

REPORT TO: PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE 14 AUGUST 2006

REPORT ON: WILLIAM STREET/VICTORIA ROAD, DUNDEE PROHIBITION OF RIGHT HAND TURN

REPORT BY: DIRECTOR OF PLANNING & TRANSPORTATION

REPORT NO: 422-2006

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To seek Committee approval for the implementation of a Traffic Regulation Order to prohibit the right hand turn for southbound traffic on William Street into Victoria Road.

2 RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 It is recommended that the Committee approve the preparation of the necessary Traffic Regulation Order to prohibit the right hand turn for southbound traffic on William Street into Victoria Road.

3 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 The cost of the works associated with the provision of the necessary signing is estimated at £1500. Provision for this sum will be made from the Planning and Transportation Department's 2006/2007 revenue budget allocation for the Transportation Division under Minor Traffic Works.

4 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1 The introduction of this measure will provide a safer environment at the junction of William Street with Victoria Road.

5 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1 There are no equal opportunities implications.

6 BACKGROUND

- 6.1 At present traffic can enter the Victoria Road in both directions at its junction with William Street.

- 6.2 In September 2002 Victoria Road reverted to two-way traffic. Prior to this date no accidents were recorded at the William Street/Victoria Road junction involving turning manoeuvres. In the subsequent three years there have been three injury accidents all involving vehicles turning right from William Street into Victoria Road.

- 6.3 The view to the right at this location is limited by the adverse curve in Victoria Road.

- 6.4 It is therefore proposed to prohibit this right hand turn as depicted on the attached plan.

7 CONSULTATIONS

- 7.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Head of Finance and Assistant Chief Executive (Community Planning) have been consulted and are in agreement with the contents of this report.

8 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 8.1 None.

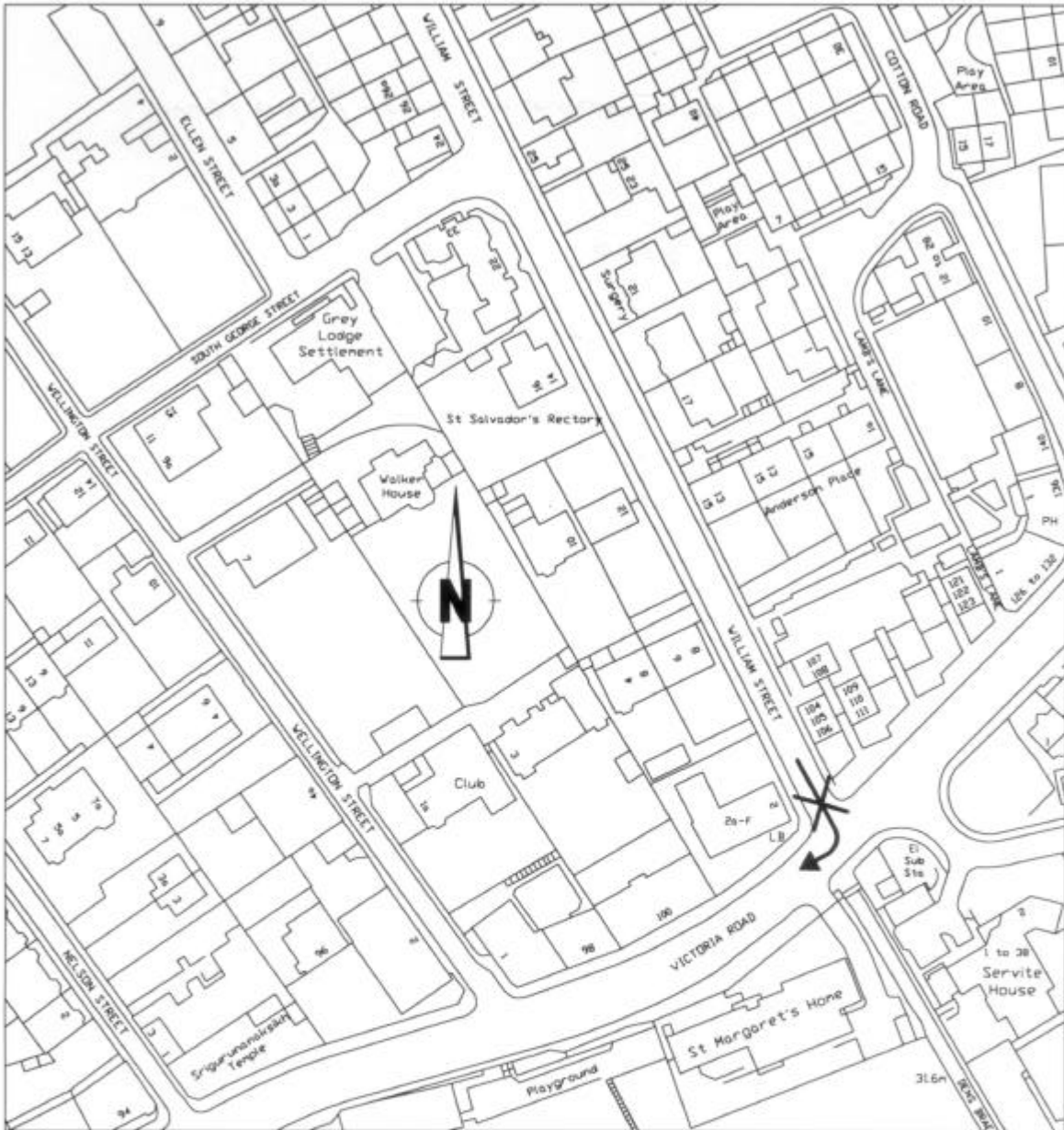
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No Right Hand Turn

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