Update for Wootton Bassett & Cricklade Area Board

ITEM 6iv

Update from	Purton Parish Council
Date of Area Board Meeting	Wednesday 2 February 2011

Headlines

• Purton Parish Council would like to thank the Area Board for allocating funds towards the Cross Lanes Junction improvement project. It is hoped that even though the improvements will be minor ones they will help to improve the safety of this dangerous junction. An update on how the project will now progress would be appreciated.

Just before Christmas an outline planning application was received for 800 dwellings at Ridgeway Farm which is in Purton Parish, this has generated a lot of work and a response will be made in time to meet the deadline of the 10th February. Applications such as this are very testing in terms of the huge amount of paper work to go through and the need to respond with sound representation. A development of this size, if it goes ahead will have far reaching consequences for our parish and neighbouring towns and parishes. The growth of Purton will be significant making it a very largest parish, bigger than some of the market towns.

Projects

Purton Institute Clock face restoration project is progressing well.

• A hedge planting project in Purton Cemetery is now completed the aim of the project is to improve the entrance to the cemetery.

Future Events/Dates for the diary

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