

Roads Committee meeting

Trinity Parish Hall

28th August 2024 at 10am

The Roads Committee (Constable, Rector, A Dunford and N Le Maistre) assembled at the Parish Hall at 10.00.

Apologies had been received from Barry Fossey.

Minutes of the meeting on 29th May 2024 were read and approved by the Committee and signed by the Constable.

Matters arising from the last meeting

- **Clameur de Haro** – costs have been taxed and 100% deemed recoverable because of failure of clameur's applicant to submit any objections. Parish lawyers writing to applicant's lawyers to request prompt payment.
- **La Vieille Charriere** – PLeS has written to Planning asking for the preservation of the oak tree.
- **Les Ruelles** – the wall has been rebuilt using the old granite (at a saving of £5,000 if new granite had been used). GoJ are putting in a trial pavement to narrow the main road and will assess if it makes the crossing to the school safer.
- **Shangri La, La Verte Rue** – having liaised with the owner's son, the construction of a wall alongside the parish road and a field which does not have any permitted development rights or planning consent has been brought to the attention of the Planning Department.
- **Visite Royale** – the wall in La Verte Rue has been rebuilt and the Royal Court advised accordingly.
- **Patching of potholes and painting of yellow lines** – ongoing.

Les Ruelles becoming a school street

The Constable made the Committee aware of the GoJ request regarding the designation of the Les Ruelles.

The Committee agreed to Les Ruelles formally becoming a school street (closed to traffic when children arrive and leave school). This has already been in operation on an informal basis for about 18 months.

Request for a parish road sign to be moved

The Constable made the Committee aware of a request by a parishioner for the Rue D'Empierre road sign to be moved. It is currently sited on a bank belonging to the parishioner, and the parishioner wants it to be removed completely from the bank.

It was noted that all parish road name signs were replaced (but not repositioned) during Roy Cabot's tenure as Constable in the 1980s, so the road sign has been in its current position for in excess of 30 years. It was also noted that a large number of parish road signs are positioned on privately owned land.

Subject to clarification of the legal position regarding the positioning of parish road names, the Roads Committee agreed to explore the possibility of moving the name closer to the edge of the bank adjoining the road.

Any other business

Hedge in Rue de la Monnaie – the Constable has spoken with the owner and a contractor has been asked to cut back the hedge hard.

Leylandii hedge at top of La Vieille Charriere – the Constable has contacted the owner’s son in law and asked for it to be cut hard as agricultural vehicles were experiencing difficulties.

Rue de L’Epine - the Constable has written to the building contractor asking for the potholes caused or exacerbated by the traffic to and from the site to be patched appropriately.

Enforcement issues were discussed.

The meeting closed at 10.40am.

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4th October 2024

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