

Highway Improvements Team working in Partnership with Waltham Parish Council (WPC) Highway Improvement Plan

Submission Date: November 2023

(Please remember that the HIP is for new initiatives/measures/schemes in your community – it is NOT to be used as a maintenance log, as these MUST be logged using the online reporting tool via this link <https://www.kent.gov.uk/roads-and-travel/report-a-problem>)

HIP Front Cover

HIP Version	Submitted by (Name)	HIP Date	Record Of Meeting Dates with KCC Virtual or Face to Face	County Member	
2	Tony McCord		23/11/2023 Virtual	Cllr Mike Sole	
Please list below the funding opportunities/Sources for HIP initiatives/Measures					
CCC Capital Grant; Increase in Parish Precept					
Are you an active member of the Speed Watch Scheme?		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Are you an active member of the Lorry Watch Scheme?		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Name of HIP Representative		Contact Telephone Number		Email Address	
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- Please note the Priority column MUST be those issues which are regarded as the most important (No 1 being your highest priority, then filtering down)
KCC is unable to guarantee that all your requests will be deliverable, but Project Managers can investigate your top 1 or 2 priorities per year.

Please Note: Highway Improvement Plans will only be accepted if they are in this prescribed template format. **PLEASE DO NOT ALTER IN ANY WAY.**
Whilst this is intended to be a living document for your Parish Council, KCC can only make resources available to review your HIP annually –
WPCs review is on or after October each year.

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Live Priorities Record

Priority	Location	USRN	Problem/Concern	What do you feel are the potential solutions?	KCC Comments (This column is to be completed by Project Manager ONLY)
1.	Kake Street, and Richdore Road.		Traffic Speeds	Speed traffic survey	AMA – 23/11/23 AMA to organise and fund traffic survey for Kake Street
2.	Kake Street		Traffic Speeds	30 MPH toolkit and investigate potential for local speedwatch scheme ? in collaboration with Petham PC (*£1,785 Finance available 2023/24)	AMA to send details of the 30mph toolkit and to organise delivery. Also send details of Speed Watch to parish council
3.	Kake Street		Traffic Speeds	Gate Sign Kake Street	Agreed that the current Waltham village signs on approach to the village to be replaced with white gateways and village sign. Quotation to be provided to the parish to pay for one. KCC to fund one gateway using HIP budget
4.	Kake Street		Traffic Speeds	Review potential for 20mph limit	Discussed the feasibility of a 20mph – current speed data showing on HADMs (to be shared with parish) does not show enough data. Formal ATC will be required to determine whether suitable and will be self enforceable. Average speeds need to be 24mph or below. However, with the toolkit and Speed Watch these may have the desired impact.
2.	Waltham Access roads		Pedestrian and equine safety	Horse and pedestrian warning signs at access points. (£3,000 Capital Reserve may be available 2024/25)	AMA to fund and install 1 x horses hazard warning sign on Kake Street on the approach to Waltham village (travelling south) on the approach to “Jade Farm”

Historical Priorities Record

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3.	Waltham Minor roads		a) Dangerous road conditions during snow and ice. b) Problems finding local contractor.	c) Increased financial support for adverse weather Policy* d) Establish location for salt supplies. e) Explore potential for joint arrangement with KCC contractor. (*£3,000 Revenue contingency sum available 2023/24)	AMA – 23/11/23 This is a matter for the Operations Team – Canterbury Highway Manager; Hazel Walters. Parish to contact Hazel Walters directly: Hazel.Walters@kent.gov.uk
4.	Waltham minor roads		HGV's accessing business premises located on hazardous single pass roads	Investigate potential use of Lorry Watch Scheme	AMA – 23/11/23 Following discussions it was decided that these incidents are happening less frequently and signage is not appropriate/required at this time.
5.	Richdore Road/ Pennypot/ Sole Street crossroads		Missing give way sign, worn road markings.	Review maintenance programme.	AMA – 23/11/23 This is a matter for the Operations team. Parish to report using the online reporting tool.