

Clandon Road set for Safety and Surface Upgrade

Following representations made by the Parish Council taken up by Surrey County Councillor Keith Taylor. Surrey County Council have taken this up with contractors SGN about the poor standard of works and have received confirmation from SGN that they will be removing the surface course and re-doing the uneven reinstatements to ensure that they are smoother and more in-line with the carriageway. They anticipate their repairs will take place in April and these will be inspected again by Surrey when they are completed.

Keith Taylor has also confirmed that funding has been secured for two safety schemes on Clandon Rd.. The Central Road Safety Team had identified that the junction with the A3 has a poor safety record. Some central funding has been secured for a scheme which will narrow the road and extend the traffic island to slow traffic. Works were expected to begin in April.

There has been a modest improvement in Guildford Local Committee funding for the forthcoming year. This dropped from £600k in 16/17 to only £80k in 17/18. It was set to rise to £200k in 18/19. This has allowed a number of road safety schemes to be progressed. The Committee has been recommended to provide £7k for West Clandon to extend the 30mph speed limit north to Green Lane. Unusually the police are comfortable with this. Discussions on a more extensive scheme for the core of the village will continue.