

## **PETITION TO SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL**

**We the undersigned, petition the City Council on behalf of residents of WALTERS CLOSE, Eastwood, Leigh-on-Sea to take action to prevent the obstruction of the safe movement of traffic and pedestrians in our Close. This includes safe access by emergency services and large service vehicles, such as waste collection trucks. It is common to see these vehicles having to park at the Walter Close entrance and operatives having run down the Close.**

**It is also common to see these vehicles knock down telegraph poles and street lights in WALTERS CLOSE as the drivers cannot navigate properly due to the parked vehicles in the street.**

**Further, a safety issue is that a number of residents are having to walk on the highway as the footpaths are completely blocked in the Close by badly parked vehicles.**

**Please consider the following actions to improve safety of the residents and to protect the Council's property: -**

**Review and install double yellow line restrictions in the Close in the appropriate places;**

**Consider preventive physical measures to keep the pavements fully accessible;**

**Any other matters that may be commented on by Petitioners herein.**