

through Marleberg Grange to join up with the footpath in Cherry Orchard. One section was too narrow for cycles and a diversion route had been identified near the former adult learning centre. There had been legal delays with one landowner; once resolved contractors would be appointed. Budget had been secured, including for a Toucan crossing, although work may not begin until the following financial year depending upon contractor availability. It was expected that Wiltshire Council's 1–3-year strategy would be published soon, and Councillor Thomas was hopeful that extensions to Marlborough's walking and cycling paths would feature.

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

There were no questions.

IDEAS FOR AFFORDABLE ECO-FRIENDLY HOMES

Students **Oliver Markham, Timon Piercy, Jack Ross and Rex Vickerman**, currently in Year 12 at St John's, presented their award-winning ideas for affordable eco-friendly homes in Marlborough. All present congratulated them on an excellent presentation of a clever, attractive and achievable idea, which had thoroughly deserved to win first prize at the inaugural ICE (Institution of Civil Engineers) David Butler Award.

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APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from **Councillors Fogg, Ross, Loosmore, Barrett-Morton, Heath, Davies, Sheppard, Luson and Shantry**

The **Town Mayor** closed the meeting as there were not enough Councillors present to be quorate and asked that any agenda items that would still be time-relevant be added to the agenda for the next meeting.

The meeting closed at 7.37 pm

Signed: Date:
Town Mayor