Community Speedwatch- Volunteers Needed.

Ringshall Parish Council has been invited to take part in a Community Speedwatch Scheme in partnership with Somersham and Great Bricett. Community Speedwatch is organised and supported by Suffolk Police

The scheme will enable local volunteers to be actively involved in helping to reduce speeding vehicles in Ringshall. The aim is to make drivers aware that excessive speed is socially unacceptable, re educate them about the dangers of speeding and address concerns from local residents about cars speeding through the Village.

The scheme involves volunteers using a speed measuring camera at specified locations, to record the speed of passing vehicles. The details of vehicles exceeding the speed limit will be passed onto the Police for further action to be taken.

There must be a minimum of 6 volunteers for each scheme to operate. All equipment for volunteers to use will be provided by the Parish Council. Volunteers will be trained by the Police, who will also approve the sites in the village where speed checks can be safely carried out.

All volunteers must be over 18 years old.

If anyone would like to put themselves forward as a volunteer or would like any further information about the scheme please contact David Kemp. Tel. 01473 657601 or e mail davidjkemp@aol.com