

Report to	Malmesbury Area Board
Date of Meeting	7 March 2012
Title of Report	Malmesbury Community Issues Update

Purpose of Report

To provide an update about Community Issues and invite members of the Area Board to:

1. Close 7 issues.
2. Refer 2 issues to Malmesbury Community Area Transport Group (CATG).

1. Background

- 1.1. At the time of writing (16 February 2012), 108 community issues have been received, of which 83 have been closed and 25 are in progress. There are currently no new requests.

Background documents used in the preparation of this report	Malmesbury community issues online at: http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/communityandliving/areaboards.htm
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2. Main Considerations & Officer Recommendations

2.1. Closure of Issues

- 2.1.1. The area board are invited to close 7 issues (emboldened in Appendix 1).
- 2.1.2. **Issue 2170 – request or Community Payback for Grove Wood, Sherston.** This had been forwarded to the Community Payback team.
- 2.1.3. **Issue 2132 – dog fouling in Hudson Road, Pool Gastons, Avon Road and Burnivale, Malmesbury.** The dog warden will address and information will be provided via the electric Community Area Network.
- 2.1.4. **Issue 1938 – overgrown and littered lane giving access to Malmesbury School from Corn Gastons.** The path has been completely cleared, trimmed back and rubbish removed.
- 2.1.5. **Issue 1624 – Speeding outside Little Foxes Nursery, Brinkworth.** The issues is that the nursery had outgrown its car parking capacity should consider expansion of the car park.
- 2.1.6. **Issue 1602 – Maintenance of open space at Reeds Farm, Malmesbury.** The hedges have been cut and tidied up.
- 2.1.7. **Issue 1499 – School crossing on Knockdown Road, Sherston.** Lines have been painted outside the school and the School Travel Plan has been updated and a 'Taking Action on School Journeys Challenge' bid submitted.
- 2.1.8. **Issues 656 - Safe Routes to St Joseph.** This issue must be pursued through the School Travel Plan Adviser.

2.2. Referral to the Community Area Transport Group

- 2.2.1. The area board are invited to refer 2 issues (in italics Appendix 1) to the Malmesbury CATG.
- 2.2.2. **Issue 1783 - Parking problems at Hillside, Leigh.**
- 2.2.3. **Issue 2070 - Vehicular access to Malmesbury Primary Health Care Centre.**

3. Environmental & Community Implications

- 3.1. Addressing community issues contribute to the improvement of community wellbeing in the area, the extent and specifics of which will be dependent upon the individual issue.

4. Financial Implications

- 4.1. There are no specific financial implications related to this report.

5. Legal Implications

- 5.1. There are no specific legal implications related to this report.

6. HR Implications

- 6.1. There are no specific HR implications related to this report.

7. Equality and Inclusion Implications

- 7.1 The opportunity to raise Community Issues enables individuals, voluntary and community groups, town and parish councils an equal opportunity to identify and seek assistance to address problematic issues.

Appendices:	Appendix 1 Malmesbury Area Board Community Issues – 7 March 2012 Update
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No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report.

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