617. To discuss B4525 Helmdon Crossroads Safety and Recent Serious Collision

There was a collision at the B4525 Helmdon crossroads at 13:20 on Friday 4th September 2026 involving a HS2 lorry (travelling on B4525) and a car (travelling from Radstone Rd).

On Sunday 6th September the Chair of the Parish Council contacted Helen Howard (Community Liaison Officer - Transport & Highways) to formally request a new safety assessment of the junction.

Helen confirmed that she has spoken with the Road Safety Team, they decided that the recent accident was not sufficiently serious to trigger a new safety assessment of the junction as adequate signage is in place surrounding the junction.