1st July 2009

Public Question Time

- 1) Mr.Calcraft said there is more and more dog mess around the Millhayes Hall; he asked if more signs could be put up. It was decided to send a letter to all the residents in Millhayes to say that if they have a dog to please ensure any mess is cleared up.
- 2) A resident had noted that Mr.Radford had been asked to arrange for the derelict footway across the floodplain to be taken down; what was happening about this. Mrs.Stallard said that it had been decided to leave the old structure in place until the proposed new one is built as it gave people something to hold on to if they tried to wade through the flood water.

Mr.Povah reported that another letter had just been sent off to the Environment Agency; they had wanted the bridge raised to the level of the flood water in 1968. This had been achieved by altering the design slightly, which he hoped they would approve. Once it is all cleared with the Environment Agency it will then have to go to Highways; they are happy with things so far. Mr.Povah said he is reasonably confident it will go ahead.

Mrs.Stallard said that the fact that 90% of the people who had filled out the questionnaire at Christmas had indicated that they wanted a new raised footway will help us to get this project approved.

3) Mrs.Stallard thanked everyone who had attended the Civic Service on Sunday.