

FULL COUNCIL – WEDNESDAY, 19 OCTOBER 2016

Written question from Councillor Bob Seeley to Councillor Phil Jordan, Executive Member Public Health, Public Protection and PFI

To ask Cllr Bacon if he would make a statement on 20 mph zones around schools, and in particular:

- To ask how many schools on the Island do **not** have 20 mph zones around them?
- To ask if he will now commit this Administration to introduce 20mph zones for all schools on the Island as standard (with the option for schools to opt out).
- And, if he will do so, to suggest a timescale by when this will be achieved?

Response

Only 17% of Island schools do not have 20mph zones around them (9 out of 53 schools)

I am intending to support Cllr Jones Evans motion to take this issue forward but we are not in a position to take such a decision at full council with no indication of budgetary implications and no clear policy that sets out how zones would be assessed and implemented. I am therefore not in a position to confirm timescales for taking such a project forward.

I am trying to find out how many of the 9 schools that do not have 20mph zones have asked for them, which would provide additional response for point 1 but have sent the response through as is in the meantime.