

**LOCAL COMMITTEE (WAVERLEY)****MEMBER'S QUESTION AND
RESPONSE****16 MARCH 2012****From Mr David Munro**

For many months I have been trying to ascertain from Transportation Development Planning (TDP) the status of the £5000 that I understand was obtained from the developer of 'Kelmscott', School Lane via a s106 agreement. I understand informally that it is considered that these monies are available for highways safety schemes in the vicinity. I have received several requests from local residents and Borough Councillors that, if available, the £5000 should fund a flashing 'School' light and sign on Lodge Hill Road. I agree that this would be a good use of the funds.

Could I be told please:

1. Is the £5000 available as above ? Is other funding required and if so, how much?
2. Do Highways support its use to install a 'School' sign and light ?
3. If the answer is positive, what are the timescales for its installation ?.

Committee response

1. TDP contacted the developer to clarify the situation with regard to the £5,000 funds and it can be confirmed that the money is available for road safety improvements. This should be sufficient for installation of a Vehicle Activated Sign (VAS) and additional funding will not be required.

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2. In principle Highways support the installation of a 'vehicle activated sign' in Lodge Hill Road in the vicinity of its junction with School Lane. "Slow" markings on Lodge Hill Road could be laid subject to the speed surveys results.
3. Depending on the supplier's timescales it could be three to four months before a VAS is installed and commissioned.