

**WRITTEN QUESTION – NOVEMBER 2011**

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| 1. | <p><b>Received 15<sup>th</sup> November 2011</b></p> <p><b>Target response by 28<sup>th</sup> November 2011</b></p> | <p><b>Councillor Gibson</b></p> <p>Following several accidents in Cressing Road over the last 6 months, including two which have led to loss of life, the residents of Cressing Road and Chapel Hill are concerned about the on-going safety on these roads. There is special concern about the speed some cars are going around the 'S' bends on Cressing Road (at the top end of Chapel Hill) and the on-slip from Chapel Hill on to Cressing Road.</p> <p>What measures can the Council take to apply pressure to Essex County Council to alleviate any road safety issues in this area?</p> | <p><b>Response by Wendy Schmitt, Cabinet Member for the Environment</b></p> <p>The District Council raised the issue of accidents in Cressing Road as a matter of concern with Essex County Council at a meeting of the Braintree District Local Highways Panel on 17th November 2011. Essex County Council Highways Department will be discussing the issue with Essex Police to consider if there are any appropriate measures that might be introduced to improve road safety in Cressing Road and avoid a recurrence.</p> | 16/11/11     | 22/11/11  |

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