

Highways Report : PC Meeting 19th Feb 2020

- **Lining changes 2019, PRO 542** – the proposals went to the CCC delegated decision panel on 28.01.20. Changes in Red Hill Lane, Cherry Trees, The Hectare, Church St, Woollards Lane, Spinney Drive and Poplar Close were approved.
Changes in Leeway Ave, Chaston Rd and Hinton Way were not approved. Additional information has been sent to CCC including documents of support from affected properties (organised with the help of two local residents), CCC have agreed to a further review and the Panel is meeting again on 18th Feb.
- **Bus Route 7A rerouting – No progress with the bus operator and CCC** : the bus can now stop at Stagecoach bus-stops, we are currently working with CCC and the bus operator to see if the bus can stop /pickup at Waitrose.
- **Station Rd Crossing Idling Signs** – approval for a largish light standard sign in Station Rd has been received, we need to progress. **Councillor Townsend to update**
- **Heritage Direction Sign junction Woollards / High St** – investigating possible supplier
- **Stapleford – Sawston Cycleway** – work to remove the hedge adjacent to Bridge Cottage and replace with a fence to improve cycle safety is scheduled to start w/c 17.2.20. This has taken CCC over 12mths to implement.
- **High Green Layby** – this is now resurfaced, it has taken 2yrs for CCC to complete, unfortunately the lining is now incorrect, it should be hatched. Awaiting action from CCC
- **SCDC works** – are investigating some ‘cutting back’ on growth around a tree on the DeFreville cut through, another diseased tree has been removed although the clearing up of the site is poor and Councillor Fane (SCDC) has been advised. **No progress from Councillor Fane.**
- **Local Highways Officer, John Obrien** : dealing with the following issues
 - JOB is discussing the issue of the ‘wearing away’ of lines after 6mths, looking at a refresh in the next financial year.
 - General poor state of Woollards Lane (lining / potholes). JOB will progress
 - Gully cleaning – PC asked for 5 gullies to be cleaned around Station Rd and Hinton Way, initially this was given the okay but then CCC overspent on gully cleaning so won’t be done until new financial year (other avenues being progressed to get the work done)
 - Ashen Green pavement at High St junction – JOB will investigate a repair : now waiting for new financial year.
 - Tesco railings – JOB has investigated and sees no objection to the PC funding some. Railings would need to be 450mm from the carriageway. BA to ask for a costing? JO advises that CCC will not approve. BA awaiting Projects to contact him to discuss.
 - Cambridge Road Railway Bridge – investigating if overhanging growth over footpath can be removed. Have asked SCDC to clear the footpath of soil creep (restricts footpath width), awaiting response from SCDC
 - 167 Cambridge Rd : footpath floods, previous works unsuccessful : waiting finance
- **Local Highways Initiative 2020-2021** – Councillor Townsend attended Panel meeting on 3rd Feb, we await the outcome of our request for finance for speed bumps in the High Street and Church St.
- **Local Highways Initiative 2021-2020** – looking for input from other Councillors on any ideas.