

Pedestrian Crossing Needed for Sutton Road

Councillor Nathan Desmond, together with County Councillor Tracey Onslow for the St. Johns Division **are leading a campaign to get a dedicated pedestrian crossing installed on Sutton Road, close to Brinton Park.**

Many residents over the years have raised this important issue, to request that a safe pedestrian route over to Brinton Park is provided across the busy road. Both Nathan and

Tracey fully agree with the need and have met with senior Highways officers to look into a scheme being drawn up and funded.

Nathan said, *“Getting a pedestrian crossing installed on Sutton Road is my number one priority now. It is long overdue and a real must for pedestrian safety. Both myself and Tracey will push Highways to get this pedestrian crossing finally installed.”*



Your Local County Councillors for St Marys and St Johns, Nathan Desmond and Tracey Onslow are leading a campaign for a pedestrian crossing on Sutton Road

Trees Get a Cut Back



Tree works have been completed on Northumberland and Nathan and Kevin continue to push for other roads in the ward

Cllr Nathan Desmond and Cllr Kevin Gale are delighted to finally get the overgrown Lime trees in Northumberland Avenue cut back.

Many residents had contacted your Conservative Team to request that the work be done as most of the trees are overgrown and blocking

out the light. Both Kevin and Nathan lobbied Highways to request action on this important issue.

They are still pushing Highways to get the trees trimmed in Blount Terrace, Neville Avenue and Beauchamp Avenue.

New Drains Confirmed For Stourport Road

Cllrs Nathan Desmond and Nicky Gale are **delighted to announce that Highways have confirmed that new drains and gullies will be installed on the pedestrian crossing on Stourport Road to stop the flooding.**

Currently the pedestrian crossing floods when it rains heavily and many residents have complained to your Conservative Team. Both Nathan and Nicky have been pushing Highways for well over 12 months to get a long term solution.

Highways have now confirmed that extra drains and a new gully will be installed some time in the first quarter of 2023.



Your local team are delighted to confirm that drains and gullies will be installed early 2023 at the pedestrian crossing to reduce flooding

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NEW SPEED ACTIVATED SIGN FOR SILVERWOODS WAY

A new Speed Activated Sign for Hoobrook and Foley Park has been funded by Cllr Nathan Desmond and has been installed first on Silverwoods Way.

This new sign will inform motorists of their speed and will show a large red face if motorists are recorded to be speeding. The sign can be altered to face in both directions. These have proven to be effective at reducing vehicle speeds in other areas. The sign which cost £3900.00 has been funded by Nathan out of his devolved Highways monies. **The new sign will be shared across 3 priority roads, which are Silverwoods Way, Hoo Road and Wilden Lane, on a two month rolling cycle.** Nathan said, "Residents have told me that speeding is a big problem on Silverwoods Way, Hoo Road and Wilden Lane. I have listened by purchasing this new speed activated sign which hopefully will make a difference on these roads."



A further speed awareness measure has been installed on Silverwoods Way, funded through Nathan's Highway monies



Resurfacing works are welcomed by local Cllr Nicky Gale on Silverwoods

Road adoption on Silverwoods

Drive and surrounding roads have finally been completed. Its been long overdue and were delayed due to the building works at Berrington Court. It means now that once the final snagging has been completed and all roads and pavements are of the required standard, Highways can then complete the Section 38 Agreement with the developer to formally adopt them.

Nicky said, "Its been very frustrating for residents over the years in Felix Baxter Drive not to have proper roads and pavements and at long last they have now been completed. So hopefully these roads can be formally adopted in the not too distant future."

Cllr Nicky Gale is delighted to see that **at long last the road and pavement resurfacing works to Felix Baxter**

Cllr Nathan Desmond has monies available to distribute to local groups, charities or organisations. Cllr Desmond still has money available from his £10,000 County Divisional pot.

If you would like to apply for funds please contact Cllr Desmond by emailing him on NDesmond@worcestershire.gov.uk

Flooding Issues

Cllr Kevin Gale has **reported a number of blocked drains** in the last month, due to the recent heavy rain. The following roads have been formally logged with highways for attention:

- Addenbrook Crescent
- Chester Road South, next to the Viaduct pub
- Northumberland Avenue
- Stourport Road
- The subway underneath Worcester Road island

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