12. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

(c) MRS VIVIENNE MARKS, THORRINGTON STREET DAIRY

Mrs Marks addressed the Committee on behalf of business owners in the Thorrington Street area of Colombo Street to express their concern at the loss of car parking in this locality and the detrimental effects they considered this had on their business. She indicated that while they appreciated the safety issues involved in the changes made they considered that this area was still dangerous for pedestrians and they would like alterations made to provide for further on street parking.

The opportunity was taken to allow members of the Committee to ask questions of Mrs Marks and she indicated that she would like to see some 6-7 car parks available and that these could be on either side of the road.

The comments from Mrs Marks were considered in association with the petition presented by Councillor Howell and dealt with in conjunction with clause 20 of the agenda.

