

Whiteley Town Council

Highways and Transport Committee

Minutes of a meeting of the above Committee in the Council Rooms at Meadowside Leisure Centre, Whiteley on Wednesday 17th June 2015 at 7.30pm.

Committee members present: Malcolm Butler (Chairman), Colin Bielckus, Mike Evans, Brenda Hatch, David Jenkins.

Five members of the public, Town Clerk Nicki Oliver.

- 1. To receive apologies for absence** Vivian Achwal, Hazel Croft-Phillips (approved absence), Martin Neal, Tasmin Smith (approved absence).
- 2. To receive declarations of interest regarding agenda items** None.
- 3. To adjourn meeting to allow participation by members of the public** A resident of Mollison Rise raised concerns about business park employees parking dangerously and also parking on yellow lines in Leafy Lane.
Chairman to liaise with the resident and review.
- 4. Meeting resumed to consider the following agenda items**

4.1 To review the Council's adopted Highways Strategy Paper **Ongoing. Cllr Hatch asked for a copy of the paper.**

4.2 To review parking issues in Whiteley **Parking is being reviewed across Whiteley in partnership with Winchester City Council and Hampshire County Council.**

4.3 To review public and community transport issues in Whiteley
Request from a resident for shuttle bus to Locks Heath
Ongoing request from a resident for improved bus services
An update will be provided after the next Whiteley Shopping Travel and Transport meeting on 30th June.

4.4 To receive update on requests to HCC/Police Road Safety Unit including maintenance requests.

Request from resident of Lady Bettys Drive for help securing road repairs
HCC has indicated that as the road is privately owned it is not a priority.

- 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** Continue to monitor.
- 7. Recent correspondence / reports from meetings of relevance to this committee**

Resident of Mollison Rise has contacted Cllr Evans about parking issues. Clerk has had informal correspondence with Highways England indicating the work to add extra lanes to the J9 slipways has been delayed until next year. Cllr Jenkins has liaised with HCC about recent traffic signal failures at J9 which has caused significant congestion. There needs to be an adjustment to the default phasing to take account of more recent changes in traffic flows.

Meeting closed 8.06pm.