

For decision

Agenda item 10

For decision: Highways Improvement requests

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Background

Local highway and footway improvement groups (LHFIGs)

Local highway and footway improvement groups (LHFIGs) are sub-groups of Wiltshire Council's Community Area Boards.

There is an LHFIG for each Community Area Board. This means there is an LHFIG for the town (that is a sub-group of the Bradford on Avon Community Area Board)

LHFIGs focus on highway and footway issues.

Residents can apply to Bradford on Avon's LHFIG to request changes and improvements to the highways and footways in the town.

Requests to the LHFIG come to the Town Council first. This way, new requests are discussed by the Sustainable Travel committee.

New requests

Bridge Street

We have received a request for additional signage along Bridge Street to tell people or remind people that the posted speed limit here is 20mph.

Ongoing requests

Barton Court and Courtyard Terrace

LHFIG has approved the request for more street name signs for Barton Court and Courtyard Terrace – agreeing up to £300 to do this, subject to a £300 contribution from the Town Council.

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Recommendations

1. Support the request for 1 or more additional 20mph signs in Bridge Street - pending the views of Wiltshire Council's Officers; and subject to the confirmed costs of the new sign(s)
2. Approve a £300 contribution as match-funding for extra street name signs for Barton Court and Courtside Terrace.