

**Junction of Tetbury Hill Gardens with Tetbury Hill. Malmesbury. Wilts.**

Following a written report which was discussed at a recent meeting of the Planning and Environmental committee (P & E) of Malmesbury Town Council I was asked to report on the impact of the sight lines at the junction especially when there are vehicles parked in the official parking area. Due to the state of the unadopted road surface, there is a need to approach the junction slowly. Once at the junction, there is a "pinch point" on the right, enabling parking, so being an unmarked junction the invisible "give way" line is extended to the outside edge of the pinch point.



On the approach vision is limited, but still the sight line is some 200 yards, and you can see approaching vehicles, which will be travelling in the middle of the road because of the parked vehicles.



Moving to the edge of the pinch point yes, there are no vehicles parked in the end space visibility the good, nearly down to the pedestrian crossing. Had there been a vehicle parked then the driver should "Creep and peep", until visibility is improved. Knowing that if there is a vehicle approaching it will be travelling in the middle of the road avoiding the parked vehicles.

In conclusion, yes, it's not the best junction in the town, but a driver should drive safely and consider road at traffic conditions.

I would like to propose that this case is closed, and no further action is taken.

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