

Dear Andrew and Adam,

Residents on Madley Park remain upset about the parking on Harvest Way, particularly near the Barleyfield Way turn. They have heard back from me recently and from Duncan over the years that planners and the police consider the parking to be a traffic calming feature. There is some acceptance of this but people still think the resultant single-lane stretch is too long, making drivers impatient and cross.

A new angle that has emerged, however, is the crossing. There's a crossing, indicated merely by dropped kerbs, on the end of the parking stretch, towards Co-op. Residents say that the parking restricts visibility for crossing and the crossing is unsafe. It's an important route to the shops.

I think they would like the stretch and the crossing looked at again, with changes put in place to make the crossing safer, that will hopefully also alleviate the length of the parking stretch.

Could this be included in the next TAC meeting please?

Best wishes,
Cllr Ruth Smith.