

# Petitions Committee

2.00pm, Thursday 26 March 2015

## Petitions for Consideration: Overview Report

Item number	5.1
Report number	
Wards	City Wide, Fountainbridge/Craiglockhart & Inverleith

### Links

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Coalition pledges	
Council outcomes	<a href="#">CO23 &amp; CO26</a>
Single Outcome Agreement	

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# Executive Summary

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### Summary

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The Committee is asked to consider three petitions at this meeting.

#### Valid petitions

##### One way system and traffic calming measures in Redhall Drive

A valid petition entitled 'One way system and traffic calming measures in Redhall Drive' has been received. The petition received 258 signatures.

Details of this petition are set out in appendix one.

##### Street Light Safety

A valid petition entitled 'Street Light Safety' has been received. The petition received 400 signatures.

Details of this petition are set out in appendix one.

##### Bus Service Craigleith Retail Park

A valid petition entitled 'Bus Service Craigleith Retail Park' has been received. The petition received 315 signatures.

Details of this petition are set out in appendix one.

### Recommendations

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The Committee is asked to consider the petitions:

- 1.1 'One way system and traffic calming measures in Redhall Drive' as set out in 5.1(a) of Appendix one.
- 1.2 'Street Light Safety' as set out in 5.1(b) of Appendix one.
- 1.3 'Bus Service Craigleith Retail Park' as set out in 5.1(c) of Appendix one.

### Measures of success

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There are no immediate measures of success applicable to this report.

## Financial impact

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There is no financial impact arising from the consideration of these petitions.

## Equalities impact

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There is no equalities impact arising from the consideration of these petitions.

## Environmental impact

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There is no environmental impact arising from the consideration of these petitions.

## Consultation and engagement

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There are no consultation or engagement requirements at this part of the process.

## Background reading / external references

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[Petitions webpages](#)

[Council Webcasting](#)

## Links

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### Coalition pledges

**Council outcomes** CO23 Well engaged and well informed – Communities and individuals are empowered and supported to improve local outcomes and foster a sense of community  
CO26 The Council engages with stakeholders and works in partnership to improve services and deliver on agreed objectives

### Single Outcome Agreement

**Appendices** Appendix one: Petitions for Consideration

# Appendix 1 - Petitions for Consideration

Item Number	Date Received	Petition Title and Petition Statement	Wards affected	Total Number of Signatories
5.1(a)	29 January 2015	<p><b><u>One way system and traffic calming measures in Redhall Drive</u></b></p> <p>We ask that City of Edinburgh Council introduce a one way system traffic and other traffic calming measures at Redhall Drive.</p>	Fountainbridge/ Craiglockhart	<b>258 signatures</b>
5.1(b)	26 February 2015	<p><b><u>Street Light Safety</u></b></p> <p>I have started this petition as since the council have started using the new energy saving lights our streets are in darkness</p> <p>There are numerous safety reason regarding this:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* It increases criminal activity</li> <li>* It is more dangerous for pedestrians and drivers</li> <li>* It makes people more vulnerable and scared to go out at night especially the elderly and people with young children</li> </ul> <p>I think to save a few pounds the council have neglected the residents of Edinburgh.</p> <p>Please return our old lights or install better lights to make sure the streets of Edinburgh are adequately lit up and safe at night.</p>	Citywide	<b>400 signatures</b>

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5.1(c)	26 February 2015	<p><b><u>Bus Service Craigleith Retail Park</u></b></p> <p>That City of Edinburgh Council make the strongest representation possible to Lothian Buses to reintroduce the bus service (number 42) to the Craigleith Retail Park with immediate effect.</p>	Inverleith	<b>315 signatures</b>