WISES LANE MONITORING GROUP

SEPTEMBER 2025

Following last month's meeting, questions raised were forwarded to DHA for their response (in green).

- 1. When Leaving the village and heading towards the A2 past your compound Wises Lane has a worn out give way sign in the road and you have to turn left into Platinum way. The old wises lane, going to Maylam Gardens roundabout, looks as if it is still open for access apart from a white kerb stones. Could either a turn left sign of bollards be put in to show that this road is no longer accessible? BDW are currently reviewing the situation and exploring options to address this.
- 2. The new footpaths from Chestnut Street roundabout up to your sales office has been dug up and no alternative provided for pedestrians. These works have been completed and the footway is now re-opened.
- 3. Still to be resolved from last month:- With the foot path closures around wises lane the only alternative for pedestrians to access the village from the A2 is to walk in the road. This area is very busy with compound access and normal driving to and from the village. A safer route would be to use your footpath provided for the water works but behind your security fence, BPC think this we this would be a nice gesture from BDW to show concern on pedestrian welfare within this area. It is not possible to re-open the temporary footpath at this stage, as it is intersected by the link road which is currently under construction and would be unsafe for public access.

We have gone back to DHA regarding their reply to item 3 as this does not relate to the area we are raising. We are questioning a part of the temporary footpath opposite the compound to the Oast Business Centre, from the right hand side of their double gates as you look at them (next to their staff carpark). We have returned to ask again and await a reply.

We apologise for the lateness of this Report, but we were waiting on confirmation from DHA

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