

**Minutes of Meeting of the Highways Committee
Held in the Village Hall, Lambs Lane, Cottenham
On Tuesday 12th April 2016 at 7.30pm**

Present: Cllrs McCarthy (Chair), Hodson, Morris, Nicholas, Ward, SCDCllr Wotherspoon, Assistant Clerk (Sam McManners)

In attendance: 1 member of public

- 16H/016. Any Questions from the Public or Press** – Standing Orders suspended 7.31pm – Resident outlined problems caused by speeding vehicles – 5 cars have hit her house/garden , 3 of which have been in the last 8 months. Cllr Young arrived at 7.32pm. The house is located at the junction with Twentypence Road/Smithy Fen. Resident would like some signs and/or road markings to make bend more visible and speed humps to slow traffic. All collisions have been during darkness, despite there being a streetlight outside the property (which was taken down by the car during the last accident). Upon exiting the village, the road appears to be straight. There is a chevron sign before the bend but this single sign obviously isn't proving sufficient for some drivers. Resident was advised to contact Derek Crosby (Traffic Manager, Cambs Police) for advice on possible solutions. Standing Orders re-instated 7.47pm.
- 16H/017. Chairman's Introduction and Apologies** – No apologies received.
- 16H/018. Declarations of Interest** - None received.
- 16H/019. Minutes** - To resolve that the minutes of the Committee meeting held on 8th December 2015 be signed as a correct record – 16H/005; 'park' amended to 'load/unload', 16H/007; 'access' amended to 'loading',
RESOLVED
- 16H/020. Update on Remembrance Sunday** – Cllr McCarthy outlined report circulated prior to meeting, no further comments
- 16H/021. Update on appointment of ITC including traffic implications of proposed major developments** – Cllr Morris outlined report circulated prior to meeting. Awaiting results of traffic count carried out today.
- 16H/022. Update on all outstanding TRO applications received** - report circulated prior to meeting, no further comments.
- 16H/023. Update on pavement improvement project with CCC** - Cllr Morris outlined report circulated prior to meeting –Cllr Morris to arrange further meeting with project manager. Cllr Morris left the room at 8.10pm, returned at 8.11pm.
- 16H/024. Consider Highways issues and options in the Neighbourhood Plan work** - Cllr Morris outlined report circulated prior to meeting. Posters were circulated to Cllrs illustrating possible options. Traffic and housing issues being the main topics. SCDCllr Wotherspoon outlined the main points of study currently underway at SCDC, main focus on A10 north, A428 dualling (Black Cat to Caxton Gibbet), A428/A421
- 16H/025. Matters for consideration at the next meeting** – update on appointment of ITC including traffic implications of proposed major developments.
- 16H/026. Date of next meeting** – 12th April 2016
- 16H/027. Close of meeting** -9.40pm

Signed _____ (Chair) Date _____