

**IVER PARISH COUNCIL
HIGHWAYS & PARTNERSHIPS COMMITTEE**

A Meeting of the Highways & Partnerships Committee was held on Wednesday 31st March 2010 commencing at 8.00 pm at the Committee Room, Parish Council office, 63 Chequers Orchard

MINUTES

Present: - Mrs Vigor-Hedderly (chaired the meeting), Mrs Lidgate, Mrs Leech, Mr Wilson, Mrs Gibson, Mrs Roberts, Mr Oxley arrived 8.35

Absent: Mr Adlam, Mrs Watkins

In Attendance: - Mrs A Fisher (Clerk to the Committee).

- 68 **Resolved to receive apologies for absence** from Mr Adlam, Mrs Watkins.
- 69 **Disclosure of interest in items on the agenda** – there were none.
- 70 **Resolved to sign the Minutes of the Highways and Partnership meeting** held on 11th November 2009 (previously circulated).
- 71 **Goods Vehicle Operator Licences** – the following were noted **(a)** – Mr R Earle trading as Extreme Locations Rigging Ltd requesting a licence for one goods vehicles to use Pinewood Film Studios, Pinewood Road, Iver Heath, SL0 0NH as an operating centre. **(b)** – C & D Rigging Equipment Ltd requesting a licence for two goods vehicles to use Pinewood Film Studios, Pinewood Road, Iver Heath, SL0 0NH as an operating centre.
- 72 **Total number of vehicles licensed at Thorney Business Park and Thorney Business Park-** Core strategy consultation date is 12th May 2010 and policy to reduce HGV's in Iver. Resolved to organise a meeting at the Parish Council offices with Matthew Hardie of Development Control from BCC and District with Mrs Gibson.
- 73 **Temporary footpath closure** – noted.
- 74 **Hollow Hill Lane, Iver, proposed prohibition of motor vehicles** – one resident wanted this to be kept open. The golf club owner is willing to contribute towards the cost of the bund.
- 75 **Street lighting columns knocked down** – Resolved to take the cost of repair out of the improvements budget to replace PC10 Thornbridge Road, Iver Heath and PC12 Syke Cluan, Richings Park.
- 76 **Petition received from resident for a pedestrian crossing in Thorney Lane North, Iver (close to the Fox & Pheasant public house)** – to be presented at Full Council by Mrs Vigor Hedderly on 12th April 2010.
- 77 **Request for double yellow lines** – a request has been made to Chris Schwier for double yellow lines outside the main entrance of the Iver Junior School as this is their emergency vehicle entrance which is frequently blocked. A request has been made to Sergeant George Clayton for the PCSO's to ticket the vehicles outside the infant and junior school which are illegally parked. Mrs Gill has been advised of our actions.
- 78 **Wood Lane (Crooked Billet end) dips in road** – a request has been made to Chris Schwier to measure the gaps in the subsidence.
- 79 **Letter from resident of Iver Lane re speeding, lighting and the state of footpaths** – Mrs Vigor Hedderly advised there will be slurry programmed for pavement repairs this year. Nick Fisher (Devolved Highways) will trial a west bound carriageway site in Iver Lane in the coming week. He has ascertained with Mr Tilbury the exact location of the west bound bus stop mentioned in his letter. *Alan Oxley arrived at 8.35.*
- 80 **Update from Zoe Ford on pot hole repairs** – noted.
- 81 **Speed Limit Review** – noted.
- 82 **Trial of new street lighting technology in Aylesbury** – requested a trial in Iver from Mr K Allen.
- 83 **Survey of Parish Street Lighting for the next ten years** – a formal quote requested from Mr K Allen asking what the report would cover.

- 84 **Highways Report from Nick Fisher** – Follow up with Edge to ensure the TSID download problems have been resolved. Nick Fisher to liaise with Hannah Melisi, Placement Officer for Thames Valley Probation to progress the opportunity to utilise a team of 10 adult community service probationers to assist in larger Highways works.
- 85 **Budget report** – a further invoice has been raised for 1st January to 31st March 2010 for £3,458.00.
- 86 **Chairman's Report**– a) Heath Lodge water leak is from sewerage, a second formal visit will be made by the environmental agency. b) Langley Park tea room to be opened at the end of April, the contractors have agreed to contribute to reinstatement of ditches. c) CAPP meeting sweep road check to Richings Park. d) Alan Oxley wanted to nominate someone for meeting, not actioned. e) Flooding at Willow Tree Farm at Love Green junction with Swallow Street. Corrine Waldren the RoW officer has been liaising with the landowner to resolve this issue. f) Mrs Pat Roberts reported parking on the verges of Swallowdale, Swallow Street, Whitehouse Way, resolved to instruct Nick Fisher to investigate placing substantial posts in the verges to prevent parking. G) Chris Schwier has been asked for a progress report on the Delegated Budget for 2010/2011. g) Mr Oxley advised he would like to respond to the Winter Maintenance question form BCC.

Next Meeting date 9th June 2010

Meeting closed at 9.19 pm

CHAIRMAN