## **North Cadbury Parish Council**

## **Highways Report March 2025**

In the absence of Chris Jose I have driven the parish roads in the past couple of days and this is a brief report of the current situation.

## **Potholes**

I was pleasantly surprised at the state of the roads generally, possibly much improved because they are now dry, there is a seriously large pothole appearing along West Street in Yarlington which appears to be the break up of repairs carried out following the May 23 flood. I have reported this as there is a danger of damage to vehicles.



West St Yarlington

Additionally there are potholes along Stoke Lane (near to Yarlington Mill Farm) and Long Street Galhampton (near to the village hall)

Both Frog Lane and Ridgeway Lane remain in a very poor state of repair due mainly to the constant passage of heavy duty aggregate lorries.

## **Hedges and Ditches**

Trimming of hedges during the winter months has been very effective and they are generally looking very good and, of course, there will be an

embargo on any further work in this respect from now until the end of August.

The same cannot be said for the state of some of the ditches around the parish and as there is unlikely to be any support from the Council bearing in mind the present state of finances the time is coming when we may have to consider engaging in conversation with landowners.

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