

Notes of Highways and Sustainable Transport Group Advisory Group

6TH March 2023

Attendees

Caroline Underwood **CU**, Terry Hayward **TFH**, Amy Burbidge **AB**, Catherine Grigg **CG**, Gerald Sansom **GS**.

Apologies: None received

Actions from last meeting

CU reported on the Buckden sign at the Old Flour Mill end of the village raised by **PC** and has been informed by **CCC** that a business case is required, **CU** to ask **PC** for assistance on this and **CU** will then submit the case on completion.

TFH reported that he had since the last meeting walked the length of Mill Road to view the reported Hedge growing over issues, and said in his opinion found everything satisfactory.

Speed Watch

CG reported that four speed watch sessions have taken place (Perry Road two, Church Street one and Lucks Lane one) and in general there has been positive feedback from residents who we came across. Reporting the data has been carried out by **MF** and her husband **MF**. Other sessions in Church Street 10th March and Lucks Lane 24th March have already been organised (Weather permitting). But huge thanks to **CG** for her sterling efforts in putting this all together, and looking forward to April other sessions will be arranged as **SA** has managed to get locations agreed with the traffic police and **SA** has been looking into the introduction of speed watch signs being erected, which will be discussed at the **full BPC** meetings.

MVAS units on Perry road data has still been an issue and the contractor looking after all the **MVAS** units is going to make contact with the supplier to try to resolve these two units data downloads.

CU reports of bad parking and will look into wording to something being placed in the Roundabout via **AHJ**.

PFHI Bids

Yellow lines around the Hunts end that have been expected has hit some issue around changes that have occurred within **CCC** and **CU** has been trying to resolve this as appears to have been lost in their system and we have been advised that residents will have to be notified again in this process, **AB** feels sure that a deposit was paid for this work and will check as will **GS** discuss with **SA** on this deposit information that **SA** holds within Finance. After a

discussion on the map supplied by **CCC** contact, it was agreed and the copy of the paper map we had was marked for **CU** to resume communications with the **CCC** contact on this matter.

Operational Plan Preparation

CU to complete the **HASTAG** sections of **OPP** and circulate to the group for assistance of **AB** in particular.

Achieved: It was agreed that a great deal has been achieved and a great deal more is on Track.

Priorities: 2023/24 Continuation, of making contact with **HDC** and **CCC** in regards to pavement issues and access points/paths for those who are disabled and dropped kerbs at crossing points for everyone using footpaths. With support from **MH D-Clr**

Speed watch continued support from the **BPC/HASTAG** to promote further village road safety, (TJH- village safety paramount) the group will continue to try and engage more volunteers. Also look into permanent speed watch area signage around the village at points to be decided along with the number of signs required with other locations and purchase of further **MAVAS** units **SA, CG, and GS**.

Cycleway/s

AB to contact **CP** reference the issue of cycling safety along the route cycleway from Buckden to Brampton and onto Hinchinbrooke School and return journeys too.

CU to follow up about a meeting with Clare Rankin **CR**

Mill Road

TJH. Will continue to monitor the hedges along this route and report back at the next meeting.

National Highways update

Meeting that was planned for today **6th March** has been postponed until the **20th March 2023** which **CU** and **AHJ** will be attending.

GS to email **NH AT** about A1 footpath/hedge as the company (AIS) who were going to install a fence near the A1 close to the allotments near the UK Power Networks pole and unit and were advised by NH not to reinstate the hedge?

Next Priorities

CU wanted to thank **TFH** in regards to the **Police Commissioners** meeting

Date of next meeting: 15th May 2023 7pm

