

Annual Review of Alleygating – Residents’ Questionnaire

Safer Leeds is currently committed to a programme of Alleygating schemes across Leeds. As part of each Alleygating scheme, Safer Leeds is required to carry out an annual review. By carrying out this review with residents, Safer Leeds can monitor the effectiveness of these schemes, gather the views of residents and ultimately determine if the gates are still necessary for the purposes of Community Safety. As Alleygating is classed as a ‘temporary restriction’, should the majority of responses to the review be opposed to the gates, Safer Leeds would determine if gates should be removed.

The following questionnaire is designed to help us find out what residents think about their Alleygating scheme and whether or not residents would like to see their scheme continue in the future. In order for the review to reflect the views of all residents living in gated areas, we are reliant on all residents to respond to the questionnaire as soon as possible. All information you give us will be treated in the strictest of confidence. No details will be passed on to any third parties.

All returned questionnaires will be entered into a prize draw with a chance to win one of 2 £50 capital bonds. Please complete the questionnaire and return it in the pre-paid envelope provided.

Name

Address

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Postcode

Email

Are you the owner of this property? Yes / No (circle as appropriate)

If you are not the owner of this property, we would like to know the owner’s details so that we may send them a copy of this questionnaire.

Owner’s Name

Owner’s contact details

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Appendix 1 – Residents’ Questionnaire

Personal Safety

1. Since Alleygates were installed, how safe have you felt in the Alleygated area?	Very Safe <input type="checkbox"/> Safe <input type="checkbox"/> Unsafe <input type="checkbox"/> Very Unsafe <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Since the installation of the Alleygates, do you feel crime and Anti-Social behaviour in your neighbourhood has:	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Do you have any general comments about the crime in your area? What crime has been reduced since the Alleygates were installed? What crime remains?	

Community Life

1. Since the gates were installed, has the amount of litter in your Alleygated area:	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Since the gates were installed, has the noise in your Alleygated area:	Increased <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Since the gates were installed, has the relationship with your neighbours:	Improved <input type="checkbox"/> Stayed the same <input type="checkbox"/> Got worse <input type="checkbox"/>
4. Have any noticeable changes taken place since the installation of the gates? What are these changes?	

The Gates and fencing

1. Are the gates kept locked enough to be considered effective?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Have you any comments about the gates since their installation?	
3. Alleygating is classed as a ‘temporary restriction’. If crime and ASB in a gated area reduces, there may be no need for the gates any further. Safer Leeds would like to know if you would like the Alleygating:	To stay in place for a further 12 months <input type="checkbox"/> To be removed completely <input type="checkbox"/>

THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING IN THIS REVIEW OF ALLEYGATING