

## **The Promenade (Gloucester Road) – LSTF funded Street Improvements**

### **Project Update March 2013**

#### **Current Status:**

This project was funded by £30K LSTF to deliver various improvements to Gloucester Road, north of Zetland Road.

An initial consultation exercise with local residents and businesses identified that the priorities for the project (in order) should be:

- Add short stay parking bays
- Remove loading bays
- Replacing trees
- Improved bus shelter
- Replace Bishopston Traders notice board
- Claremont Road public realm improvement

A proposal has been devised and agreed in principle by the project team to address these priorities. Due to budget restrictions and other constraints it was agreed that the Claremont Road public realm improvement should not be included within the scope of this scheme. It has also been agreed that the issue of bin storage and collections would not fall within the scope of what is essentially a highway improvement proposal. It has been agreed that it would be more appropriate to tackle this issue through alternative agencies. Cllr Fi Hance and Liz Kew are part of the project team acting on behalf of local residents and businesses.

The proposed works include new bus stop arrangements, replacement/new trees and tree pits, and revised parking restrictions.

Once finalised, the proposals will be issued for further consultation with local residents and businesses to fine-tune. The public will also have a specific opportunity to make objections to changes to the parking arrangements at a later date when they will be advertised as part of the Statutory Consultation for the associated traffic regulation order.

The proposed works will be programmed for implementation in Oct/Nov this year.

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