

The Hengrove and Stockwood Neighbourhood Partnership Action plan contains a priority around improving the Hollway Road / Harden Road shopping area.

Stockwood Councillors David Morris and Jay Jethwa (on behalf of residents and businesses in Stockwood) would like to update the action plan to include the requests listed below, and would like to request that officers in a variety of City Council departments as well as partner agencies work together to prioritise this element of the action plan.

The Councillors would like to request that the items below are considered for investment by the council. Many of the items are not possible using devolved funds in isolation.

1. All public footpaths (around the precinct) to be checked for loose / damaged slabs and repaired as soon as possible. There are two reported incidents where two elderly residents fell down due to uneven pavements and sustained serious injuries. (BCC Highways dept.)
2. Slope / ramp from the rear car park end needs to be resurfaced with non slip coating, as it's very dangerous when wet. (BCC Highways dept.)
3. Adequate street lightening at the entrance of these steps and ramp. (BCC Highways dept.)

The following items will need to be amended and agreed subject to consultation with local residents and business owners.

4. Shops, and shutters as well as the flats above to be painted front and back to help enhance the area. (BCC City Development, local residents and business owners.)
5. Identify ways in which to keep the car park area at the rear of the shops litter free as well as free from fly-tipping. If necessary further prosecution actions should be taken against the owner/ s of the car park. Refuse bins for the flats should have notices that they are private etc. (BCC Street Scene enforcement, BCC Environment and Leisure).
6. The square area with benches and trees in front of the shops to

be re-designed and to incorporate a mini car park (BCC Highways / City Development)

7. CCTV to cover the whole precinct front and back. (BCC, Police, Safer Bristol)

8. Notice boards to be installed in the area for community use (BCC Highways dept.)