



Millington cum Givendale Parish Council

Introduction

The amount of traffic coming into the village seems to be increasing and this is putting increasing pressure on the available parking. The main car park at the top of the village is often full and when this happens the village streets become clogged particularly around the Rambler's Rest. This is causing tensions in the village and has resulted in emergency vehicles having difficulty negotiating their way through the village.

Strategy

Firstly, as the the council has limited resources it needs to decide whether it thinks that this issue warrants intervention by the council.

If it does, then a fact finding mission is possibly the first course of action. This could involve some or all of the following, or anything else the council consider appropriate :-

1. Signs - finding out whether the council can erect signs on lampposts throughout the village. Decide on wording , eg asking people to park responsibly. (These can be bought for modest sums eg < £50 each.)
2. Perform a survey - possibly on a couple of days , one being a weekend, to discover the reason for people parking in the village, eg residents, visiting residents, walking, cycling, visiting the Gait or the Rambler Rest. This information may assist with obtaining grant applications.
3. Yellow Lines - finding out whether East Riding would be willing to do this, particularly outside the Rambler's Rest, where the road is very narrow.
4. Provide more Parking - contact landowners to see if they would be willing to sell the council some land for parking, look for funding to make this happen.
5. Reporting offending cars to the police - find out from the community police whether a photo sent of cars causing an obstruction would lead to fines being applied
6. Consult with Residents - after a various options have been investigated to find out what residents actually want , as there will be various agendas.

This could represent a significant amount of work and will require a dedicated person or group of people who are willing to take this on.

Decisions Required

1. Decides whether the issue warrants council intervention.
2. If action is required identify a person or a group to lead this work
3. Determine whether there are any preferred approaches to be tackled first.