

Two things

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Hi Jill,

I hope you're well. Please accept my apologies for the delay in getting back to you.

The first item refers to four items in a letter and I'll answer them in the same order as laid out in the letter.

1. Any further road markings can be added when the road marking team is in Withersfield again. The call out costs are very high and we would only ask them to come out if they are substantial amount of work to do. Unfortunately, It is unlikely that they will come out any time soon.
2. The only physical way to stop drivers cutting the corner would be to install a traffic island in the middle of the carriageway, however, this road is subject to lots of large farm traffic, hence, this would be in-appropriate.
3. We have cut the overhanging shrubbery in the past but this is on private land and we can ask the landowners to keep it trimmed back. The problem is that they will not cut it during the nesting season, hence, it's unlikely to be cut until September.
4. As you may be aware, moving any regulatory signs will require the amendment of the Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) to make it legal and enforceable. The cost of amending any TRO can be from £2k -£5k, depending on how many objections are received. However, our legal department are unlikely to consider amending the TRO without a valid reason.

The second item in your email refers to another noticeboard – We would issue a licence, free of charge, but you will need to send us the size details of the noticeboard and a plan showing the location. If you have any difficulties doing the plan, I can prepare that for you. Please ask Mary Evans, copied, to see me when she's at West Suffolk House and show me where you want it.

I hope that helps.

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