#### **CIL SUGGESTIONS**

We were delighted to receive so many expenditure ideas for the **Community Infrastructure Levy.** Some will be actioned this financial year; some will require more detailed analysis and may be taken forward in the medium term (3 years) and some will not be actioned for the reasons given. Please continue to submit suggestions as new items can be added at any time.

## Items likely to be financed before 31st March 2021 include

- Improvements to **Public Rights of Way** to make 2 circular walks accessible. Routes will be promoted with a permanent sign board.
- Install outdoor gym equipment on Goosnargh Village Green subject to approval from Preston City Council (PCC)
- Replace the welcome board on Goosnargh Village Green
- Assess and replace worn **benches** on Goosnargh Village Green
- Paint lamp posts between the play area and the Village Hall
- Add cycle racks near to the shops / Stags Head

## Items requiring more analysis within the next 3 years

- Various traffic calming measures were suggested in Goosnargh Village but as the costs are likely to be £65,000 per street, areas need to be agreed and prioritised with the County Council (LCC)
- Add a Multi Use Games Area or football nets with astro turf to Goosnargh Village Green - subject to approval by PCC
- Help the Village Hall fully resurface the carpark

## Non financial actions to be actioned with immediate effect

- Write to the police to carry out mobile speed **enforcement on Whittingham Lane** before the 30mph zone.
- Write to Lancashire Road Safety Partnership to recommend speed enforcement measures on Whittingham Lane which is 30mph. Our solar SPID data shows 37,594 vehicles travelling at 40/50mph, 4,260 at 60/70mph, 154 at 80/90mph and 9 vehicles over 90mph with one vehicle travelling at a staggering 101 mph!! Currently we don't have data for Whittingham Road, Longridge but this area will be looked at too.
- Email LCC regarding concerns at Camforth Hall Lane bend
- Email LCC for **yellow lines** at the **Church Lane junction**.
- Email LCC to improve the street lights at Beacon Court
- Email Taylor Wimpey to add 20mph signs on **Henry Littler Way**
- Email PCC to request a new street name plate **Bleasdale Road** leading to **The Square** and rear of **63-95 Cumeragh Lane**
- Continue to request **Allotments** / **Community Orchard** in the Whittingham Hospital phases and via the Local Plan

#### Items not taken forward with reasons

**Traffic calming** on **Cumeragh Lane** before Guild Park - this will be provided by the Whittingham Hospital application.

**New scout Hut -** Insufficient CIL funds due to other priorities. Query the possibility of new facilities as part of the Sports & Social Club redevelopment

**Improve health provision -** not a Parish Council function but we will make enquiries to ensure Whittingham is an approved location for mobile health screening

Public toilets - Insufficient CIL funds due to other priorities

#### Items residents can action themselves

Uneven pavements, hedges, blocked gullies & potholes
Unfortunately we can not deal with these items as they are County
Council functions. Residents can easily report incidents directly to
LCC. Simply use this link, <a href="www.lancashire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/report-it">www.lancashire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/report-it</a> select the appropriate concern and enter the specific location on the map. Once you have submitted the details you will receive a reference number by email which allows you to check the progress.

## Litter and Dog fouling

We have requested additional signs to remind people to pick up any waste but these items are **City Council functions**. Again you can log incidents online at <a href="https://www.preston.gov.uk/streetcleaning">www.preston.gov.uk/streetcleaning</a> or call **01772 906909** to get it removed. If you notice an overflowing bin or feel a new bin is needed in an area, please send a photograph of the problem so we can refer the problem to the City Council.

If you have a concern and are unsure who to report the issue to, you can report it on <a href="https://www.fixmystreet.com">https://www.fixmystreet.com</a> They will log the concern and will forward the problem to the correct authority.

# **Neighbourhood Watch Scheme**

We are aware that residents are concerned about opportunist thefts in the area and a whatsapp group has been set up for residents to share local information. Details are available from Cllr M Woodburn. In addition to this, we urge residents to **report any local concerns** on the **101** number or call Preston Police station on **01772 614 444.** For emergency assistance call **999.** Alternatively, you can report incidents on-line at <a href="https://doitonline.lancashire.police.uk/">https://doitonline.lancashire.police.uk/</a>

If you want to help us achieve even more, there is still a **Parish Councillor vacancy** on Lower Ward. Contact the Clerk for details.

Electronic links can be accessed via the Newsletter on our website www.whittinghamparishcouncil.org

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# WHITTINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER AUTUMN 2020

A warm welcome to the Autumn edition of the Parish Council Newsletter which updates residents on matters concerning the Whittingham Parish area. Thank you to everyone who took the time to respond with suggestions for **CIL expenditure** as requested in our Summer edition. An update on the suggestions and details of the items to be taken forward is included inside this edition.

## **Parish Council Meetings**

Whilst the Council has been unable to hold face to face meetings due to Coronavirus, we continue to meet remotely via Zoom. Meetings take place on the **2nd Monday** of the month and start at **7.15pm**. Members of the public may observe the meetings and there is usually a **time limited** session for public participation. Residents are requested to notify the Clerk of any issues or concerns **in advance** of the meeting, as matters requiring a Council decision must be included on the Agenda at least 4 days prior to the meeting taking place. Further information is available from the Parish Clerk.

Our website www.whittinghamparishcouncil.org.uk includes copies of the Minutes, Agenda, Councillor contact details, financial information and a news page updating residents on items of interest that come to the Parish Council's attention. Please visit the website and use the 'Contact Us' link with any queries or questions.

#### Coronavirus

Regrettably several community events had to be cancelled over the summer due to Coronavirus. The Parish Council has a small budget for community grants and will consider any requests from community organisations needing financial support during 2021/22.

## Remembrance Sunday.

Wreaths will be laid at a service at St Mary's Church on Remembrance Sunday. Availability of spaces will be available from the Church. After the service, the Parish Council Chairman will lay a wreath at the memorial at Beacon Drive.

