



HIGHWAYS & FOOTPATHS WORKING GROUP
Report to Parish Council 07 July 2020
Lead Cllrs: L Bennett, J Clark, C Hainsworth (Co-ordinator),

Last report to Council: 02 June 2020

1. COMMUNITY SPEEDWATCH (CSW)

Roadside Checks

No further updates from LRSP at the time of writing this report.
A request has been submitted regarding training for volunteers and when this can be resumed to expand the number of volunteers.

Vehicle Activated Sign (VAS)

This is still located at Stainby and is continuing to be maintained by a volunteer.

“White Gates” Project

Council Projects have been suspended during emergency measures and will be resumed as soon as possible.
The actions were agreed at full Council meeting on 03 March 2020
Nothing further to report

ACTION (Cllrs Hainsworth/Bouvie)

- **Costings and potential funding streams to be investigated further to report back to Council**
- **Contact SKDC regarding their position to support Councils**
- **Consider with Clerk community consultation via In Touch/Noticeboards/Survey**

2. FOOTPATHS

Nothing of note
All routine issues relating to footpaths are dealt with by the Clerk and reported to Council in Clerks Report/Correspondence

3. PRIORITIES for LCC

Whilst the current emergency restrictions are in place the priorities continue to be monitored.
Cllr Adams continues to raise issues with LCC

	Priority	Current Situation and updates
1	High Street Traffic Calming Details of proposals received for traffic calming on the High Street (particularly at Houghton Lane due to the narrowing of the road and children crossing) have been shared with LCC.	Unlikely that this will be supported due to costs and no evidence of accidents/incidents that would give concern. LCC are still not currently processing traffic calming scheme requests and this would require further investigation by them Update: Concerns have been raised by residents about the potential adverse impact on the High Street when the new proposed venture at the Old Co-op opens.
2	Bridge End: New issues have arisen with the move of the Co-op; (e.g. parking on verges, lack of pavement, risks of flooding, access issues – particularly for people with poor mobility).	This is an area for further investigation A request has been submitted to Cllr Adams for an on-site meeting with LCC Officer Rowan Smith A list of issues will be maintained to provide to LCC
5	A1: The Parish Council has consistently raised concerns about the safety of the	The A1 does not fall within the remit of LCC; Highways England are still developing their improvement plan which will eventually be presented for consultation.



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A1 and this is reported at monthly meetings as the closures and congestion impacts directly on our Parish	There are no timescales available.
7 Flooding/Drainage/Soakaways: There has become a noticeable deterioration in drainage of surface water, particularly on the B676 (from crossroads to A1)	Continue to monitor and report issues to LCC through standard processes (Fixmystreet) No problems have been reported due to the dry weather

4. ISSUES LOG – Traffic and road safety

Nothing of note reported

5. NORTH WITHAM

Ford Footbridge

The footbridge repair/maintenance work originally planned for 6th July 2020 has been put back
Notification has been received that the period of restrictions now will be 27 July 2020 to 17 August 2020
The road closure details have been publicised and there are no variations to those published that we have been made aware of.

6. A1 ISSUES

6.1. Incidents impacting on our area (accidents, delays, tailbacks/diversions) on A1

(Source: <https://www.newsnow.co.uk/h/UK/Travel+&+Transport/Road/A1>)

There have been no reported incidents of note in the immediate area

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