

Who we are

Harrogate Cycle Forum is a partnership between local councils, cycling groups and other interested parties working together to make Harrogate a better place for cyclists.

What we've been doing

The forum has drawn up plans to improve the cycle network in Harrogate. These plans have been developed by local cyclists, including Harrogate Cycle Action, to provide a community-led set of schemes.

The schemes highlighted in this leaflet have been identified as initial priorities. A longer list of schemes has been developed to ensure a robust long-term plan for cycling across the Harrogate district. When delivered, the schemes will fill the gaps in the existing infrastructure as well as making new links.

The forum is also undertaking other work to make sure we get a good deal for cycling from new residential developments and to promote cycling as a leisure activity and a mode of transport.

The council's role

Harrogate Borough Council provides the secretariat services for the forum which is chaired by the council's Cabinet Member for Sustainable Transport, Councillor Rebecca Burnett in her role as the Cycling and Walking Champion.

The council has allocated funding for congestion reduction measures in its budget for 2015/16. This will help to begin to deliver the priority schemes the forum has brought together.

The next steps

Having identified the key priorities for action in terms of new routes the next stage is to consult with those having an interest in the schemes.

Following this consultation we shall be developing a proposal to work with the government on their forthcoming Cycling Delivery Plan. If successful this should offer a vital opportunity to attract national funding to provide Harrogate and Knaresborough with much needed cycling infrastructure.

The success of the proposal depends on a suitable selection of routes and a strong plan of how to encourage cycling across Harrogate district. In order to help us understand what you think we've got right or if you have any suggestions for better schemes than we have shown please get in touch using the details below.

Contact the forum on:

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Priorities to deliver

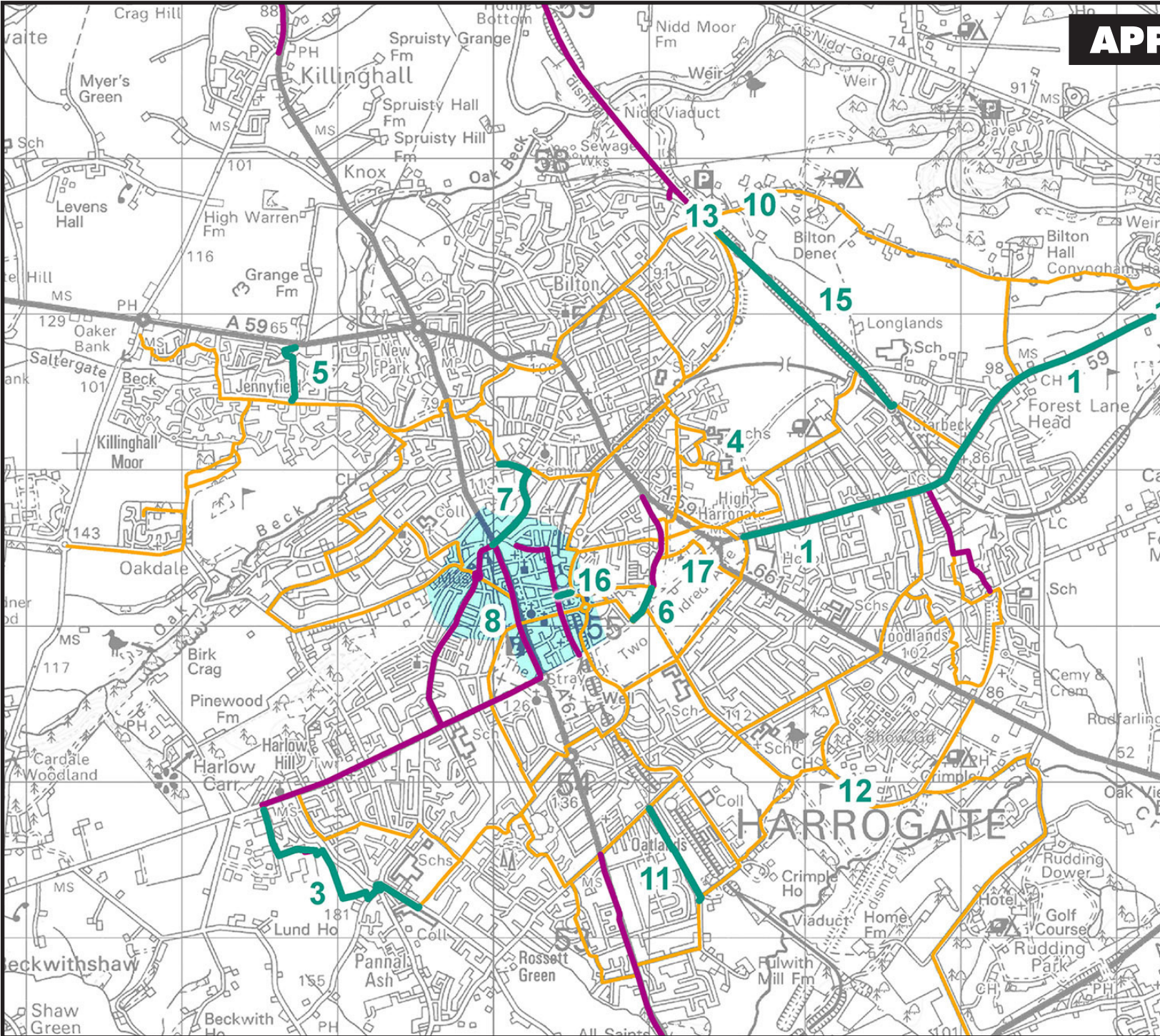


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APPROVED SCHEMES

- Priority routes
- Other existing cycle routes (*on and off-road*)
- Lower priority routes



- Major Schemes**
- 1 Harrogate Town Centre to Knaresborough Town Centre
- High Impact Schemes**
- 2 High Bridge to Knaresborough Town Centre
 - 3 Cardale Park to Green Lane Link
 - 4 Harrogate High School Improvements
 - 5 North of Jennyfield Link
 - 6 York Place Link
 - 7 Coppice Drive to Harrogate Town Centre
- Short term and Immediate Impact Schemes**
- 8 Harrogate Town Centre Signage, Parking and Storage Improvements
 - 9 20mph Zones outside all Schools (*not on plan*)
 - 10 Completion of Sealed Surface
 - 11 Hornbeam Park South Link and Crossing
 - 12 Showground Path Improvements
 - 13 Improved Greenway Crossing
 - 14 High Bridge Segregated Link
 - 15 Bilton to Starbeck Path Resurfacing
 - 16 Rail Station to Odeon Link
 - 17 Stray Cycle Paths to Claro Road