

## NOTES OF MEETING WITH GLOS COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT ON 20<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2021

### Old Road/School Lane/New Road

#### Points discussed

Parking near junctions obscuring visibility

Problems crossing road to bus stop due to speed of vehicles coming (travelling South) round the blind bend past war memorial.

A crossing island is not feasible due to width of road and proximity to the junctions (Sunset Lane and Southam Lane.

#### Actions

Highways to consult Integrated Transport Unit re usage of bus stops

Community Speedwatch team to monitor traffic along Old Road for 1 week to ascertain traffic speed and volume

#### For consideration and further discussion

Possibility to paint bus stop lines on tarmac

Consider replacing verge area on corner of Sunset Lane

Bend sign might be considered by war memorial

### New Road

#### Points discussed

Speed of traffic

Difficulty of crossing to rural footpath

Exiting from households

Narrow footway and overgrown hedgerows

#### For consideration and further discussion

Possibility of additional repeater 30mph signs

### Southam Lane

#### Points discussed

Speed of traffic and usage by heavy vehicles

Difficulty in crossing near bend

Difficulty in exiting driveways near bend

Signage

Gateway arrangements at entrances to village

#### Actions

Highways to fix angle of 50-30mph signs at junction with B4632

Clerk to search archives for details and costs of existing gateways.

#### For consideration and further discussion

Possibility of enhancing gateway arrangements

### Other matters discussed

Query re unauthorised parking on unadopted road – Ratcliff Lawns.

Haymes Drive- difficulty in exiting onto B4632. Speed of traffic and overgrown foliage.

Lack of footway along Southam Lane leading to racecourse entrance

#### Actions

Clerk to encourage residents to report overgrown hedgerows and trees direct rather than through Parish Council to achieve quicker response and action.

Highways to look at and comment on feasibility of footway on this route.

#### For consideration and further discussion

Possibility of refreshing the 30mph road markings at New Road and Old Road junctions with B4632.