

Policy change**Reasons**

Online will become the preferred method of application	1) In line with council's customer service policy 2) To meet public demand 3) To reduce admin time and costs
Simplify fee structure	1) Applicants find current structure confusing 2) To make automation easier
No longer omit number 13 in house numbers	1) To make logical and help emergency services 2) As an equalities issue with increasing cultural diversity
No longer consult ward members on street names	To end duplication of consultation with town/parish councils
In Bath, consult Bath City Forum	1) To give Bath same process as parished areas 2) To give a broader and more consistent overview across Bath
Personal details deleted one year after case completion	To become GDPR compliant
Statement on equalities and street names	1) To comply with Equality Act 2010 2) To redress the lack of streets named after women compared to men