

UPDATE -ROAD SAFETY IN EAST HADDON December 2018

The recent dreadful accidents at our junction with the A428, one resulting in a tragic fatality, have concentrated our minds on how to avoid such accidents in future. Your Parish Council has been in touch with Highways Department to express great concern. We have been in communication with Councillor Ian Morris who heads up Highways and he has passed our concerns onto the Operations Director.

Councillor Morris, whilst very sympathetic, explained that the matter has to follow due process. Firstly, the police investigation has to be completed. Secondly, the details will then go before the Coroner who, on hearing all the facts will make recommendations. This process, unfortunately, may take several months. We can assure you that we will do everything possible to ensure that this matter does not get put on a back burner!!

On a more immediate matter, the Parish Council has purchased two Speed Indicator Devices (SIDs) in an attempt to slow traffic through the village. One will be situated near the entrance in Holdenby Road on the left-hand side. The other will be situated on the left-hand side of Tilbury Road as one drives into the village from the A428. These SIDs are exactly the same as the two operating into and out of Long Buckby.

Concern has been expressed about the junction where Tilbury Road meets Ravensthorpe Road and Main Street. There has been a number of near misses. Highways have agreed to join Council representatives to assess the situation.

As and when we have more news on road safety in East Haddon, we will use this web-site to up-date you.
