

PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO COUNCIL – 24 JULY 2009

Question from Mr P McKay, Leominster, Hereford.

I have put a number of questions to Council, engaged in the feedback system as encouraged to do, put forward suggestions for Scrutiny, and raised questions at scrutiny meetings re: agenda items, all relating to the value and importance of having complete and correct highway records, yet discovering that it would appear that the possible cost of maintenance of unrecorded ways discourages corrective action, i.e., there is a conflict of interest between your duty to protect the public right of passage v the possible cost of maintaining that passage, with the latter concern appearing to dominate.

- 5.1 *I have suggested in my feedback responses, and by means of question of scrutiny committee re: agenda item, both as yet without reply, that Council raises a report concerning the accuracy of its highway records, along with questionable errors and omissions, in order that the issues raised may be fully understood, discussed and policies concerning them agreed in a proper open and democratic manner, and I now ask the full Council if you will raise such a report?*