

# Hasketon Quiet Lanes

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# What is a Quiet Lane?



Nationally recognised designation for rural single track roads

- With no road markings or footpaths
- With low traffic flows/speeds
- Shared by -
  - Walkers
  - Cyclists
  - Horse riders
  - Motorised users



# Why have a Quiet Lane?



- Motorised users to ***'Expect and Respect'*** more vulnerable road users
- Walkers, horse riders and cyclists can enjoy rural lanes in greater safety
- Help to retain the rural nature & tranquility of country lanes



# Recap

- £235k funding for QLs across the County of Suffolk
- 3 villages have developed and trialled a self-help community model
- 134 Parishes have designated lanes so far
- 382 lanes across Suffolk have been proposed
- 487 km is the total distance of lanes proposed

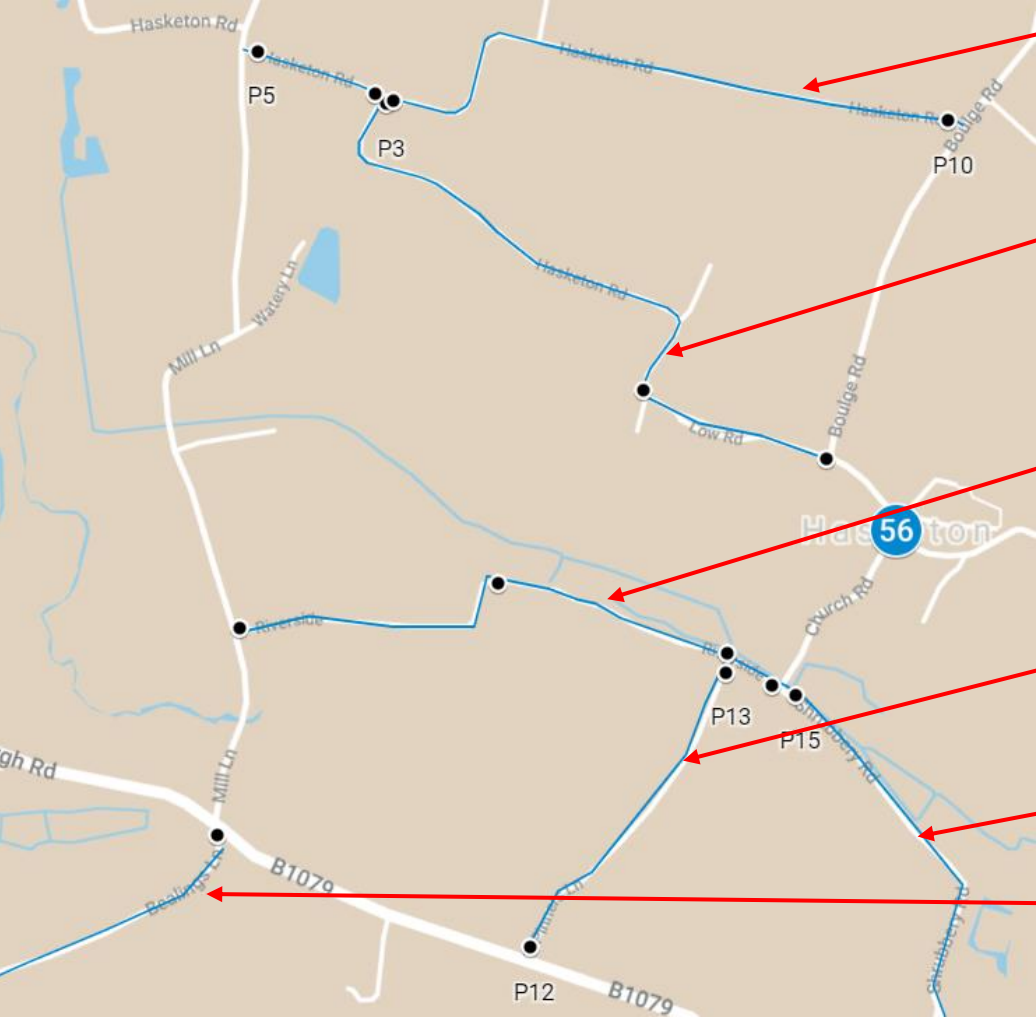


# Progress to date

- 5 lanes identified and approved by Parish Council
- 6<sup>th</sup> lane proposed 'Bealings Lane' shared with Hasketon Rd under Bealings PC
- Lane identifiers, grid references and lengths were submitted online to Suffolk QL project
- All 6 Lanes already validated by Suffolk QL project team and assigned to Wave 1 for first batch going to public consultation and final designation in early 2021 pending Hasketon PC approval
- Proposed siting of signage and posts submitted Dec 2020: see map below



