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Date: 23 July 2020

Dear «sig1»

**CALVERTON ROAD AREA, ARNOLD
BUS STOP CLEARWAYS – NO STOPPING AT ANY TIME , EXCEPT BUSES.**

Via East Midlands Ltd, working on behalf of Nottinghamshire County Council, is proposing to introduce new bus stop clearways (no stopping at any time, except buses) at the locations listed below:-

- Bus stop GE0379 – Church Street – outside No.s 22/24
- Bus stop GE0353 – Church Street - outside No.s 21/23
- Bus stop GE0378 – Church Street – to rear of Pondhills Community Centre
- Bus stop GE0354 – Calverton Road - outside No.s 27/29
- Bus stop GE0377 – Surgey's Lane - outside No.8
- Bus stop GE0355 – Surgey's Lane – outside No.1 (currently outside No.3a)

Parking at bus stops causes accessibility issues and can delay bus services as passengers have to walk out into the road to board. The above locations have been identified as suitable for accessibility improvements including enforceable bus stop clearways and raised boarding kerbs in order to promote sustainable travel. The main benefits of bus stop clearways are to:

- Help the bus align with the kerb to enable better access for disabled passengers and pushchair users;
- Ease congestion as a correctly aligned bus will not block the road for other road users;
- Ensure that bus drivers discharge their duty to drop passengers off on the kerb and not on the road;
- Ensure that bus services operate on time and are not unnecessarily delayed.

In addition to the bus stop clearways and raised kerbing, a bus shelter is to be installed at bus stop GE0378 on Church Street. The existing stop (GE0355) is proposed to be moved from outside 2a Surgey's Lane to outside No.1.

Before proceeding further with the bus stop clearways, I wish to consider the views of residents and organisations who may be interested in this matter. If your comments are in the form of an objection to the proposals and if they cannot be resolved, they will be reported through the County Council's procedures at the appropriate time. Any observations on these proposals should reach me by **21st August 2020**.

All comments/objection should be sent to either the e-mail address or postal address below.

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Yours «sig2»

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