

Comments received

REF.	COMMENTS RECEIVED	SUPPORT/OBJECT	OFFICERS COMMENTS
1.	<p>Objection – objects to Double yellow lines at the top of Nethercote Hill, parked her car there for over 20 years and not had a problem, 2nd car is parked in Church Street. Only way to access Nethercote Hill would be to park in Church Street and walk up the hill, over the ford, which is poorly lit and dangerous, very little lighting and no lighting in parts. The road is in poor state with potholes and cracks and is uneven which is dangerous to walk on especially at night. Is one of 2 residents on the hill who haven't applied to turn garden into car port. Feel I would be put at risk having to walk from Church Street to my home.</p> <p>Resident Nethercote Hill By email</p>	Objection	<p>Proposal was put forward by Lacock Parish Council due to residents/walkers/visitors blocking the turning circle so when vehicles arrive, they cannot turn around and have to reverse back down the hill, back over the ford and into narrow street. Highway law states the public highway is for the passage and repassage of persons and goods. There is no legal right for motorists to park on the public highway, nor obligation upon Wiltshire Council (as the local highway authority) to provide parking. Parking within the confines of the public highway is accepted so long as it does not impede the right of passage along it. Where parking does impede the right of passage along a public highway the Council has a statutory duty to consider the introduction of measures to ensure that any obstruction of that right of passage is removed.</p>