



Gerrards Cross Parish Council

South Lodge East Common, Gerrards Cross, SL9 7AD
Clerk Mrs D C Hepburn Park 01753 888018

Minutes of the Highways Committee

Meeting held 8.00 pm on Monday 4th January 2010 at South Lodge

Present: Mr C Brown (Chairman), Mr I Gordon, Mr N Moss,
Mrs L Campkin and Mrs A Mitton (Assistant Clerk)

1 Apologies for absence – Mr D Peters Action

2 Actions were reviewed from the meeting on the 7th December 2009.

3 Lighting

Two lamp posts have been damaged, probably by vehicles skidding on ice in recent bad weather - corner of Marsham Way/Fulmer Way and Col 251 in Oak End Way. Clerk has asked SEC to inspect and quote for repair or replacement.

4 Highways

CB reported on his meeting with Chris Schwier of BCC Highways on 1st December 2009.

It was agreed that it was important to keep residents advised of proposed works to Packhorse Road for Tesco road realignment and installation of new services. These will involve lane closures and temporary traffic lights which will cause major disruption. As soon as we have more details these should be made available for residents.

DCHP

It was also agreed to pursue quotes for installation of bollards to prevent pavement parking on Packhorse Road from Wildwood to Fishers.

CB has updated the 'Top 10' list of priority issues for BCC Highways. This was agreed.

Community Gang

A list of tasks is to be sent to BCC for the Community Gang visit at the end of January.

DCHP

Gritting

It was agreed that the lack of gritting of the pavements in the centre of Gerrards Cross during the recent snow was not acceptable. Clerk to write to Traders Association to ask if additional grit bins were installed would traders use them during future bad weather?

DCHP

Clerk to ask BCC Highways to replenish existing grit bins.

DCHP

One of the concrete bollards at Gaviots Green has been knocked down. Clerk to arrange replacement.

DCHP

5 Finance

None

6 Correspondence

Letter from SBDC about changes to Car Park charges. Still no free Sunday parking. Clerk to try and obtain statistics for how much revenue is raised on Sundays, particularly in Packhorse Road car park. Water still running down lower part of Mill Lane caused by a natural spring. This has caused much damage to the road and extremely icy conditions in the recent cold weather. Mr Alex McMaster and Mr Alan Moore visited the Parish Office and gave details of complaints to BCC. Parish Council to check with BCC to see what works are planned to remedy the situation.

DCHP

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Date of next meeting 8.00pm Monday 1st February 2010,

The meeting closed at 8.50pm

Signed:

Date 18th January 2010