

**Consultation Response from KC,
Highways Development Management**
2021/91678 Robertos, The Old Post Office, 15, Market Square, Batley, WF17 5DA
Erection of canopy (within a Conservation Area)
Date Responded: 25/08/21 Responding Officer: CNB Responding Ref: K13-10SW/12

This application is for the erection of a canopy over part of a car park at an existing building with a vehicular access from Back Providence Street, a 30mph one way single carriageway unadopted access road of approximately 4.8m width with footways on both sides and street lighting present. There are No Waiting at any Time TRO markings along Back Providence Street and across the entrance to the application site car park.

The proposals are to increase the size of an existing canopy to the rear of the premises. This is not expected to generate vehicular trips in its own right.

The location of the proposed canopy and balustrade is over one of the marked spaces within the car park and as such this space will be lost (the application form erroneously states that there will be no changes to car parking). It is also possible that a second space will become unusable as, although there will be a 6m gap between the south westernmost parking space, we suspect that manoeuvring from this space will be limited by the proposals if there are cars parked adjacent. However, as the site is located in the town centre of Batley with access to public car parks and the public transport network (the site is approximately 225m from the bus station and approximately 950m from the rail station).

No details were provided relating to waste storage and collection at the associated premises, however we expect this to be done as present and there should be no additional impacts on the highway network caused by waste collection because of the proposals.

With this we consider the application site to be acceptable on highways grounds.