

Minutes of the Sustainable Travel Committee meeting

DATE & TIME	Tuesday 7 th July 2020 at 10.30am
PLACE	Via Zoom
CHAIR	Cllr Bradbury
PRESENT	Cllrs; Jeans, Jordan, Tobin and ESC Cllr Beavan and SCC Cllr Ladd and 1 member of the public

Subject	Comments	Follow up Action
Apologies for absence	Apologies received from Cllrs Goldsmith and Rowan-Robinson	
Declarations of Interest	<p><i>a) To receive any declarations of Personal Interest regarding the agenda. Nil</i></p> <p><i>b) To receive any declarations of Pecuniary Interest regarding the agenda. Nil</i></p> <p><i>c) To receive any request for dispensations regarding the agenda. Nil</i></p>	
<u>Instavolt - presentation on rapid chargers</u>	<p>To receive presentation – see presentation subsequently sent.</p> <p>Nathan Piper presented for Instavolt and took questions.</p> <p>These are rapid chargers which take 40 – 50 mins to charge.</p> <p>The member of the public advised that rapid chargers would be required in Southwold rather than the slower chargers.</p> <p>Concerns raised about how to move vehicles on once they had been charged.</p> <p>Design of charger would also be important for Southwold. Mr Piper advised that they could be wrapped / branded.</p> <p>Members asked about other sites that Instavolt were in that might be similar to Southwold – Mr Piper will find out and advise</p> <p>Mr Piper left the meeting at 11am</p> <p>Discussion re the presentation and the information that will be required to consider this further. Where will they be located? How many? How to move cars on?</p>	TBC

<p><u>Signage around the Town</u></p>	<p>Cllr Jeans presented a report compiled by Cllrs Jordan, Goldsmith, Jeans and Tobin re the signage around the town and the comments from the 2016 parking/ signage report that the town Council had commissioned.</p> <p>It was agreed that the 2016 report should form a basis to move forward. Discussion re the help that might be required – it was suggested that some one like Alistair Turk may be appropriate.</p> <p>Quick wins – what can be achieved quickly?</p> <p>Signage to try and deter cars away from High Street and direct to car parks.</p> <p>Most important sign = front of town – this has already been considered by SCC and is now with ESC to look at.</p>	<p>Esc to confirm</p>
<p><u>Other matters</u></p>	<p>Additional parking – could the Common be used for parking? Could honesty boxes be installed for contributions? Just for the summer due to Covid.</p> <p>When will Millennium car park be open? – To Millennium Trustees</p> <p>Traffic wardens – feedback is that this is working better.</p> <p>20mph on High Street – Simon Tobin will provide a paper on this for the cttee/ SCC. Cllr Ladd advised that the last survey for the High Street had shown ave speeds of 10mph.</p> <p>Cycle/ pedestrian priority – discussion re possibility of shared space on the High Street / other areas for the longer term. Discussion about other possibilities – one way along High Street, cycle lanes, etc. Parking report to be considered. Cllr Ladd suggested that the High Street should be considered holistically as any changes will affect many other roads in the town.</p> <p>High Street Recovery Fund - request for road social distancing measures have been considered by ESC and they are not certain that these particular requests can be taken forward. However, they are looking at the possibility of East Street/ Pinkney’s Lane.</p> <p>Crossing outside no 51 – also for slowing/ calming – with SCC to cost. STC might be asked to contribute.</p> <p>Residents parking – with ESC. Discussion about who could apply for a permit – resident/ holiday home etc. Cllr Beavan was asked to find out the details.</p>	<p>to be referred to Trustees</p> <p>Cllr Tobin</p> <p>SCC</p> <p>ESC</p> <p>SCC</p> <p>ESC / Cllr Beavan</p>

	It was suggested that Lewis at ESC be asked to do a presentation to council about residents parking and that a copy of the information then be provided for council to debate.	ESC
<u>Date of next meeting</u>	14 th July 2020 at 10.30am	