

# Whiteley Town Council

## Highways and Transport Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the above Committee held in the Council Rooms at Meadowside Leisure Centre, Whiteley on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2014 at 9pm.

**Committee members present** Malcolm Butler (Chairman), Chris Wye (Vice-Chairman), Colin Bielckus, John Butter, Mike Evans, David Jenkins, Tasmin Smith, Pat Thew.

Five members of the public, Town Clerk Nicki Oliver.

1. **To elect a Chairman for the ensuing year** Malcolm Butler elected.
2. **To elect a Vice-Chairman** Chris Wye elected.
3. **To receive apologies for absence** Hazel Croft-Phillips, Chris Harper.
4. **To receive declarations of interest regarding agenda items** None.
5. **To adjourn meeting to allow participation by members of the public**  
Resident Keith Slack asked about action being taken to deal with dangerous parking in Marjoram Way. **The Chairman advised Winchester City Council is waiting until the north shopping centre car park is open again in June before reviewing further. The yellow lines extension in Parkway has also been postponed until the car park is open again. The Police have indicated they are willing to put letters on cars parking inconsiderately.**
6. **Meeting resumed to consider the following agenda items**

6.1 To review the Council's adopted Highways Strategy Paper November 2010 (Chairman) **The ongoing review now needs to include the information provided at the North Whiteley design code workshop.**

6.2 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 (Chairman) **Feasibility study for the opening of Marjoram Way still awaited from HCC.**

6.3 To receive update on requests to HCC/Police Road Safety Unit including maintenance requests - please forward requests to Clerk **prior to meeting**.

6.3.1 Update on proposals for yellow lines in Parkway, alterations and extension of white lines in Marjoram Way, parking issues in Marjoram/Bluebell Way **See item 5 above.**

7. **To identify any unmanaged risks within this committee's remit** None.
8. **Review effectiveness of communication, development of links with other community organisations and support for local democracy through making information more widely available** Continue to monitor.

- 9. Recent correspondence / reports from meetings of relevance to this committee** Proposals for signage and bollards in Leafy Lane to direct pedestrians to Cornerstone CE Primary School were discussed. Concerns raised that there was inefficient warning signage for vehicles travelling into Whiteley from Whiteley Lane. It was noted that planning approval for an access to the school from Gibson Close was a condition of the original planning application. Issues to be raised at the next meeting with Cornerstone.

Meeting closed 9.30pm