

## Bacup Road, Waterfoot Limited waiting Monday to Saturday 8am-6pm

## **Statement of Reasons**

The Valley of Stone is an off-road route and open space for cyclists, pedestrians and horse riders, running from Rawtenstall down to Rochdale. Due to site constraints in this particular area a short 'shared-use' section is necessary for route continuation.

The proposals are required to widen the footways, allow shared use and prevent pavement parking, which would obstruct users of the route and compromise safety by increasing the risk of user collisions.