

## Record of operational decision

<b>Decision title:</b>	Installation of traffic calming (speed bumps) at Merton Meadow car park
<b>Date of decision:</b>	14 <sup>th</sup> January 2020
<b>Decision maker:</b>	Assistant Director – Technical Services
<b>Authority for delegated decision:</b>	Constitution Part 4, Section 7 – Financial Procedural Rules
<b>Ward:</b>	Widemarsh
<b>Consultation:</b>	<b>Hereford Football Club</b>  Supports proposal, though had some concern around a potential trip hazard. This is to be mitigated by warning signage and colouring of speed bumps advising of their presence.
<b>Decision made:</b>	The installation of traffic calming speed bumps be approved at a cost of £5,483. This is to be funded from existing capital programme allocation approved to be spent on car park improvements, including at Merton Meadow.
<b>Reasons for decision:</b>	West Mercia Police have received a total 33 complaints in the past 6 months regarding nuisance vehicles driving at speed at Merton Meadow Car Park from residents living near to the location, and/or visitors.  Speed reduction measures are proposed by way of attachable speed restrictions devices to be installed to the surface of the roadway at three points through the main access to the car park. These points are nearest the football club, and the residential properties adjacent.  Car Park signage will also be placed to warn both drivers and pedestrian of the new speed bumps.
<b>Highlight any associated risks/finance/legal/equality considerations:</b>	There is a small risk of a tripping hazard, particularly from visitors at the football club exiting the venue. Signs will be in place to act as warning, and incidents of tripping will be monitored.
<b>Details of any alternative options considered and rejected:</b>	No other options are considered feasible or cost effective to address the issue.
<b>Details of any declarations of interest made:</b>	None

Signed..... Date: 14 January 2020