

## COUNTY COUNCIL – 18 JULY 2024

### QUESTIONS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDING ORDER 16.1.1

#### First Questions

**1. From Councillor Malcolm Wallace to Councillor Lulu Bowerman, the Executive Member for Highways and Waste**

For two years now Hampshire County Council has been investigating concerns raised by local residents and environmental organisations about vehicles using a 200m stretch of the River Meon in Droxford as a splash route (U189). Residents have supplied evidence of the on-going impact that vehicles driving up and down the river is causing to this internationally recognised chalk stream, which is designated as a County Site of Importance for Nature Conservation. As local County Councillors, both Cllr Stallard and I have seen the impact for ourselves, and we are keen that this issue is addressed as soon as possible. Therefore, whilst Hampshire Highways investigations continue, will the Council put an immediate TRO on the route to stop further damage?

**2. From Councillor Jackie Porter to Councillor Lulu Bowerman, the Executive Member for Highways and Waste**

What pedestrian and cycling facilities will be provided to the south of Stoney Lane on the Andover Road when the new Andover Road is operational?