STATEMENT OF REASONS

MILTON KEYNES CITY COUNCIL (PROPOSED CONTROLLED ZEBRA CROSSING) (SOUTH TERRACE, BLETCHLEY) 2023

Milton Keynes City Council proposes to establish a controlled zebra crossing under section 23(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 on South Terrace in Bletchley.

The pedestrian zebra crossing was proposed during the planning approval stage and approved by the planning authority to make a safe crossing link for pedestrians between the new development and the Bletchley Bus Station.

As the Highway Authority for the above length of road, Milton Keynes City Council is satisfied that the introduction of the above proposed crossing will encourage and facilitate safer pedestrian and cyclist movement across South Terrace.

The Councils reasons for proposing the above crossing are as follows: -

- 1) To maintain a safe environment throughout the road, particularly to encourage and facilitate pedestrian and cyclist movements along South Terrace.
- 2) For avoiding danger to people or other traffic using the above roads, or to prevent the likelihood of any such danger arising.

The Council will continue to monitor the way in which highway facilities are used and address any issues that come to its notice and following meaningful consultation with all stakeholders do what it considers necessary to facilitate the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

Dated: 09 February 2023