

Request

Councillors recently announced that the council had approved highways works to install a 'zebra crossing' on Avondale Road, in the vicinity of Saint Marie's school in Standish.

- 1) In this regard, since 2020, what communications have the council had with the various stakeholders, including councillors.
- 2) Since 2020, what communications have the council had with the various stakeholders, with regards to the lack of a school crossing patrol, including councillors.

A brief outline of the dates of the communications will be sufficient.

Response

- 1) Following a road traffic accident on Avondale Road in February 2023, Ward Members raised concerns on road safety in the vicinity of the school entrance with Council officers. The Council has commenced the legal process for promoting a new zebra crossing and associated waiting restrictions at this location. As part of this process, local resident's, the school and local Councillors have been sent the proposed scheme plans. Any comments/objections to these proposals are to be made to the Council's Legal Services by 16 May 2023. The Council have also consulted with Greater Manchester Police, Ambulance and Fire and Rescue Service and Transport for Greater Manchester, during February/March 2023, and no objections were received from these stakeholders.
- 2) There is only one recorded communication with stakeholders specifically in regard to a school crossing patrol at Avondale Road, Standish