West Itchenor Parish Council

Speed Indicator Device report

Background

The Parish Council has been looking for a number of years at ways of reducing the speed of cars through the village. Attempts have been made to seek to reduce the speed limit from 30mph to 20mph without success. Fishbourne Parish Council has in response to similar issues relating to speeding, purchased a number of portable Speed Indicator Devices (SID).

These SID’s have with the support of County Council Officers a number of approved locations for their installation. The SID’s have to be moved every four weeks and Fishbourne Parish Council has a team of volunteers who are willing to relocated the SID’s on a monthly basis.

Proposal

It is proposed that the Parish Council considers the purchase of one or more of the SID’s to be located at points to be agreed with the Highways Officers as a measure to reduce speeding through the village. It should be noted that before the approved SID is/are purchased, approval from the Highways Officer for the specific locations will need to be agreed.

Options

A number of quotations for the supply of one or more SID’s have been sought and full details of the equipment accompany this report.

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| Supplier | Cost | Comments |
| Supplier A | £585  £785  £1260  £1920 | Simple slow down sign  Bi-colour sign that gives green speed or red speed dependant on the speed limit.  Fixed speed signs with thank you message when below limit.  Your speed signs with green smiley face or red sad face. |
| Supplier B | £2625  £2625  £2800  £2900 | Portable sign with speed limit and slow down flashing underneath  Mini SID just shows the speed of the vehicle.  Shows drivers speed with slow down flashing underneath  Shows drivers speed with angry or smiley face underneath |
| Supplier C | £2095  £2495 | Shows speed limit  Shows speed limit with slow down if exceeding the limit |
| Supplier D | £1995  £2345 | Shows speed limit  Shows speed limit with data logging function |

This is just a short summary of the options available.