

MOTIONS

(a) Nazeing

"That this Council:

"In the interests of road safety and economic development urgently request Essex County Council to reconsider and note:

- (a) the contents of the attached report by the mover of the motion;
- (b) the suitability of County Routes and minor roads in Dobbs Weir;
- (c) the findings of the Focus Day 10 March 2007 and report dated 22 May 2007;
- (d) the findings of the Road Traffic Survey conducted 7 March 2007 and reports dated January and May 2008;
- (e) the impact of the expansion of a large commercial area on the Essex border upon a road system that is not fit for purpose due to its age, design and functionality;
- (f) that section 106 funding for road infrastructure seems to have been applied exclusively to roads on the Hertfordshire side of the boundary;
- (g) the impact of granting Vehicle Operator Licenses for lorry parks within the residential and Weight restricted areas of Nazeing;

with a view to restricting, redirecting HGV's and taking physical action to reduce the risks to local residents and businesses".

Mover: Councillor Mrs A Cooper

Seconder: Councillor P Gode

(b) Highway Repairs

"That the Portfolio Holder for Civil Engineering & Maintenance -

(a) obtain from Essex County Council the following information:

- (i) the status, financial allocation and costs of road repairs (potholes) in the District;
- (ii) the cost of "spot" road repairs per visit;
- (iii) the cost of temporary road repairs per visit bearing in mind their short lifespan; and

(b) seek assurances from the County Council that it will ensure that its contractors carry out road repairs to a higher standard and in a shorter timescale thereby achieving better value for money and a level of service which reflects what residents want."

Mover: Councillor Mrs P Richardson

Seconder: tba