

**Minutes of Traffic Advisory Group  
Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2022, 7.30pm  
held at Tasburgh Main Village Hall**

**Present:** Cllrs Willie Crawshay (Chair) and Jill Casson  
Jeff Anderson, Nik Adams, and Tina Eagle (Clerk)

**Also in attendance:** No members of the public were present

**1. Attendance & Apologies**

Apologies were received and accepted from Jane Hope, Jim Barton, and Cllr Geoff Merchant

**2. Declarations of interest for items on the agenda and applications for dispensations**

None

**3. Minutes of meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2021**

The minutes of the meeting previously circulated were considered. An amendment was requested on page 2, item 6, 4<sup>th</sup> paragraph to change Department 'of' Transport to Department 'for' Transport. With this amendment it was **agreed** to accept the minutes as a true record of the proceedings.

**4. Matters arising from minutes**

None

**5. Public participation**

Concerns were raised about the effectiveness of the group to currently address traffic related matters when no specific project had been identified. It was **agreed** that this would be an Agenda item for further discussion at the next meeting when more members were in attendance. **Clerk**

**6. Meetings attended**

Willie Crawshay reported he had recently attended the Norfolk Road Safety Conference held at Wymondham Rugby Club around road safety. The event was well attended by the Constabulary, along with representatives from Parish Councils, Community Speed Watch groups and also representation from Highways.

Two priorities were the focus for road safety and resources: policing on main roads, as more fatalities occur on main roads rather than rural roads and secondly, denying criminals access to the network who may use the roads to aid their criminality. Not very encouraging for Community Speed Watch groups or additionally for any Parish wishing to look at implementing any traffic calming initiatives as it was very evident that Highways do not have the resources to support such projects.

**7. Update on Community Speed Watch**

Jill Casson apologised that sessions had only just resumed with the first being held on Low Road by the Flordon junction that morning between 7.30-9.30am It was noted that 2 speeders were caught and there was a steady stream of traffic between 7.30-8.00 after which time the traffic flow was noticeably a lot quieter. The next session is planned for

Church Road. More sessions are needed but currently the group desperately needs more volunteers to enable them to do more.

**8. SAM2 Data brief**

Willie Crawshay advised that while the SAM2 data continues to be downloaded this action is still outstanding but would be available in due course.

**9. Draft calendar of meetings for 2022/23**

Future meeting dates were agreed for 12<sup>th</sup> July and 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

**Date for next meeting: Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July, 7.30pm Tasburgh Main Hall**

Meeting closed at 7.59pm