Information/Response -

Highways Issues raised at the last Community Forum

- Highways issues outside the Express and Star office.
- Cannock Road, Heath Hayes and the increase in traffic and HGVs, and also the potential increase in traffic caused by future highways works on the Five-Ways island.

Mr. M. Keeling, Community Infrastructure Liaison Manager, Staffordshire County Council reported the following:

"The manhole covers near the Express and Star are not the County's, however this has been reported to South Staffs Water. We are chasing this matter regularly and will update as soon as possible.

The Cannock Road Heath Hayes is the A5190 and as such is the main route for the majority of traffic. As the "A" road it is expected to carry HGV traffic. The alternative route (Hednesford Road) is also busy however; there is a Weight Restriction on this road which prevents HGVs from using it.

I believe there was a slight depression in the centre of the carriageway near the junction of Newlands Lane, we will need to inspect this again to see if it meets intervention levels".