

Highway Response

Ref: 26/0183

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PROPOSAL: **HARD STANDING FOR OFF ROAD PARKING INCLUDING DROPPED KERB AND RETAINING WALL**

SITE: **15 Oakfield Road Newport NP20 4LZ**

Case Officer: Emma Brinkworth

Highway Officer: Kevin Jackson

Highway recommendation:

Objection on highway safety grounds.

Highway Comments:

Highways have previously advised that the site is not deep enough to accept cars parked at an appropriate angle. Furthermore there would be no support for a wide footway crossing which removes as much parking as it provides, but is needed (only) to accommodate inappropriate angles of approach.

The application does not detail boundary treatments, but any treatment would further impede the inter-visibility of pedestrians and emerging vehicles, when they are already unable to make the necessary observations properly.

Highways therefore object on safety grounds.