

SEVENOAKS JOINT TRANSPORTATION BOARD – 15 MARCH 2011

HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT SCHEME PROGRESS REPORT

Report of the: Director of Kent Highway Services

Status: For Consideration

Executive Summary: This report describes the progress to date and anticipated progress over the next three months of all programmed highway improvements.

This report supports the Key Aim of Reducing speed, encouraging safer driving and tackling known speeding crash hotspots. Also improving pedestrian safety, including measures to improve access for people with disabilities as indicated in the Sevenoaks Community Plan.

Portfolio Holder Mr David Brazier

Head of Service KCC – Head of Countywide Improvements – Behdad Haratbar

Recommendations:

- 1) That Members NOTE the progress of programmed highway improvements listed in Appendix A
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Background and Discussion

- 1 The progress of all the remaining proposed highway improvement schemes for 2010/11 in the Sevenoaks district is detailed in Appendix A.
4. This Appendix also reports planned highway improvements that County Members have decided to fund out of the annual £25,000 placed under each of their control as part of the Members' Highway Fund initiative.

Key Implications

Financial; Resource (non-financial); Legal etc.; Value For Money

5. None for Sevenoaks District Council or Kent County Council as a result of this report.

Risk Assessment Statement

6. None.

Appendices

- A Progress on Highway Improvement schemes

Sources of Information:

None

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Highway Improvement Programme: Sevenoaks District 2010-11

KHS Ref	Location	Description of Works	Current Status	Anticipated Actions for next 3 months (Prior to next JTB)	Original Allocation 2010-11	Forecast Out-turn 2010-11	KCC Contact 08458 247800
10-ITS-SE-02	High Street, Eynsford	Facilities to help pedestrians cross the road outside the primary school	Scheme design completed. Works programmed to start on 21 February and be complete in 2 weeks (Note High Friction surfacing and lining are weather dependant and may be delayed)	Scheme completion and Stage 3 Safety Audit.	£27k	£27k	Andy Padgham

Schemes with Funding from KCC's Member Highway Fund Approved

Member & Ward	Description	Budget	Status
Peter Lake – Sevenoaks South	To install a new informal crossing point and footway. Station Road, Edenbridge	£23,625	Approved. Works linked to new development. Installation to be scheduled when development programme is known
Roger Gough – Darent Valley	Plane off and resurface road Manse Way, Swanley	£13,735	Works completed
Roger Gough – Darent Valley	To provide 1 salt bin with 3 refills Charnock, Swanley	£595.53	Works completed
Peter Lake – Sevenoaks South	Install kerbing and resurface area to create parking area. Penshurst Road, Chiddingstone	£7849	Approved. Works order raised.
Robert Brookbank – Swanley	Introduce no waiting at anytime restrictions to protect visibility at the junctions and improve and maintain their operational safety. Emersons Avenue, Swanley	£3068	Approved. Waiting on TRO consultation before programming
Robert Brookbank – Swanley	Introduce no waiting at anytime restrictions to protect forward visibility and improve and maintain the operational safety Sycamore Drive, Swanley	£2544	Approved. Waiting on TRO consultation before programming.