

Roads Committee meeting

Trinity Parish Hall

23rd July 2025 at 10:00am

The Roads Committee (Constable, Rector, B Fossey, A Dunford and N Le Maistre) assembled at the Parish Hall at 10:00am.

1. There were no apologies as everyone was present.
2. The meeting commenced with site visits to La Rue du Catel (with ADM Asphalt on site), La Rue de la Garenne and La Rue d’Egypte.
3. The minutes of the meetings held on 11th February 2025, 12th March 2025 and 27th June 2025 were approved:
4. Matters arising:

11th February 2025

- (a) **Lowlands, La Rue de la Fontaine de Colard.** It was noted that the Constable had written to the property owners but had heard nothing further.
- (b) **North Lodge, Trinity Manor.** It was noted that the Constable had written to the property owners and they had placed a granite trough at the entrance.
- (c) **Rue d’Empierre Road Sign.** It was noted that the sign had now been fixed.
- (d) **The Bakehouse, Rue des Cateaux.** It was noted that the Constable had written to the property owner and to the Planning Department.
- (e) **Section of wall in Rue des Canons.** It was noted that this had now been completed satisfactorily.
- (f) **Trinity School trial Access Improvement Scheme.** It was noted that the Constable had written to Infrastructure and Environment and the record of events was now agreed.

12th March 2025

- (a) **Rue de la Vallée.** It was noted that the relevant section of the road had now been resurfaced.
- (b) **The Old Pump House, La Rue de la Vallée.** It was noted that the work had been carried out to the Parish road as agreed at the meeting on 12th March.
- (c) **Rue de la Blanche Pierre.** It was noted that a letter was sent to the landowner confirming agreement to widening the opening. It was further noted that nothing had been done yet.
- (d) **Maison du Haut, La Rue des Fontaines.** It was noted that nothing further had been received following the Constable’s communication.

27th June 2025

It was noted that the four branchage fines had been paid in full.

5. La Rue du Catel

Following photographs received from a parishioner and a site visit earlier in the meeting, the Roads Committee noted that the accumulation of water during heavy downpours was exacerbated by the debris from the banque of the field which required reinforcing. The Constable agreed to write to the owner/tenant to arrange a site meeting with them to ask them to clear the debris in the first instance and to also reinforce the banque.

6. Private lane off Rue de la Garenne

It was noted that the Roads Committee had received a request from one of the owners of the private lane requesting a financial contribution to the costs of restoration of part of the lane which was regularly used by the public. Following a site visit earlier in the meeting, it was noted that a strip of the lane had been renewed but that that an additional strip was required further up the lane. Rather than contribute to the costs of the work already carried out the Roads Committee agreed to offer to attend to the work that was still required.

7. Rue de la Garenne

During the site visit to the private lane off Rue de la Garenne, it was noted that at the head of the lane on Rue de la Garenne, there is a single gully that collects all the surface water from the adjoining roads and is regularly blocked by debris. The Roads Committee agreed to investigate the cost of improving the situation by adding a second gully.

8. Rue d'Egypte

Following a site visit earlier in the meeting, the Roads Committee noted that a quote for cleaning up, patching repairs on the road and for an overlay with a 40mm layer of tarmac was expected.

9. La Rue de Bechet

It was noted that a property owner on Rue de Bechet had emailed regarding the use of the road by heavy goods vehicles with the consequence of inevitable deterioration of the road and also the potential for flooding during heavy downpours of rain. The Roads Committee attended at the site and could not see any evidence of the deterioration of the road nor with problems with the drainage on the road. The Constable agreed to offer to meet with the property owner should they wish to do so.

10. Speed limit on La Rue de la Monnaie

It was noted that the Roads Committee had received an email from a parishioner regarding the speed limit on Rue de la Monnaie and requesting pavements on the road. While the road is under the control of Infrastructure and Environment, it was noted that there was insufficient room for pavements on the road. It was further noted that in November 2023 the Roads Committee met with officers from Infrastructure and Environment as part of a review of all speed limits within the Parish and it was agreed that 30mph was an appropriate speed limit for the road.

11. Draft Road Traffic (Trinity) (Jersey) Amendment order 202-

It was noted that the purpose of the draft order was:

- (a) To permit the closure of Les Ruelles when Trinity School was open to children; and
- (b) To limit the parking in La Rue de la Falaise to 12 hours in any 24 hours

The meeting supported the draft order and had no comments to make.

12. Any other business

- (a) It was noted that the planning application for the proposed development at La Ruelle, La Rue du Moulin du Ponterrin had not yet been lodged. It was noted that, once lodged, the Parish would be asked to provide comments on the application. The meeting agreed, at that time, the developers would be asked to give a further presentation to the Roads Committee which would concentrate solely on the impact of the development on the Parish road. It was further agreed that parishioners would be invited to attend that meeting, but it would be clear that the meeting was only to discuss the impact of the proposed widening of the road and any resultant impact on traffic. Following the meeting, the Roads Committee would be in a position to make informed comments to the Planning Department.
- (b) The Rector informed the meeting that the paths in the South Cemetery needed levelling. The Constable agreed to ask a contractor to look at these.
- (c) The Rector informed the meeting that the Sexton's shed needed repainting. The Constable agreed to look at this.

The meeting closed at 11:50am

P Le Sueur

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29th September 2025

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