

### **Works to Car Parks in Chippenham.**

This matter has been raised by Chippenham Town Council. The issue can be dealt with under Agenda Item 8 - Town/Parish Council Update.

Specifically, the Town Council have raised issues (**set out in bold below**). A response/update from the Asset, Design & Regeneration Manager is set out below each issue.

#### **Emery Gate Car Park: outstanding repairs to access roadway.**

The order has been issued for the improvements to the road at the lower entrance to the car park and the work will take place on Sunday 7th October, an Advance Notice Sign has been erected at the entrance to the road adjacent the Town bridge advising the public that the road will be closed on that day.

#### **Emery Gate Car Park: proposed timescale to complete the outstanding repairs to the roof and the consequent re-commissioning of the closed car parking spaces.**

The defects have been examined by the Councils appointed Structural Engineer and the issues raised with the previous contractor to resolve.

#### **Borough Parade Car Park: Proposed timescale for completion of the current works.**

Works to Borough Parade commenced in July with the expectation that works would be completed at the end of the summer holidays. July and early August were the wettest on record and works have been considerably disrupted by underground hard ground conditions and other highway safety issues. At present the car park is around 80% in use and the contractor is now undertaking tree planting with the intention to re-open the car by 12th October. Inspection of the construction is occurring this week and remedy of defects and kerb replacement in Gladstone Road may continue a few days past 12th October before final completion is achieved.