Deputy Clerk | Swaffham Town Council

Subject: FW: Station St

From: Sent: 26 August 2021 20:05

To: Deputy Clerk | Swaffham Town Council <deputyclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: Station St

Thanks for your reply

My recent email concerned a large rainwater drain in the road outside my house which is completely blocked

I have corresponded before about the road, in particular to point out the amount of traffic much of which ignores speed limits, which poses a terrible risk to pedestrians. This is a residential area and pedestrians include elderly, disabled and young children attending a nearby school. There is also a hospital and sheltered housing in the area.

All of these pedestrians have to negotiate a busy road with NO provision to cross safely

As residents we have to cope with the condition of the road. Depressed and noisy drain and manhole covers cause vehicles to make even more noise

Thanks for raising the matter again as I had thought, previously, that by raising these issues made me a nuisance Regards

Sent from my iPhone

Deputy Clerk | Swaffham Town Council <deputyclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Mr

Thank you for contacting the Council regarding your concerns about Station Street. I am sorry I did not respond earlier to update you, however I took your concerns to the transport committee who discussed your communication at length. They have asked me to contact you for more information.

Please could you clarify which stretch of the road you have concerns about in particular. I am aware that there is a speed sign in the 30mph section on the way into town and this has meant that NCC highways have not allowed us to place our Speed awareness sign in this area. A colleague from highways does sometimes attend the transport committee, unfortunately he will not be at the next meeting but should be there in a few weeks' time and we can raise the matter with him.

Regards

Claire Smith

DeputyTown Clerk