

Chalvey Roads

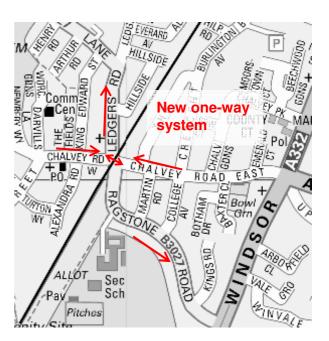
The problem

Slough Borough Council consulted the Chalvey community in November 2009 to identify key issues for the community. Traffic was one of the community's biggest problems, especially in Chalvey Road West. The community felt there was too much traffic, and too much congestion. There are also safety concerns – there have been a number of road casualties in recent years. Pollution is also a problem.

What is the council going to do?

The council is proposing a number of **experimental** changes:

- Make Chalvey Road West one-way eastbound and provide new parking facilities for local shops.
- Make Ledgers Road one-way northbound, between Chalvey Road West and Montem Lane.
- Make Ragstone Road one-way southbound.
- Make Chalvey Road East one-way westbound, between Ragstone Road and College Avenue, and provide new parking facilities for local shops.
- New cycling facilities.
- Remove the traffic lights next to Alexandra Road
- Remove the traffic lights and remodel the junctions at both ends of Chalvey Road West.



What does the council mean by experimental?

We do not know whether the changes will work, or whether the community will like them. Therefore we are introducing the changes on an **experimental** basis. We have not decided to make any *permanent* change at all. This is how it works:

- All the measures for Chalvey Road West, Chalvey Road East, Ledgers Road and Ragstone Road will be installed in September / October 2011.
- Up to the beginning of February 2012, the council is legally obliged to receive and consider any objections to the changes.
- The council then has a further 12 months to decide whether or not to make the changes permanent, to remove them, or to try something else.
- If it doesn't work, the council can remove the changes at any time.

We expect to make a final decision on whether to make the changes permanent in Spring 2012.

How can I tell the council what I think?

We really want the **whole** Chalvey community to tell us what you think of the changes. Do you love the changes? Do you hate them? Are there good points, bad points, or any other suggestions?

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How can I find out more?

For further information, see www.slough.gov.uk/chalveyroads

Can I see detailed plans?

Detailed plans will be available at www.slough.gov.uk/chalveyroads as they are finalised. The diagram below shows the plans for Chalvey Road West.



will be designed to be similar to Chalvey Road West, with one-way operation, new parking provision and new cycling facilities.

Please tell us what you think:

- Love it?
- Hate it?
- O Good points and bad points?

We need to hear what you think to make a good decision, taking into account the views of the whole community.

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