

St Paul Malmesbury Without Parish Council

Report #02.2

LHFIG meeting – 27th January 2026

1. Purpose of the report

- 1.1 To invite the council to note the current status of the council's outstanding Community Issues.

2. Budget

- 2.1 The present budget as of 1st January 2026 is £103,334 with £90,010 committed to approved projects, including anticipated contributions from those councils with approved projects. £13,334 remains unallocated to fund new projects in 2025 however Wiltshire Highways continues to experience manpower issues in respect of servicing additional projects.

2.2 Summary

Community Issue	Description	Status
7-24-34	Request for low-level lighting along the footpath by the River Avon at Cuckingstool Mead and towards Parliament Row	Discussion need between this council and MTC to agree what is needed before cost estimates sought - item closed at present and a review of the need in the darker winter months.
7-25-23	Turtle Bridge, bend dangerous crossing for pedestrians	Confusion over which bend by Turtle Bridge the complainant was referring to and therefore which parish 'owns' the issue - a post and two warning signs proposed by Highways, supported by council and erection during the coming months
7-25-32	Milbourne footpath extension on C67 - stage III	Following a brief discussion and an improbably high estimate of cost by the Highway engineer it was decided that the project was not one for LHFIG but should be the subject of a Substantive Highway Scheme request

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