

**Notes of Traffic Working Group Meeting
Roden Suite Edinburgh House, Wem
10 May 2018 at 2.30pm**

Present: Wem Town Mayor Cllr Edward Towers (Chair) Shropshire Councillor Chris Mellings, Shropshire Councillor Steve Davenport (left part way through meeting), Wem Rural Parish Councillor Tim Wilton Morgan, Shropshire Council Traffic Engineer David Gradwell, Oliver Richardson (Wem Civic Society, Sue Griffiths (Safer Roads Wem), Rachel Hargreaves (No 49) and Wem Rural Parish Council Clerk Carole Warner

1. Welcome

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and passed on the sad news of Mark Brothwood's recent death. The meeting held a period of silence.

2. Notes and actions from last meeting.

The notes were agreed.

3. Traffic Consultation

• **To discuss results**

The Chair thanked everyone who had helped man the stalls and noted 393 responses had been received. Lengthy and general discussion took place on the results. It was noted that any recommendations would be referred to the Town and Parish Councils. The Town Council would have to support the recommendations and submit them through Shropshire Council's Road Safety Policy under Community Concerns. It was noted that this could be a long process. CIL/Neighbourhood Funds could be considered to help fund the schemes.

It was agreed:

All schemes consulted on to be recommended to Wem Town Council with schemes A, C, D and G as priorities. Scheme B was more of a safety issue.

• **Feedback of results to residents and next steps**

It was agreed:

Sue Griffiths would take the results board to the Town Hall for display from 12 to 26 May. Wem Town and Wem Rural Parish Councils would have the results on their websites.

Wem Town and Wem Rural Parish Councils would discuss the recommendations at their next available meetings. Following which a formal announcement would be made by the Working Party.

4. Any other business.

None

5. Date, venue and time of next meeting

Monday 9 July 2018 at 2pm – Roden Suite, Edinburgh House (room confirmed)