

Whiteley Parish Council

Highways and Transport Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the above Committee held at Meadowside Leisure Centre, Whiteley on Wednesday 19th September 2012 at 9.40pm.

Parish Council Committee members present: Roland Diffey (Chairman), Colin Bielckus (Vice-Chairman), Hazel Croft-Phillips, David Jenkins, Mike Evans, Pat Thew.

Parish Clerk Nicki Oliver

1. **To receive apologies for absence** Sheena King.
2. **To receive declarations of interest regarding agenda items** None.
3. **To adjourn meeting to allow participation by members of the public** Not required.
4. **Meeting resumed to consider the following agenda items**

4.1 To receive update on the yellow line review regarding the parking issues in Parkway and elsewhere. **WCC has advised that consultation is taking place with the Police and County Councillor in October/November. The consultation involves Leafy Lane, Marjoram Way and Parkway. Concerns were raised that this was contrary to the Parish Council's strategy in respect of Leafy Lane where consultation with residents is a key requirement when determining a proposed scheme.**

4.2 To receive update on the campaign to pursue provision of an emergency route out of Whiteley (for the Winchester side of Whiteley) should Whiteley Way be blocked between the north entrance to Parkway and the R2 roundabout. **No further news however Cllr Evans has been given a contact for the Emergency Officer at HCC and advised by WCC to contact him regarding this issue.**

4.3 To progress campaign for improvements to Leafy Lane to reduce use by business park traffic. Proposal to campaign for single yellow lines with timed weekday parking restrictions subject to local consultation. **See 4.1 above.**

4.4 To receive update on requests to HCC/Police Road Safety Unit including maintenance requests **All recent requests have been completed.**

5. **To identify any unmanaged risks within this committee's remit** None.
6. **Review effectiveness of communication, development of links with other community organisations and support for local democracy through making information more widely available** An update on the Yew Tree Drive campaign has been included in the October edition of the Whiteley Voice.

7. Recent correspondence / reports from meetings of relevance to this committee

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Cllr Diffey has begun a conversation with Chris Lait and Stephen Gee at HCC regarding the potential for additional traffic calming in Yew Tree Drive should it be opened to all traffic. Cllr Diffey has also asked when the anti-skid paint will be replaced following resurfacing work in Yew Tree Drive, he has been advised the macadam needs to cure before it can be applied.

Meeting closed 10pm