above. Any information you provide on this form will help us in making an informed decision on the scheme.

**Who is being consulted?**

All properties located close to the proposals, local groups, statutory groups and ward councillors.

While it will not be possible to reply to you individually, all comments will be taken into account. At the end of this consultation period, officers will consider all responses received and write a report with recommendations. This report will be presented to the Director of Regeneration and Planning (Supporting Communities Directorate) who will make a decision whether or not to proceed with implementing the proposals.

Under the Local Government Access to Information Act 1985, your consultation response will be available for inspection if required; however, your personal details will remain confidential. Please only write to us with matters associated with this consultation. If you do have any further questions or require clarification about the proposed scheme, please do not hesitate contact Michael Wijayanayagam on the above contact details.

Yours faithfully,

**Michael Wijayanayagam**

**Design Engineer – Design Team**