# Progress to date – Map of Hasketon Quiet Lanes (in blue)



1. Chimney Pot through to jct with Low Road

2. Top Road (from jct with Boulge Rd) continuing on Low Road to jct with Mill Lane

3. Riverside from Church Lane to jct with Mill Lane

4. Pinners Lane

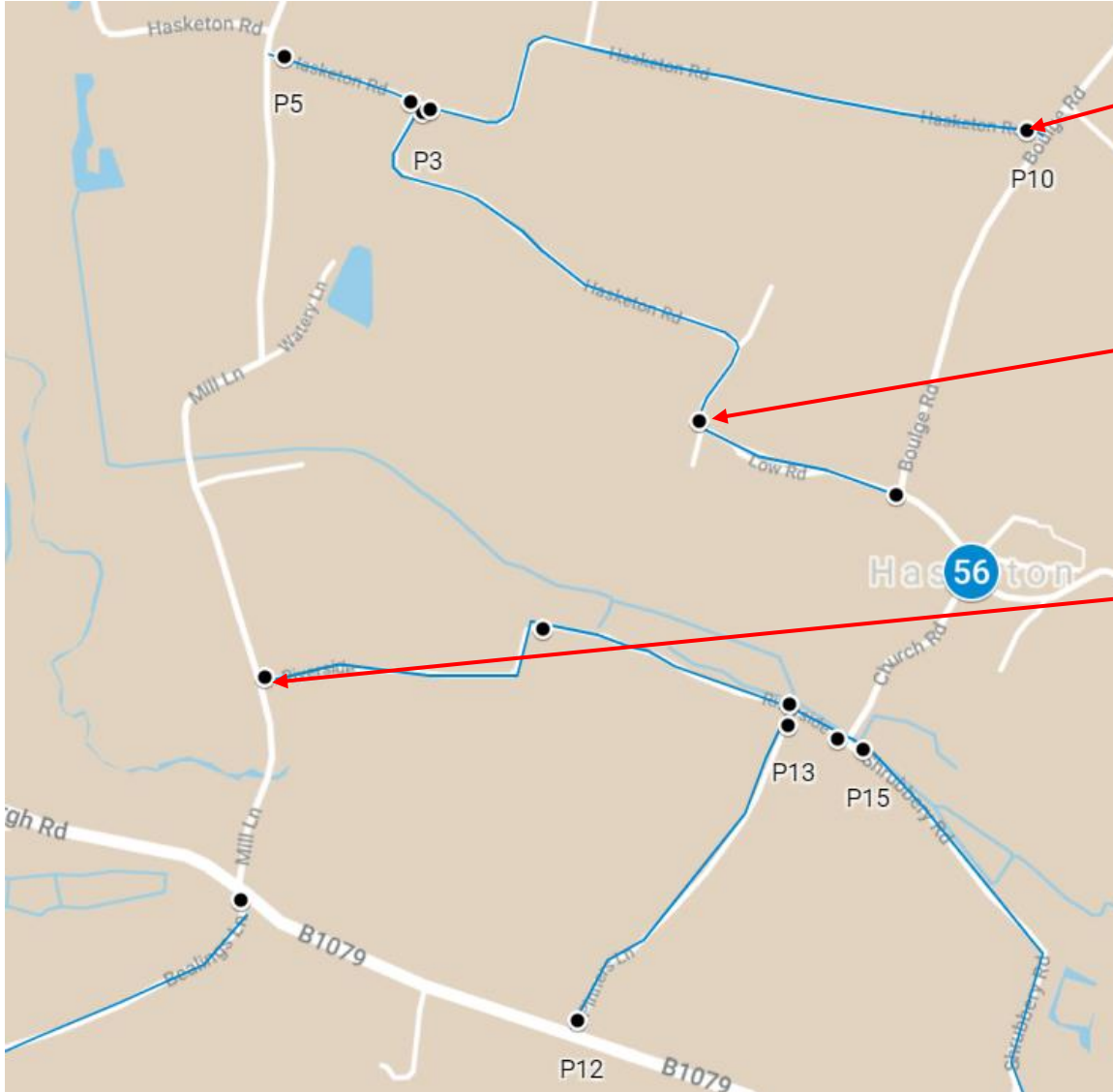
5. Shruberry Rd

6. Bealings Lane (Hasketon PC) connecting with Hasketon Road (Bealings PC)



# Progress to date – Signage

Examples of 3 types of sign



Entry Sign



Repeater Sign



Exit Sign



# Progress to date – Signage

Total

SIGN	(mm)	Entry	Exit	Total		
repeater	340 x 220	13	0	13	£	520
small	510 x 405	0	0	0	£	-
medium	680 x 540	11	7	18	£	900
<b>Totals</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>1,420</b>

POST	(mm)	Grey (default)	Black	Total		
Custom	see notes	0	0	0	£	-
Existing	existing (sts)	1	0	1	£	-
Extension	510	0	0	0	£	-
2.3m	2310	4	0	4	£	760
2.6m	2610	10	0	10	£	1,900
3.2m	3210	1	0	1	£	190
3380	3.4m	0	0	0	£	-
<b>Total</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>2,850</b>

**Lanes 6**  
**Posts 15**  
**Signs 31**

Entry and Exit signs are required at the start and end of each QL  
Repeater signage is recommended on longer lanes or where a sharp bend exists and the need to remind users is required



# Current estimates of costs and available grants

	Overall Cost £	Council Grant £	Residual to be made up
Total cost of signage before grants	4,270		
Suffolk County Council budgetary allowance <sup>a</sup>		600	
East Suffolk Parish grant allowance <sup>b</sup>		1,800	
Hasketon shortfall			1,870

<sup>a</sup> Only one SCC allowance per Parish

<sup>b</sup> East Suffolk Council allowance per Parish per route

