

Alterations to motion G: Policy into Action proposed by: Councillor Michael Brooker seconded by Councillor Ruth Smith – altered by seconder in consultation with proposer

Additional wording shown in red text:

This council wishes to put policy into action. Our towns and roads have been kept waiting for implementation of decisions already made by Oxfordshire County Council, to the detriment of businesses and to residents' town centre experience and their travel and movement options across the District.

High Street

To revive our main town, we call on the County Council to prioritise work on Witney High Street, in close contact with traders and the Town and District Council, and start immediately to avoid works at key trading times. This includes the installation of the ANPR enforcement of the traffic restriction, that was approved months ago.

Footpaths

We also ask the County Council to begin work immediately on footpath resurfacing in West and East Witney as "walk and talk" minor works rather than expensive projects, with the more detailed items like lighting sorted out later.

Chipping Norton

We ask the County Council to deliver on its promise to reconfigure Alison St/London Road to help with school access. This is another agreed project that has been pushed down the list.

Potholes

In the same vein, we urge the County Council to spend the government pothole uplift straight away and devote some of the nearly £300 million capital hoarded from development, including in West Oxfordshire, on longer lasting resurfacing projects starting with the worst surfaces and busiest roads.

Council resolves that:

1. The Leader writes to the County Council to request immediate start to Witney High Street works and installation of ANPR, after unacceptable delay demoralising businesses and residents.
2. The Leader writes to the County Council to demand immediate commencement of the stalled footpath works at East and West Witney.
3. The Leader writes to the County Council to ask for timely realisation of the Alison St/London Road project in Chipping Norton.
4. The Leader writes to the County Council to request that West Oxfordshire roads are scheduled for full resurfacing, using unspent funds, and that in the meantime West Oxfordshire potholes are repaired with the best methods available using the pothole uplift funding.

**Council Procedure Rule 14.8 Alteration of Motion:*

With the consent of the seconder, and the Council, signified without discussion, a Member may alter: -

- *a motion of which they have given notice; or*
- *a motion which they have moved without notice; or*
- *an amendment to a motion they have moved.*

Only alterations which could be made as an amendment to the motion may be made.