**TAMESIDE METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**PROPOSED APPROPRIATION OF A FORMER INFANT SCHOOL SITE (INCORPORATING PLAYING FIELD LAND)**

**Section 77 School Standards and Framework Act 1998**

Notice is hereby given that Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council (MBC) is intending on making an application to the Secretary of State for Education over the potential appropriation of land that previously formed the site of Flowery Fields Infant School in order to develop a home for children with disabilities. The submission of this application does not constitute a formal decision by the Council to appropriate any land at Flowery Fields.

To comply with Section 77 of the School Standards and Framework Act 1998, the Council must consult with various interested parties and members of the public over the potential appropriation.

The former Flowery Field Infant School site under consideration for appropriation is approximately 5,122m² and is situated off Old Road, Hyde SK14 4SQ (Edged red below).



A public consultation will be held at Hyde High School on 10 January 2023 between 3.30 PM and 6.30 PM.

Views and comments on the proposed appropriation of land at the former Flowery Fields Infant School site are invited in writing to:

Children & Families

Children’s Commissioning
Denton Centre

Acre Street

Denton

Tameside

M34 2BW

Email: childrenservicesconsultation@tameside.gov.uk

All comments and representations received before the closing date will be taken into account and reported to the Secretary of State as part of the ‘Section 77’ application process.

**This consultation will close at 5.00pm on Friday 10 February 2023.**

**FEEDBACK FORM**

Thank you for taking the time to feedback on Tameside Council’s proposal to bring back into use the land formerly utilised for Flowery Fields Infant School in order to establish a new home for children with disabilities.

Please utilise the questions below to respond:

Q1 – Do you think the proposal is positive? Yes / No

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| Please briefly explain the reason for your response above: |

Q2 – Do you object to the proposal? Yes / No

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| Please briefly explain your reason for objecting: |

Q3 – Please provide any other feedback you wish to be taken into account:

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