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Issue No	Key Issues	Details	Planning/ Non Planning	Plan Response		Evidence	Comments
				Policy	Site Allocation		
1	Noise from roads	Noise from road surface on M1	Planning				National highways responsibility – resurface motorway with quieter surface
2	Traffic lights	Safety	Planning	√		Accidents at Charlie Sweeps corner	Traffic lights on Bar Lane and Charlie Sweeps corner
3	Parking	Congestion	Planning	√		Double parking and parking on footpaths Main Street – cars and delivery vehicles park on both sides of the street, causing congestion and safety issue. Problems with emergency vehicle access. Commuters using free parking for railway causing parking issues for local residents and shoppers	Parking at railway station Only disabled parking on Main Street Disc parking/timed/meter parking Issue of permits for residential parking Charge commuters Need to enforce parking restrictions
4	Congestion	Lorries on A642	Planning	√			No lorries on A642 except deliveries
5	Pedestrian safety		Planning	√		Church Lane – crossing safely to library	Main Street/Wakefield Road and junction of Bar Lane and Wakefield Road. Consider roundabout at Town End
6	Road safety						Speed restrictions – lack of enforcement
7	Accommodating parking in residential area					Congestion on Church Lane	Investigate communal parking Houses without drives or parking spaces therefore park on road causing single

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							lane driving for through traffic
8	Public transport						Review existing bus services for East Garforth
9	Road access and traffic circulation in and out of Garforth e.g. new A63 Selby Road bypass						
10	Road surface conditions					Pot holes Barleyhill Road, Station Road, from A642	
11	Parking outside schools	Ninelands Lane, Strawberry Fields, Green Lane, Lidgett Lane are all congested at school arrival and departure times					Rush hour/school run traffic on Aberford Road
12	Road surface conditions	Road maintenance neglected					
13	Public rights of way	None within residential areas, or on main roads Pleasant country paths and bridleways. Bridleways need maintenance Signage	Planning	√	√		
14	Railway footbridge at Garforth Station	Not wheelchair accessible	Planning	√	√		
15	Improve cycle paths	Develop new short cycle paths eg from existing housing estates to Main Street	Planning	√	√		

Potential Projects

Road safety - traffic lights on Bar Lane and Charlie Sweeps corner

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Parking project – station, Main Street, residential permits

Pedestrian safety – key areas: safe crossing to library, Main Street/Wakefield Road and junction of Bar Lane and Wakefield Road. Consider roundabout at Town End.

Bridleways need maintenance and improved signage for public rights of way

Enforce speed restrictions

Report pot holes

Review existing bus services