



# Stroud Parish Council

## Minutes of a meeting of the Highways and Road Safety Committee held at Langrish School Hall on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> of July 2016 at 7.40pm.

**Present:** Cllr A Burges, Cllr C Foulston, Cllr D Paul, Mrs A Snow and Mr A Llewellyn

**Also Present:** Mrs E Foulston (Clerk & RFO)

**HC1.01.16 Apologies for Absence:** None

**HC2.01.16 Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests:** None

**HC3.01.16 Comments from the Public or Press:** None

**HC4.01.16 To Receive and Approve the Minutes of the Meeting on the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 2016:** Minutes of the Meeting held on the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 2016 previously circulated were agreed and signed.

**HC5.01.16 Update on the Works to be Completed by Hampshire County Council:** Cllr Burges confirmed that Mr Ian Janes from Hampshire County Council had recently contacted him to say that the proposed A272 scheme had been finalised and should be implemented in July/August. The final scheme includes changes to signage and lines on the road but, due to concerns raised by the safety audit team, not the additional coloured surfacing suggested. Mr Janes also confirmed that there may be scope in the future to replace the signs at the entry points to the village and he will keep the Parish Council updated about this. **It was resolved** to query whether speed camera signs would be possible and to meet following completion of the current works to agree what the next steps should be.

**HC6.01.16 To Discuss Signage in North Stroud Lane:** East Hants District Council have agreed to add a 'No Footpath' sign part way along North Stroud Lane but following discussion **it was resolved** to contact EHDC again to say that this was not the improvement that local residents wanted and to ask whether any other changes to try and slow traffic down were possible.

**HC7.01.16 To Discuss Costings for a Speed Sign** Cllr Burges and Cllr Foulston have put together costings for a flashing speed sign in the village and after discussion **it was resolved** that this idea was strongly supported by the sub committee and the recommendation would be submitted to full Council. **It was resolved** to also contact neighbouring parishes to see if they would be interested in sharing costs and equipment or, if the parish already has a speed sign, to request confirmation of how they manage this.

**HC8.01.16 Update on Correspondence received from the Police Commissioner**

Cllr Foulston has written to the new Police Commissioner to request further mobile speed cameras in the village on a more regular basis and also whether anything can be done regarding the noise pollution from motorbikes. As yet a response hadn't been received so **it was resolved** that Cllr Foulston would chase this up and also request a decibel reader if possible. Mr Llewellyn confirmed that he had spoken to MP Damian Hinds regarding the noise issue but it was currently difficult to enforce restrictions on illegal exhaust systems.

**HC9.01.16 Future Agenda Items:**

- Wheelie bin stickers
- School Travel Plan
- Query on how many speeding fines have been issued recently

**HC09.01.16 To Decide the Date of the Next Meeting:**

It was proposed that the next meeting should take place when the current road improvements had been completed during August.

Meeting Ended: 8.15pm

Signed

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk – E Foulston