

QUIDHAMPTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Cllrs Bass, Cripps, Fox-Rennie, Hoare, Rowley, Smith, Taylor, West and Whelan.

**You are hereby summoned to an Extraordinary Meeting of
Quidhampton Parish Council on Wednesday 12th February 2020
at 7.00pm
At Quidhampton Village Hall.**

If you are unable to attend this meeting please could you let me know as soon as possible, if sending apologies please ensure they are sent by 10am on Wednesday 12th February.

Council are asked to note that in the exercise of their functions they must take note of the following: Equal opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability); Crime and Disorder, Health and Safety and Human Rights. Any person who may find difficulty in access to the meeting through disability is asked to advise the Clerk (01722 743027) or (quidhamptonpc@btinternet.com) at least 24 hours before the meeting so that every effort may be made to provide access.

Clare Churchill

Clerk to Quidhampton Parish Council

Dated; 6th February 2020

AGENDA FOR A MEETING OF QUIDHAMPTON PARISH COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 12th FEBRUARY 2020 IN THE VILLAGE AT 7.00PM

Members of the Public are welcome to attend and are invited to speak if they so wish. If a member of the public wishes to speak, please could they advise the clerk of this intention on arrival?

Questions or Statements

A short period of time will be set aside prior to the start of the meeting for questions or statements from members of the public on the business to be transacted.

AGENDA

0576. Apologies for absence and to consider whether to approve the reasons given.

Local Government Act 1972 s85(1)

0578. Interests.

- (i) Cllrs to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests related to any matters to be considered in this agenda that do not appear in the Cllr's register of interests.
- (ii) In accordance with the Dispensation Procedure, any requests for a grant of dispensation must be submitted prior to this meeting.

Cllrs are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure their register of interests on the WC website is kept up to date.

Localism Act 2011. 2011. S 33.

0579. Traffic issues on Lower Rd.

To support the recommendations proposed by the Lower Rd WG as detailed in the report. All costs are indicative only and are based on WC response to each of the fifteen recommendation in the long list prepared by the LRWG.

The items marked as highest priority form a package of works costing in the region of £10K-15K. It is the view of the LRWG that this would achieve significant positive impact with minimal costs.

The items marked as second highest priority form a more significant package of works (costing in the region of £50K) but have the potential to achieve far more significant benefits.

The items marked as third highest priority would enhance the overall package (costing in the region of £35K) but are also most complex in terms of engineering with commensurate costs.

The overall cost of the scheme in its entirety would be in the region of £100K.

Item	Priority	Summary	Indicative Cost (£)	Comments
R1a	1	Coloured footway surface (typically green or red).	9000	Defining the footway clearly as a space for pedestrians is a priority. This will also have the effect of moving parked cars into the carriageway, resulting in an additional traffic calming measure. <i>There is no negative impact on parking provision or increase in noise through hard design features.</i>
R1b	1	Footway roundels	1125	See R1a. Roundels would further clarify the nature of the footway as a space for pedestrians.
R2	(1)	Clear footway of obstructions	5000	Feasibility of this is noted by WC. It is however apparent that the current position of these bollards is a serious obstacle for pedestrians, especially those using buggies or wheelchairs.
R4	2	Speed hump at eastern entrance to village from Skew Road	15000	This is a critical point for a measure, reducing speed on entry to the village and through the first straight section. Only a speed hump right across the carriageway is practical here; other options would not be appropriate. <i>The position is far enough from properties to not cause a noise nuisance and off the National Cycle Network so ought not to adversely affect cycle traffic.</i>

Item	Priority	Summary	Indicative Cost (£)	Comments
R11	2	<i>Chicane near Locks Lane</i>	20000	<i>It is agreed that this is the best location to install a measure and that a chicane is preferable to any form of raised feature. It is noted that detailed design work would be required to account for drainage, access to properties and the needs of buses.</i>
R12	2	<i>Speed table at White Horse</i>	15000	<i>It is noted that there may be objections to raised features but this location would be ideal for some measure, especially as this is where the footway crosses from the north to the south side of Lower Road. A large table encompassing the crossing and extending outside the pub would not be as noisy as eg a single bump or pillows. Only the pub is immediately adjacent to this feature with other properties set back from the road. Is it noted the improvement to this area would benefit the pub.</i>
R15	3	<i>Speed tables at intersection of Lower Road and Nadder Lane</i>	35000	<i>This is the most contentious element as a) it comprises a raised feature and b) costs are relatively high due to engineering complexity. But, a measure at this end of the village is required and other options are not feasible. Existing signage has little effect. During the course of this work, there have been two accidents at this location involving damage to property due to excessive speed¹. This option would not only improve pedestrian safety for houses to the south of lower road, it would improve safe access to Nadder Lane, Edgam Place and Coronation Square. It is noted that detailed design work would be required to account for drainage.</i>

Councillors are requested to read the full report which has been circulated.

- (i) To resolve to support R1a**
- (ii) To resolve to support R1b**
- (iii) To resolve to support R2**
- (iv) To resolve to support R4**
- (v) To resolve to support R11**
- (vi) To resolve to support R12**
- (vii) To resolve to support R15**

By supporting the recommendation, the item will be sent to SWWAB CATG for consideration. Once the SWWAB CATG has considered (and supports) the item a more detailed proposal with detailed costings will be sent to Quidhampton PC for agreement to the proposal and contribution towards the cost.

0580. To note agenda items for the next meeting to be held on Tuesday 24th March 2020. Please note all agenda items should be sent to the Clerk before 9am on 12th March 2020.
