

Item 10, Appendix F

Email from Ben Callaghan, RCC Councillor - Oakham South East

A resident in my ward has requested that a residents-only parking zone be implemented in and around Sculthorpe Close, as per his email.

For his request to be granted, it needs the backing of the ward member (which is just me currently) and the town council. Please could this be added as an agenda item at your next meeting to be debated and decided upon.

*Last week we have had issues with RCC employees parking in Sculthorpe Close as the road width was never designed to accommodate this as parking is at the rear of houses or on their drives.*

*After raising this with Tony Mathias he resolved the problems with RCC employees, although we do now get regular dog walkers parking there which is equally as irritating but at least temporary.*

*When the RCC recently instructed a contractor to replenish the fading white road markings, it was impossible for them to renew one line as this vehicle was parked on it.*

*The Photograph attached identifies the replenished line on the hump. However, not where the vehicle was parked which was on the line itself thus meaning the contractors were unable to replenish this length.*

*Days after, it seems that white lines mean nothing to this individual as the 2 x photograph depicts, they still park where they want and park here every day.*

*May I respectfully request that consideration be given to the parking on Sculthorpe Close in becoming a "Residents Parking Only" area thus allowing traffic to flow safely through the estate.*

