Application No:

**ELC GRIT BIN APPLICATION**

**Grit Bins**

Grit bins are provided for use by local residents at a limited number of locations that present particular snow and ice problems, such as steps, steep gradients etc. Please note that:

* Grit bins will only be provided on sites with difficult conditions
* Grit bins will only be located where they can be filled from a lorry
* Generally, Grit bins will not be provided to service a location where it is already on a primary gritting route
* Grit bins cannot be placed where they obstruct pedestrians
* Only written requests for bins will be considered. These must be supported by local residents and will be considered after a full assessment has been carried out
* Grit bins will be left in position in the summer months unless they are causing a public nuisance
* The grit is bin provided for use on the adopted road network only and are not for use on private roads or driveways. Any abuse of this condition can lead to them being removed
* A review of locations for grit bins is carried out each year, taking into account any additional

requests from local residents.

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| **Address and Location of Proposed Grit Bin:** | | | |
| **Applicant’s Checklist** | **YES** | **NO** | **Comments** |
| There is known to be a high number of vulnerable People in the neighbourhood. (Provide details in comments) Sheltered Housing , Pensioners Housing , schools etc |  |  |  |
| Steep Gradient |  |  |  |
| Multiple steps within 50 metres |  |  |  |
| Can the bin be filled from a lorry |  |  |  |
| The position of proposed bin will not obstruct passage of pedestrians. i.e. the bin can be sited off the main desire line or there is sufficient room to allow the passage of a double push buggy. |  |  |  |
| More than 200m from nearest grit Bin. |  |  |  |
| Any further comments to support your application. |  |  |  |

**Neighbour Notification**

The following neighbours have been consulted and have no objection to a grit bin being placed at this location.

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| Name | Address | Date | Agreement Y/N | Signed |
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This application is submitted by

Name ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

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Contact No. ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

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Signed ……………………………………………………………… Date ……………………………………...

The applicants’ checklist will be assessed by a Roads Officer and unsuccessful applicants will be informed in writing.

**Please return the completed form to:**

[**roadservices@eastlothian.gov.uk**](mailto:roadservices@eastlothian.gov.uk)

**Alternatively, please post to:**

**East Lothian Council**

**Road Services**

**Penston House**

**Macmerry**

**EH33 1EX**