

High Street, Herston

Sent: 11 February 2022 13:51
To: Admin <admin@swanage.gov.uk>
Subject: 210949 Zebra Crossing at Herston

Hi

I contacted Dorset Council reference a recommendation of a zebra crossing to be installed at Herston and they told me to contact yourselves. We live near the Costcutter store at Herston, Swanage and the traffic is becoming a major issue due to the illegal parking on double yellow lines outside the store and even in the bus stop. We have witnessed numerous near misses, aggressive drivers, horns and congestion on a daily basis. There are also a large number of school children returning from and to the Swanage School and they cross outside the shop but with cars in the way. This will end in a dangerous accident if something isn't done soon.

I would suggest a zebra crossing be added on or near the drop curve outside the shop and also regular visits by a parking attendant to issue tickets as this is something I have never witnessed. Even through the cars only park for a short period of time, it is constant and when one leaves it is replaced by another. When buses try and pull in, the tail backs and sounding of horns get worse.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sent: 15 July 2022 14:31
To: Admin <admin@swanage.gov.uk>
Subject: Re: 210949 Zebra Crossing at Herston

Good Afternoon.

Did anything ever come of this? More and more cars are illegally parking along these double yellow lines causing a constant obstruction and blocking pedestrians views of the traffic along with a hazard for vehicles heading in and out of town. I did contact the council regarding traffic wardens but as yet have not seen one.

I look forward to your response.

Email received 16 December 2022:

Any updates on this? I have just witnessed another close call with two young girls crossing the road where 6 cars were illegally parked on double yellow lines. It's a daily occurrence.

Email received 23rd January 2023:

Any further news on the below? There was another incident over the weekend where a scooter rider was knocked off his bike by an illegally parked car on the double yellow lines who opened the door without looking. Traffic is regularly backed up to the junction and the parking is getting worse.

February 2023



204 High St
Herston

Swanage, England

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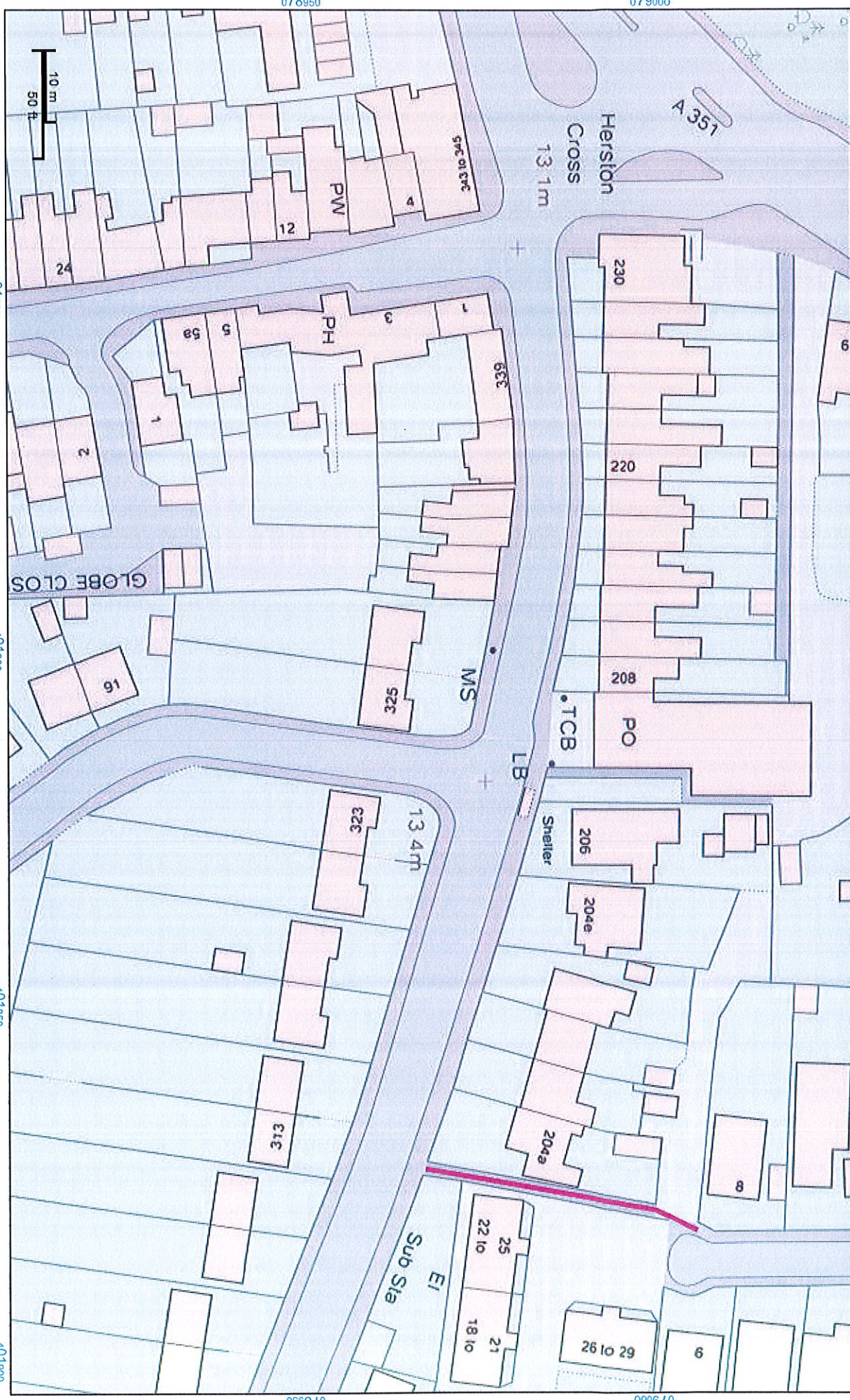
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Emma Evans

