

Installation of two replacement and one new CCTV cameras at Marlborough Town Hall

Design and Access Statement

Marlborough Town Hall was constructed in 1902 in a combination of Flemish and English Arts and Crafts styles. It occupies a prominent position at the east end of the High Street, on the site of an earlier Town Hall. It is an iconic building of great significance in the town built with a level of quality and detail to embody civic pride as well as to provide space for the Town Council, town events and originally the Magistrates' Court.

CCTV cameras were installed in 2015 in five locations in Marlborough High Street including two on the Town Hall.

Marlborough Town Council is now seeking to replace these existing CCTV cameras in the High Street for the following reasons:

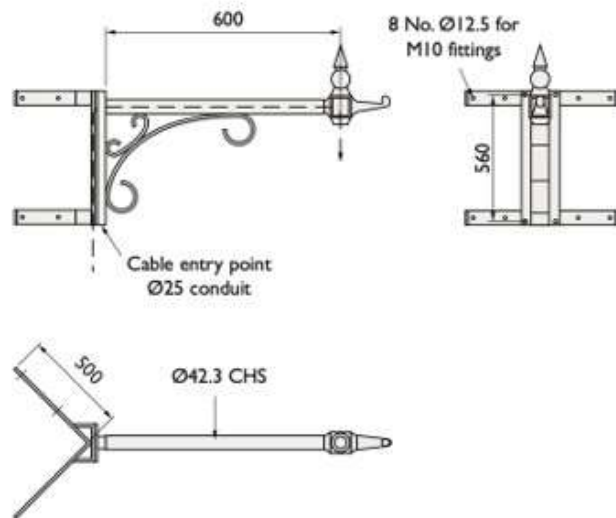
1. To improve visibility and reduce blind spots
2. To better monitor and deter criminal activity.
3. To capture vehicular incidents with increased traffic.
4. To support the economic vitality in Marlborough by helping to keep the public safe.

On the Town Hall cameras will be fitted as follows:

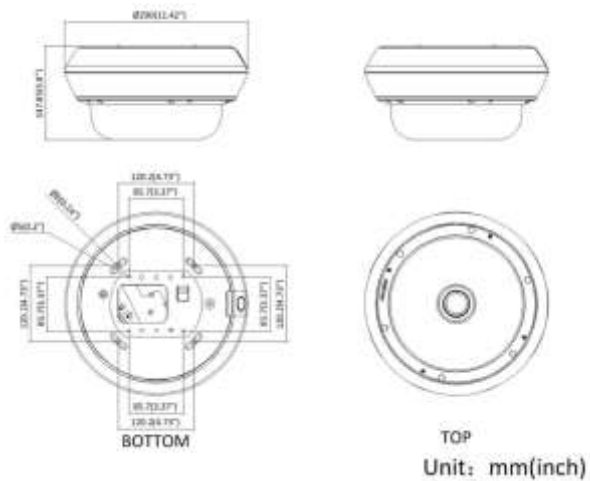
1. A replacement 5-way multiview camera on the southern corner very close to the existing position under the protruding brick string course at first floor level.
2. A replacement 5-way multiview camera on the northern corner (facing Kingsbury Street) with the position relocated from just under the roof overhang to a position under the protruding brick string course at first floor level.
3. A new 2-way Tandemvu camera on the western corner fitted as above under the protruding brick string course at first floor level.

To provide optimum coverage and reduce blind spots the new cameras would be mounted on sympathetically designed black corner brackets projecting approx. 600mm from the building faces of similar design to the existing brackets on the town hall holding streetlights. The design of these brackets is shown below. Brackets would be fixed into mortar joints in the brickwork where possible and would hide all cabling.

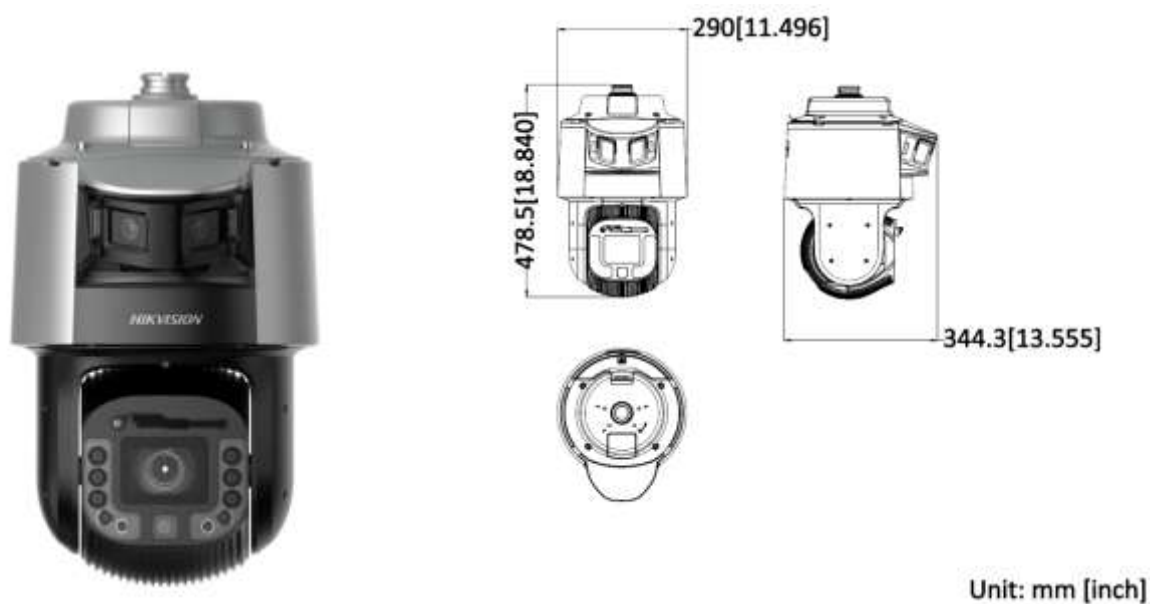
Ornate corner mounting bracket



The 5-way multiview directional cameras for locations 1 & 2 would look as shown below:



The 2-way Tandemvu Camera for location 3 would look as shown below:



The high level of these camera positions means that they would not be visually distracting.

Access would not be affected by these proposals.

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