Minutes of a Meeting of the Roads Committee held on

Monday 5th October 2026 at 9am

Public Hall - Parish of St Martin

Present:

Karen Shenton Stone (KSS) (Chair)
Mick Jehan (MJ)
Richard Le Cornu (RLC)
Danny Wherry (DW)

Apologies:

Pete Stone (PS)

In attendance: Charles Alluto (CA) (Parish Secretary)

1. **Agenda, Apologies and Conflicts of Interest:**

Rev. Pete Stone had given his apologies.
No conflicts of interest were noted.

2. **Minutes of Previous Meeting held on Monday 7th September 2026.**

The Minutes of the Meeting on Monday 7th September were approved and signed by the Connétable.

3. **Action Points & Matters Arising:**

(i) Road Sweeping Contract:
Ongoing.

(ii) Rue de Neuilly:
It was noted that the current resurfacing works appeared to have adequately addressed the problem. However, it was agreed to further review later in the week when heavy rain had been forecast.

(iii) Election of Roads Inspectors:
It was noted that Josh Richardson and Steve De La Haye had decided not to stand for re-election in December. The Committee discussed potential candidates and it was agreed that the vacancies would be advertised on the Parish website.

(iv) Road Repairs - schedule of works:
Ongoing.

(v) La Rue de Fliquet – Contractor Works:
It was noted that the contractor had been duly advised of their obligation to ensure that none of their vehicles caused an obstruction. It was acknowledged that a considerable amount of work was happening in the vicinity with four active building sites as well as Jersey Electricity putting overhead cables underground.

(vi) Drains Schedule:
It was agreed that DW would provide MJ with the schedule of Parish roads so that MJ could commence the review.

4. La Rue de la Perruque – JEC/Geomarine works

It was noted that the works being undertaken by Geomarine on behalf of the JEC would not have an impact upon the road repair works undertaken by the Parish in 2025.

5. Rozel Valley – Road Sweeping Contract

Following the recent email from a resident in Rozel Valley regarding the road sweeping contract, it was agreed to arrange a meeting with the contractor at the earliest opportunity. In the interim the resident would be sent a holding email advising that the matter was in hand.

6. Speeding – Rue du Huquet

It was noted that the Committee had received a letter from a Parishioner requesting that the speed limit for Rue du Huquet be changed from 40mph to 20mph. The Roads Committee pointed out that Rue du Huquet was a States road and no requests had been received to change the speed limit during the recent public consultation.

CA was requested to advise the Parishioner accordingly and also to inform him that Rue des Cabarettes (where the Parishioner lived) would be changing to 15 mph.

7. Rose Lea Development

CA was requested to seek clarification from the developer regarding the proposals for improving the visibility splays and storage of refuse bins.

8. AOB

Berni Centre

It was noted that a number of events and activities were now being held at the Berni Centre and this was causing some minor traffic issues. It was therefore agreed to order a sign stating no left turn which could be erected opposite the exit on an existing pole. It was hoped this would help alleviate the current problems.

Branchage

It was noted that the hedge still needed cutting at Clair Val. CA was requested to contact the owners accordingly.

Island Energy – Infrastructure Works

Concerns were expressed that given the large amount of works being proposed by Island Energy around the Public Hall that the diversion arrangements could result in congestion along Rue de la Mare des Reines. It was suggested that the road should be one way during the works period.

Road Signs

DW requested that a new slow squirrel sign on a green background with silver lettering be ordered to replace the sign stolen from Rozel Valley.

It was also noted by DW that none of the Road signs had yet been cleaned. CA responded that this would be undertaken during the winter months as the current priority was grass cutting and drain cleaning.

Site Visit Notes

None

9. Date of Next Meeting – 9am, Wednesday 4th November 2026

Signed: K Vibert **Date:** 4th November 2026

Connétable

Action Points:

a. To meet Vautier Municipal Limited to review 2 year extension to contract – CA & MJ

b. To review Rue de Neuilly after rainfall – MJ, RLC & DW

c. To advertise Roads Inspectors vacancies on Parish website - CA

d. To finalise draft schedule of works for 2026/2027 – MJ, RLC & DW

e. To review drains maintenance schedule – MJ

f. To advise Parishioner about speed limits on Rue du Huquet – CA

g. To seek clarification on visibility splays for Rose Lea – CA

h. To order signage for Berni Centre – CA

i. To chase Clair Val regarding branchage infraction – CA

j. To order "Slow Squirrel" sign for Rozel Valley - CA