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Highways, Traffic and Parking Schemes

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Dear Resident/Occupier

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Date: 27th June 2025

A1306 New Road / Upminster Road North / Upminster Road South Junction Collisions Reduction and pedestrian facilities Scheme
- Proposed safety improvements

We would like to hear your views on a proposed safety improvement scheme for your road.

It follows a feasibility study that was carried out and found that up to 1,700 vehicles per hour use A1306 New Road with speeds of up to 45 mph regularly recorded. Further analysis of collision records showed that there have been a total of ten personal injury accidents (PIAs) were recorded at this junction. Of these ten PIAs, one was serious and nine were slight; one involved pedestrian and one occurred during the hours of darkness.

With funding being provided by the Mayor of London's Transport for London office (TfL), we can now look at a proposed scheme including the following as shown on the attached plans:

- New staggered pedestrian crossing facilities along Upminster Road North and Upminster Road South to improve pedestrian crossing facilities to pedestrians, particularly for school children
- Separate signal phases for Upminster Road North and Upminster Road South Arms to remove traffic conflicts.
- Extending the footway on the South East corner of the junction to provide staggered pedestrian crossing facilities on the Upminster Road North Arm.
- Reallocation of right turn pockets from Upminster Road to A1306 New Road to minimise right turn conflicts
- An additional exit lane on A1306 New Road South Arm of the junction to improve capacity of the junction
- Two lane merge on A1306 New Road on exit from the junction
- Shortening of the existing right turn lane of the Southern arm of A1306 New Road
- New traffic islands to protect the right turn pocket on A1306 New Road South.

Large scale plans can also be seen on the Council website -
<https://consultation.havering.gov.uk/highways/>

Your comments on the proposals would be welcomed and should be sent in writing via email to schemes@havering.gov.uk to be received by **Friday 18 July 2025**.

Please note I am unable to answer individual points raised at this stage, however your comments will be noted and taken into consideration when presenting the final report to the Council's Director for Environment. Any issues will be addressed at that time.

All comments received are open to public inspection and the report will be made public.

If you need any more information, please contact me by e-mail, shown at the top of the letter.
Yours faithfully,

V. Siva

Siva Velup, Senior Engineer, Highways, Traffic and Parking.