

Temple Guiting Parish Council - Notes of meeting with GC Highways (Rhodri Grey) 26/01/24

Kate Mather and Michael Krier met with Rhodri Grey and visited most of the locations listed below.

1. **Deteriorating/poorly patched road surface from Fiddlers Green towards TG**
Rhodri saw the state of the road approaching Fiddlers Green but couldn't commit to resurfacing. He also noticed the poor state of the chevron posts along the road at this point.
2. State of road (potholes/ deteriorating surface): **Three Gates towards Farmcote and Lynes Barn.** We were unable to visit Lynes Barn to Three Gates, and see the proposed location of the '**Unsuitable for motor vehicles**' sign on Mill Lane . because of time constraints and a tree blocking Mill Lane. Rhodri indicated that the road condition issues would be considered for remedy but no commitment regarding possible sign.
3. **Blocked culverts (west side) from Barton bridge towards Gyting Broc**
Rhodri would arrange for these to be jetted.
4. Repeatedly **blocked drains on TG causeway** (and Colman?) - need for more regular clearing - no commitment.
5. **Failure of drain and grippes at start of Mill Lane (New Barn Farm)**
To be jetted as per item 3.
6. Once a year **grippe clearing** inadequate especially opposite Mill Lane and opposite Hyde Farm (MK had dug out grippes at Hyde twice before contractor came) and need for regular **clearing of drains above Ford Manor.**
Again no commitment as contracts cannot be altered.
7. **Replacement road signs** (promised at last three meetings) 30mph by New Barn Farm and 'Road Narrows for half a mile' at Colman. 30mph would be replaced - spares in depot.
8. **Unightly traffic cones at Barton**
Michael Morrissey should be asked to approach Mrs Hambro with a view to removal and possible replacement with standard reflector posts (as some of these there already).
9. **How to prevent parking on mown verges by pub in Kinton**
Various options presented re posts; cordon around wheelwright's bothy not satisfactory and possibly intruding on Highway.
- 10 **Thank you:**
Buckle Street resurfacing.
Drains recently cleared in emergency at Ford Manor (Craig responded).
Barton Bridge reinstated.
Recent clearing of grippes and drains on causeway TG.
Gritting.

Because of financial constraints, satisfactory remedies unlikely to be forthcoming in most instances.