

Proposed parking restrictions (Yellow lines) - Church Street / Tideford Road

In June 2021, following local concerns regarding traffic safety issues in the parish Cornwall Councillor arranged for Saltash Fire Brigade to make an unannounced visit to Landrake.

Following the findings of the visit Landrake with St Erney Parish Council agreed to apply to the Cornwall Gateway Highway Improvement Scheme for a parking restriction scheme (yellow lines).

During the winter of 2022, the Parish Council's newsletter, which was distributed around the village newsletter stated "*The parish council is exploring options for making the street space within the village safer, with a particular focus on the Square/ Church Street.*"

A Parish Council meeting was held on 8th January 2023, 17 members of public attended regarding the proposed plans for parking restrictions on Church Street and Cormac.

A post consultation meeting has taken place with Cormac Highways, The Parish Council and Cornwall Councillor Martin Worth. A follow up site meeting is also due to take place.

Please note there appears to be some confusion over the proposed length of the yellow lines, particularly amongst some of have signed a petition against the proposals.

Please note as a '**maximum**' the proposals for the yellow lines are to go over the white lines in Church Street / Tideford Road.

The draft minutes from the last meeting are now available on the Landrake with St Erney Parish Council website.



June 2021 – Posting on Landrake with St Erney Community Facebook page

Saltash Fire Brigade made an unannounced random visit to Landrake this evening at my invitation following discussions with the Parish Council. We wanted to see how easy access was in case of a real emergency. Here is an unedited report of what happened in pictures and video.

Access at first along School Road past the school was possible, but please consider where you might park if it was busy at each end of the school day. Access to turn up and around Highertown Park was OK.

The problems began in Church St when precious minutes would have been lost if lives were at risk. Tonight, drivers were available to move their cars and they apologised to the Fire Officer. In a real emergency if they had not been found, the brigade would have towed or pushed them out the way, if possible.

There was also a later problem if, in response, they had needed to turn left back into Tideford Road. Finally, a real emergency was called and they left back towards Saltash. I have been informed that the emergency has now been safely concluded.

The lesson tonight for all is to please be aware at all times of Emergency Service access and leave at least 2.6m wide of clear space when you park and follow Rule 243 of the Highway Code, do not park within 10m (32ft) of a junction. Thank you.

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Saltash, Trematon & Landrake



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