

PE1595/F

Rona Mackay Email of 30 December 2015

To The Petitions Committee, Reference PE 1595.

I wish to add my support to the above petition.

This initiative is being implemented by East Dunbartonshire Council against the wishes of the majority of residents in Kirkintilloch and its surrounding areas.

The idea of Shared Spaces directly discriminates against people of disability and the vulnerable, who rely on effective traffic control to cross the road safely. The result of this plan could result in those people fearing for their safety being forced to stay indoors rather than enjoying the full amenities of their local town. This action would be, in effect, a breach of their human rights and this must not be allowed to happen. It is incumbent on the ruling administration of East Dunbartonshire Council to stop this plan now.

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