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## Council

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## URGENT NOTICE OF MOTION – BUS STOP - ARROW VALLEY PARK

The following Urgent Notice of Motion has been received from Councillors Mould and Thomas:-

"The Overview and Scrutiny Committee has investigated the possibility of installing a bus stop to enable public transport access to the Arrow Valley Park at several recent meetings. It has come to our attention that there is a possibility that a bus stop could be installed which would facilitate access to the number 60 circular route.

Worcestershire County Council could apply for Kickstart Bus Funding to finance the installation of this bus stop. We feel that Redditch Borough Council should support Worcestershire County Council in this endeavour.

We understand that applications for Kickstart Bus Funding have to be submitted by the end of June. Unfortunately under these circumstances the normal process for reporting Overview and Scrutiny recommendations would not enable us to meet this deadline. For this reason we are bringing forward this proposal as an Urgent Notice of Motion.

On behalf of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, we urge the Council to support efforts by Worcestershire County Council to secure Kickstart Bus Funding to install a bus stop that will enable better public transport access to the Arrow Valley Park."

Proposed by Councillor P Mould

Seconded by Councillor D Thomas

The above Notice of Motion missed the notification period required under Standing Order 6. However, the item has been accepted by the Mayor as Urgent Business for this Council meeting, on the basis of its broad public interest and in view of a requirement for comments to be returned to the County Council by the end of the week commencing 22 June.