ADDERBURY PARISH COUNCIL

Date of Parish Council Meeting	Tuesday 25 February 2020
Agenda Item Number	Item 9 (iii)
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Title of Report	Parking in The Rise
Summary	To discuss the parking issues in The Rise.
Recommendation	County Council Highways Officers and Thames Valley Police be alerted to the issue and the County Council be asked whether any line marking can be introduced at this junction. However there would not be any enforcement of the line marking, but it could deter some drivers.
Reasons for the Recommendation	To alleviate the issue of parking around this junction.
Impact on Budget	None.
Risks	If the issue is not addressed, there is the potential risk of an accident in this area. However, it could also encourage more people to park on the grass in the middle of The Rise, which is also an issue.
Background	The Parish Council has regularly received complaints about parking in The Rise.
Supporting documents; advice, reports etc should always be attached to the report and listed here	Email from a resident: I am concerned that the parking of cars in the approach to The Rise from the Oxford Road poses a significant risk. Vehicles turning into The Rise potentially have nowhere to go and either end up blocking the road in passing the parked cars, or overhanging the Oxford Road itself. The Highway Code advises against parking within 10 metres either opposite or next to a junction. Although not an offence, I feel that allowing parking in the approach to The Rise is likely one day to lead to a serious accident, particularly due to the proximity of schoolchildren and parents at certain times of day.