

HIGHWAYS WORK PROGRAMME

Hitchin Area Committee

JMP/NHDC Area Committee Match Funded Highway Schemes				Year: 2010/11			
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WBS HR07851	Wratten Road West & Winston Close - Parking Issues	Roger Flowerday 01438 757800	Cost estimate £7,000 JMP resolved to fund £4000 with £3000 funded by Cllr Derek Ashley from Locality Budget June 09	Ongoing	Ongoing	Green	Schemes were requested at the Oct 09 JMP. Two Objections received to the Winston Close proposals. The panel met to consider the objections and recommended that the order proceed as advertised.
WBS HRO8488	Cemetery Road, Hitchin – parking bays (Design and Works)	Roger Flowerday 01438 757800	Total cost £15,500 (Civil's works only). JMP agreed to fund £13,500. AC to consider funding £2,000. Highbury Ward Members have agreed to contribute the £2,000.			Red	Cemetery Road forms part of an area being investigated by NHDC for installation of parking measures to address the commuter parking in the area. However, during the informal consultation stage of the TRO an objection was raised by the Fire Service. To address the objection the proposed solution is to create parking bays by widening into the verge. However this scheme will only be progress if and when NHDC have confirmed they will be proceeding with the wider TRO. Furthermore the JMP is only funding and

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							<p>promoting the physical works associated with constructing the parking bays and <u>not</u> the TRO. The funding from the Highbury Ward members has now been released in order for this to proceed.</p>
WBS HR8490	Verge Protection – Westmill Road, Hitchin (Works)	Roger Flowerday 01438 757800	Total cost £2,000. JMP agreed £1,300. AC to consider funding £700. Hitchin Oughton Ward Members have agreed to fund the £700.			Green	<p>This site was brought to our attention by Councillor Billing. There is evidence of verge overrun which would benefit from verge protection. Order placed and works due to take place on 18th Nov 2010. Work completed and Oughton Ward members funding released.</p>
	Petition re alleviating traffic problems in Willow Lane and Charlton Road, Hitchin						
WBS HR0519	Scat 2 – Whitehill Road, Hitchin – between Highbury Road and	Roger Flowerday 01438	Total cost of works £14,400 JMP agreed to	Ongoing	Ongoing	Green	Highways had originally identified a section of Whitehill Road between Highbury Road and Passingham Avenue

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	Passingham Avenue	757800	fund (100%)				which they had to remove from the Scat 2 programme due to funding. The adjoining section of Hollow Lane is already in the programme. With the funding made available by the JMP it will now be possible to include this section of Whitehill Road into the verge. However this scheme will only progress if and when NHDC have confirmed they will be proceeding with the wider TRO. Furthermore the JMP is only funding and promoting the physical works associated with constructing the parking bays and <u>not</u> the TRO. Design work now complete and awaiting confirmation of works date.
	Speeding in Pirton Road, Hitchin		Priory Ward Members will match fund this with £1,000				TBA
	Willowtree Way j/w Old Hale Way, Hitchin Junction Protection						A cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin AC for consideration at its meeting on 8 th March 2011.TBA
	Nutleigh Grove j/w Old						This scheme has already been identified

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	Hale Way Hitchin – Junction Protection						as potential junction protection scheme and cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin AC for consideration at its meeting on 8 th March 2011
	Old Hale Way, Hitchin Pedestrian Islands in vicinity of Our Lady's Primary School						Feasibility study cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin AC for consideration at its meeting on 8 th March 2011
	Cambridge Road, Hitchin – Pedestrian Crossing						£100K
	Verulam Road/Nightingale Road, Hitchin – Pedestrian Crossing						A feasibility cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin AC for consideration at its meeting on 8 th March 211
	Bearton Road (east of j/w Old Hale Way), Hitchin – Parking/Rat running/speeding						A feasibility cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin AC for its meeting on 8 th March 2011
	Walsworth Road (at the j/w Verulam Road), Hitchin – Review proximity of zebra to junction						A feasibility cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin at its meeting on 8 th March 2011

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	Vehicle Activated signs – Old Hale Way, Strathmore Avenue, Bedford Road and St Michaels Road						For a VAS to be considered it must meet the criteria set out in the HCC Speed Management Strategy. Estimates will be provided of the costs to undertake the assessment against the criteria and these will be available at the Hitchin AC meeting on 8 th March, 2011
	20mph restrictions in identified streets in Hitchin Verulam Road (dentified in HUTP) Stormont Road Bearton Road Periwinkle Lane Water Lane Ickleford Road York Road Bunyan Road Dukes Lane Lancaster Toad Lancaster Avenue Brampton Park Road						Verulam Road was raised during the consultation phase for the Hitchin Urban Transport Plan and hence will be considered for speed reduction measures as part of the plan. Feasibility study cost estimates will be provided to Hitchin AC for consideration at its meeting on 8 th March 2011

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	Balmoral Road Florence Street Kings Road Radcliff Road Dacre Road						
	St John's Road j/w Hitchin Hill and St John's Road j/w Whitehill Road						Vehicles parking at the entrances to St John's Road causing obstruction. This site would be suitable for junction protection with double yellow lines at the junction.
	A505 j/w Willow Lane Hitchin No Right Turn						Programme and Strategy Manager has secured a grant to process a trial scheme.