From: Admin
Sent: 15 August 2022 09:54
To: Emma Evans
Subject: REF: 220328 FW: PARKING RESTRICTIONS ON HIGH STREET SWANAGE

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From: Barbara Crowley
Sent: 12 August 2022 16:07
To: Admin <admin@swanage.gov.uk>
Subject: Re: PARKING RESTRICTIONS ON HIGH STREET SWANAGE

Dear Sirs,

Once again, may I enquire are there any answers to my request for the releasing of the restrictions on parking on the High Street between the Methodist Church and URC Church.

Yet another year has brought difficulties for parking and I appreciate the need but the one hour slot is very restrictive. Also off season both Victoria Avenue and Rempstone Road, a bus route, have the ability to freely park for the Winter months. Why cannot this be available on the High Street also. If I cannot have a residents permit to avail parking for longer than one hour could it be possible to lengthen the parking time to TWO hours instead of the one at present.

Any small step to make the parking easy for us permanent residents would be appreciated. I would like to ask what is the reason for this very short time slot throughout the whole year? Also why one hour only?

I appreciate there are many issues to take into account but so many years writing and still no definite answers.

Yours faithfully,

Barbara Crowley,



88 High St

Parking restrictions on High Street, Swanage

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AGENDA ITEM 3C)

Rabling Road/Rabling Lane junction

[Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone](#)

On Wednesday, November 9, 2022, 8:27 am, mike whitwam

wrote:

Thanks Margaret

I will have a look at the junction shortly. Do you have any photos you can send me?

Kind regards

Cllr Mike Whitwam

From: [Margaret Griffin](#)

Sent: 08 November 2022 20:43

To: cllrwhitwam@swanagecouncillors.uk

Subject: Double yellow lines at junction of Rabling road and Rabling lane

Good evening. Avril Harris suggested I contact you re the above. We moved into Rabling Lane May 2019. We hardly used our car until recently and have a big problem. The yellow lines at the bottom of our lane are in no way long enough on either side. Vans mainly park right up to the lines making it impossible for me to see to drive from the lane into Rabling road. I've had a few near misses as edging out I've nearly been hit. All other lines at junctions are much longer and these lines look illegal. Please help me before there is a serious accident. Many thanks. Margaret griffin,

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Images from resident regarding visibility at junction of Rabling Lane and Rabling Road





No. 1 Rabling Lane onto Rabling Road



No. 2 Rabling Lane onto Northbrook Road