



Organisation Name	Cublington Parish Council/Aston Abbots Parish Council
Project Name	Traffic Calming Scheme
Funding Stream	Community Area Priorities
Total Cost of project	£15,339.16
Amount of Match Funding	£7699.58
Amount being applied for	£7699.58
Amount suggested	£7699.58

Project Summary

Since 2000 there have been several collisions at the crossroads and multiple near misses as traffic comes from Wing around a bend to the crossroads, and as traffic attempts to cross or turn coming from Aston Abbots.

The most recent accident at the crossroads occurred on Sunday 24th September 2017 at 8pm where ambulance and police were required to attend. In addition, traffic volumes have increased significantly as Cublington is optimum for cutting across from Milton Keynes to Bicester/Oxford and vice versa.

Cublington Parish Council with support had recently received a Feasibility Report which recommended options that would reduce traffic speed.

Additionally Aston Abbots have been experiencing speeding issues in their parish with the roads into the main body of Aston Abbots there have been significant problems relating to the speed of which vehicles enter the area. Drivers using the wrong side of the road and juggernauts failing to exit the village via a narrow gated road. It has been recommended that Aston Abbots receive signing and lining to help alleviate the issues that are being experienced. There are a series of minor accidents throughout the years, specifically winter months.

In joining these projects up the costs were reduced. Cublington and Aston Abotts would like to seek match funding of 50% of the full combined project costs for these to be actioned together.

How does the project address local priorities?

The project does link with our transport priority, making the area safer for residents. It also aims to address a local problem that affects both parishes.

How does the project align with the values, objectives and corporate priorities of Buckinghamshire Council?

Whilst the project does not directly link with Buckinghamshire Council's values, objectives and priorities, the project does aim to improve road safety. The project will help to keep our residents safer when using the road in their cars or as pedestrians

How does the project achieve value for money?

The proposed option is a low cost solution that the feasibility study put forward for recommendation. The board will be receiving 50% match funding from the parish.

Community Board Coordinator comments

It is recommended that members consider this project for funding noting the above comments.

The applicant will be required to agree to terms and conditions, which include a monitoring agreement, as discussed with the Community Board Coordinator before the fund will be formally awarded.