

Scheme Request Form For LHP

Requests can only be submitted to the Highways Liaison Officer by the relevant County Councillor. However, District / Borough / City Councillors, Parish / Town Councils and Residents Associations can complete the form and pass to the County Member to then pass to Officers.

Name of County Councillor submitting request	Division	Parish/Town	Road Name	Location	Date Submitted
Lewis Barber	Constable Division	Eight Ash Green	A1124	At existing junctions and new junction on the A1124 within the village envelope	Click or tap to enter a date.

What is the problem that has resulted in this request? (Please mark all relevant boxes)

- Speeding
 Congestion
 Parking
- Difficulty crossing the road
 Lack of footway
 Signage
- Other

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Details

What is the problem that has resulted in this request? -

There is an existing road safety issue down the A1124 and there will be a new link road in the development proposals as part of the Neighbourhood Plan. The Neighbourhood Plan envisages action to improve road safety down A1124. The planning application currently has the new junction of the A1124- link road as only a T-junction and this misses the opportunity to improve road safety down this stretch. There are also further road safety and congestion problems, which add to the road safety issues in a different way by not making it safe to join and exit the A1124, at the A1124 T-junctions with Wood Lane and Spring Lane.

What is the preferred solution?

A possible change from T-junctions to mini-roundabouts along the A1124 at the junctions with Spring Lane, Wood Lane and the new development. An alternative could be a ghost island with the new junctions or similar. Consideration should also be given to whether a sweeper junction may be appropriate at the junction of the new link road and A1124, particularly so as to accommodate HGV traffic that the new link road is designed to alleviate.

A VAS that highlights your speed could also be considered as part of this plan to improve road safety. The extension of the 30 mph speed limit beyond the new development to enhance road safety throughout the village should also be considered.

What is to be achieved by the suggested solution?

Improved road safety through reduced speeding and tackling congested spots such as at Spring Lane that also cause road safety issues.

What is the area of concern? (Provide accurate location details, a map is preferred.)

The stretch of A1124 between the A12 roundabout to Aldham but in particular related to the junctions with Spring Lane, Wood Lane and the new link road. A copy of the current planning proposals are enclosed.

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What evidence is there of the need for a scheme at this location?

(This can be provided through either a Parish Plan, survey, questionnaire, copy of letters received, photos, etc.)

Neighbourhood Plan

Please forward the completed form to
Local.HighwayPanels@essexhighways.org

Email must be titled – District/Scheme Request/Road Name