



1. **New Pedestrian/Cycle Bridge**
Wiltshire Council has indicated willingness to work with us following positive result from Strategic Outline Case. Meeting scheduled 10th February.
2. **Air Quality monitoring**
New Low cost PM2.5 particulates monitors now available, and Wiltshire are progressing this as a citizen science project. Awaiting further details.
3. **On Street EV charging**
Wiltshire have been awarded £3.9m and hope to realise £10m investment by working with commercial partners. Maps of town with areas with no off-street parking have been forwarded (Appendix A).
4. **Bus Funding Award**
Wiltshire awarded £5.7m from central government in November £2.6m capital (new buses, bus lanes, bus stops etc). I have resubmitted request for additional town E-bus to include Winsley and give 1/2hourly service.
£3.1m revenue Bus Service Improvement Plan (BSIP), supporting new and existing services. This replaces £2.1m BSIP for this year.
5. **LHFIG**
Ashley Rd to Belcombe Rd/Newtown 20mph limits and extension of 30mph limit on Holt Rd should go in before end of financial year.
Wiltshire have also apologised for delays to Double Yellow Lining programme but should complete when weather improves.
Wine Street: Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) drew objections.
Awaiting decision by cabinet member.
Lower Woolley St residents parking scheme TRO needs to be readvertised due to an error on the original document.
6. **Traffic count surveys**
Southway Park – 20 mph would require full area Speed Limit Assessment. Poor value for money as speeds are already very low.
St Margaret St South/ Frome Rd (near tennis courts)- awaiting police permission for Community Speedwatch location, also potential SID location
Moulton Drive/Bath Rd/B3105 junction Recorded speeds are in line with the present speed limits. No further action.

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7. E-Bike

There have been 4 hirers in total after the scheme launched in September 2024 and 14 on the waiting list.