

STAPLEHURST PARISH COUNCIL

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| Committee, Group or Sub Group | |
| Road Safety Group | |
| Meeting Date & Venue | |
| 30 th July 2020 at 7pm via Zoom | |
| Report Author | |
| Malcolm Buller Chairman | |
| Report | |
| <p>Present were Councillors Joan Buller JB, Sue Forward SF Adele Sharp AS and Colin Bowden CD with Speed Watch Rep Malcolm Buller MB and Clerk Nicola Ideson NI. There were no apologies.</p> <p>Election of Chairman as per Terms of Reference (TofR) 5a. No-one stepped forward. MB continued for this meeting only.</p> <p>The report of 21st May was accepted and all items would be covered via the agenda.</p> <p>SPC Highways Improvement Plan (HIP) priorities: -</p> <p>3 Church Hill Gateway works – NI to ask Jenni Watson for an update as residents have spotted activity</p> <p>5 20mph pilot scheme Covid shut down AS suggested residents’ signs in their gardens would be a good reminder</p> <p>6 Gybbon Rise parking issues Covid shut down</p> <p>8a Narrow paths, Station Road near the traffic lights No realistic chance of government money</p> <p>9 Marden Road roundabout no news</p> <p>Staff were thanked that PC Website now includes the HIP</p> <p>Speed watch has one active site and SF and Robert thanked for deploying six times. 11 motorists have been sent police letters, one being hand-delivered.</p> <p>The Sainsburys’ response seemed disappointing and was pushing it towards KCC. It was suggested that they be contacted directly to put forward our points. Also, the Marden Road crossing did not show detail of what pedestrian controls there should be.</p> <p>CB was concerned about the overgrown hedges. Our scheme had not been implemented over winter due to health issues. MB to forward copies to NI and AS.</p> <p>SB mentioned that other residents might be invited to join the group. <i>(Please note TofR 4a)</i></p> <p>MB reminded members of the PC accident/incident reporting scheme which was under-used. NI to explore if address could be better advertised on PC Website.</p> <p>AS volunteered to take the Chair.</p> <p>The session ended at 7:55pm.</p> | |
| Date & Venue of next meeting | |
| 27 th August 2020 | |