Details from Hasketon-QLS\_Volunteer\_Workbook\_v5f: accessed 2 Jan 2021

# Key Questions for Council

## 1. Are we all agreed on the QLS submitted?

- all 6 have been approved by the QLS project team
- do we agree on lane 6 – Bealings Lane
- Council approval may depend on shortfall costs



# Key Questions for Council

2. Could the Council consider funding the £1,870 shortfall?



# Key Questions for Council

## 3. Village Awareness

- Initial Parish awareness; Council aware and minuted, but do we want to post on Hasketon Happenings?
- Open parish meeting is this meeting. If we agree to proceed we will confirm with the project and move to the formal village notification process

Parish Timetable	Responsibility	Phase 2 Wave 1
Lane nomination validation confirmed by	QLS team	1-Dec-20
Initial submission of completed lane nominations online by	Parish lead	22-Dec-20
Initial parish awareness completed by	Parish	7-Jan-21
Open parish meeting held & Parish Council decision to proceed confirmed by	Parish lead	31-Jan-21
<b>Final spreadsheet submitted for formal notification, with Parish Council agreement to proceed, by</b>	<b>Parish lead</b>	<b>1-Feb-21</b>
Formal public notification commences (press notification )	QLS team	22-Feb-21
Parish letters and notices to be displayed & delivered	Parish lead	22-Feb-21
Deadline for public representations to be received by SCC	Public	15-Mar-21



Available at: <https://sites.google.com/view/quietlanessuffolk/qls/parish-milestones?authuser=0>

# Information for Council on public awareness

Details of information for public notification process (starting 22 Feb 2021) are available at

<https://sites.google.com/view/quietlanessuffolk/resources/templates?authuser=0>

