Thank you for taking the time to develop the proposal for Active Travel investment in your area. We are actively considering how we can potentially develop these proposals and move them through the required steps to implementation.

The diagram below illustrates the steps that are required before a scheme can be delivered.

We are able to consider the scheme for entry into our pipeline of work and whether it meets our strategic objectives (first blue box). At this stage we can say that it does look like something that the Council would support, so we now need to consider how we can best position the scheme for internal funding to start to develop the scheme design further. If this can be secured, then the scheme can move into 'concept design development', and onwards from there.

In terms of timescales, as you can see by the stages below, there are several stages to work through and it is often difficult to put a detailed timeline together until the funding and design requirement is known in more detail. We will utilise the communication channels you have set up with Patrick Hanfling and the Neighbourhood Team to ensure that you are kept up to date on progress and be involved in the engagement and consultation process as it moves forward across 2024.

