ITEM

MEETING	Planning Committee
DATE	15 December 2014
TITLE	The Gwynedd Council (Prohibition And Restriction of Waiting And Street Parking Places)(Meirionnydd Area) 2014
PURPOSE OF REPORT	Recommend that the Committee support the proposal to introduce no waiting restrictions at Minffordd Street, Corris.
AUTHOR	Aled Davies Head of the Regulatory Department
RECOMMENDATION	To introduce no waiting restrictions at Minffordd Street, Corris.
PORTFOLIO LEADER	Councillor William Gareth Roberts

1. Introduction

- 1.1 Following concerns from local residents regarding obstruction to the flow of traffic in Minffordd Street, Corris, the Transportation and Streetcare Service agreed to assess the situation.
- 1.2 A proposal was drawn up to introduce no waiting restrictions in the form of double yellow lines at Minffordd Street a distance of 12 metres from its junction with Bridge Street in a south easterly direction on both sides of the road.
- 1.3 We were advised by a resident of Minffordd Street that the double yellow lines did not extend far enough and that parked vehicles were still causing an obstruction to the flow of traffic on Minffordd Street and causing damage to their property. An officer from the Transportation and Streetcare Service re-assessed the situation and was in agreement with the resident that the double yellow lines should be extended so that the flow of traffic would be improved.
- 1.4 Further to that meeting, a proposal was put forward to extend the no waiting restriction by means of double yellow lines for a further 5 metres on both sides of the road. Due to the timing of the consultation period, we were unable to include this element in the previous consultation.
- 1.5 Letters of objection were received to this additional proposal, one stated that they had no accessibility problems and were concerned that the houses in the village would be de-valued. The 5 other letters from the Corris Community Council stated the road was sufficiently wide at this location and should permit parking at least on one side of the road without obstructing the free flow of traffic. Copies of the objections are attached.

2. Recommendation

2.1 That the committee support the proposal so that the no waiting restrictions, double yellow lines, be extended for a further 5 metres on both sides of the road on Minffordd Street so that the flow of traffic would be improved.