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	Roads, footpaths and transport						
1	Improve the quality of life and safety on and around the A1123. This will include reducing traffic noise, the volume of traffic, from increased housing developments and when the A14 is closed, improving safety at junctions, developing a cycle path and providing pedestrian crossings.	Develop an A1123 Action Group. This new, volunteer group, led by the Parish Council, will devise an action plan to focus on delivery of this priority.	Action Group in place by March 2009. Action Plan devised by May 09	High	Parish Council Village volunteers Cambs. County Council - A14 Villages Group; Guided Bus Team; Hunts District Council.	Yes	A1123 Group disbanded. Signage in place for new speed limit. Cycle track between Marina & village scheduled late 2011. Installation of pedestrian crossings under review.
2	Reduce the speed of buses and vehicles through	Raise awareness of the concerns around speed with a Parish Council	Campaign devised by May 09. Discussions	High	Parish Council Schools Pubs Village	Yes	Ongoing

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	Houghton and Wyton	led campaign working with the schools, villagers, pubs, village magazine and work with the Police to investigate Speedwatch system.	with the Police held by May 09. Activity begun in June 09		volunteers Village magazine editorial team		
3	Improve the quality and maintenance of the Thicket Path consistent with the natural environment	Short term improvements in the maintenance of the Path sought. Consultation on the long term options for the Path to be held.	Parish Council to update and implement regular maintenance programme for the Path by April 09. Consultation held by March 2010	High	Parish Council St Ives Town Council	Possibly	Ongoing No monies available. Now part of St Ives West proposal. New sign to be erects at St Ives end of Thicket to welcome visitors to our parish. Change of use to be monitored by PC.

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4	Improve the quality and number of dropped pavement kerbs In order to make it easier for wheelchair, prams, and pushchair users to use the village paths and pavements.	Survey villages to identify preferred sites for dropped kerbs and concerns about existing sites. Install and improve dropped kerbs as part of routine maintenance	Survey carried out by July 09. Improved kerbs in place by October 09	Medium	Parish Council Cambs County Council Village Magazine	Yes	Ongoing No further progress in obtaining funding.
5	Provide a bus stop on the Guided/Fast Bus route that people from our 3 villages can easily access	The Parish Council will represent village request to the CCC Guided Bus Liaison Group of the Guided/Fast Bus	Discussions held by June 09	High	Parish Council Cambs County Council	Yes	Ongoing. PC will continue to press for GB stop for village. Whippet to continue to provide bus service for village.

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	discussions with CCC.	August 09		Cambs County Council Bus companies	None	More buses going to WOTH because of higher usage. Loss of services at peak times does not help.
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9	To ensure that housing growth should be limited to a maximum of 10 houses in a group or single houses.	Parish Council to ensure that this view is reflected in the Hunts District Council Core Strategy. Parish Council Planning Committee will be the guardian of the residents strongly held wishes as reflected in this plan.	This is ongoing.	High	Hunts District Council Parish Council	Yes	Parish Boundary change means majority of housing in new proposal in our parish.
10	Maintain the green spaces within the villages	Parish Council to ensure that this view is reflected in the Hunts District Council Core Strategy. See 8 and 9	This is ongoing.	High	Hunts District Council Parish Council	Yes	Concern over the proposed loss of the Strategic green gap between St Ives & village

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	Conservation and environment						
11	Reduce the amount of litter in the villages particularly around the lock area at bank holidays	Clean up delivered by village volunteers. Parish Council will discuss with the National Trust and the Caravan Site to try to get more litter bins provided	Village clean up carried out by April 09. Parish Council will have met with NT and caravan site by May 09	High	Village volunteers. Parish Council National Trust Caravan Site	None	Ongoing Lady from St Ives regularly picks up litter on her walk to village Article for Parish Mag to thank her.
12	Eradicate dog mess from village paths and playing fields. Ensuring that dog owners clear up their pets mess	Run an awareness campaign linked into celebrating the important features of the parish.	Awareness campaign run in village magazine by Nov 09	High	Dog owners Dog wardens Hunts District Council	None	Ongoing Still problem with dog fouling, despite provision of extra bins.

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13	Maintain important features of the village eg retaining the Green, Potto Brown statue	Celebrate features regularly	Ongoing features in village magazine	Medium	Village volunteers Village magazine	None	Ongoing Wildlife Trust has purchased field adjacent to Houghton Meadows following public appeal.
14	Ensure we know about the biodiversity of the village	Record the biodiversity of the villages	Volunteer recording programme carried out annually, advised by CCC Biodiversity officer	Medium	Village volunteers Cambs County Council	None	Ongoing Volunteers still needing, perhaps Wildlife Trust could help?
15	Ensure the drainage of the villages is up to date	Parish Council to monitor concerns and alert HDC/CCC	Ongoing	Medium	Hunts District Council Cambs District Council	None	Ware Lane being monitored & action taken within 24hrs of reporting.

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	Community, leisure and sport						
16	Develop a venue for community and activities at Wyton on the Hill	The new WOTH Parish Council will lead on this work	Plans in place by 2010.	High	New Parish Council	None	Now the responsibility of WOTH PC.
17	Ensure that the village shop and post office in Houghton stay open	Villages residents to continue to use the shop and post office regularly and frequently	Ongoing	High	Villages Shop owners	None	Ongoing PO saved. Hairdressers now a Gift Shop. Concern over proposed mini supermarket on the St Ives West development.
18	Support the development of a luncheon club for residents with disabilities and carers	Volunteers to be sought to be develop this work	Magazine article to ask for volunteers published by July 09.	Low	Village volunteers Village magazine	None	Ongoing 'T-pot' meetings closed for lack of support. Investigation ongoing to consider buying the

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							Three Horseshoes as a community pub.
19	Support the introduction of adult education or evening classes in the villages	Steering Group will provide information to CCC on the level of interest in the village	Information to CCC by April 09	Low	Cambs County Council	None	Ongoing This may change when new community building opened at the School.
20	Ensure village facilities take into account the demographics of the villages i.e that the population is aging	Steering Group to raise awareness of Parish Council	By April 09	Medium	Parish Council	None	Ongoing Census records to be checked for latest demographics

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	Community Safety						
21	Parishioners would like to feel more secure and less worried about crime particularly burglary	Parish Council will raise these concerns with the police and a Neighbourhood Policing Panels	Ongoing	High	Parish Council Police	None	Ongoing. WOTH primarily although villagers need to report ANY crimes. Use of e-cops site recommended.
	Health						
22	Improve access to NHS dentists	Steering Group to inform NHS Cambridgeshire of the number of people who would like an NHS dentist	Information to NHS by April 09	Medium	NHS Cambridgeshire	None	Achieved. Most Dental Practices in the area now have NHS vacancies.
	Least dames are se-						
23	Improve awareness and understanding of the role of local district & county councillors	Local councillors will consider how best to raise awareness	ongoing	Medium		None	Alan Williams & Ian Bates are our elected DCs.

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	Business and communications						
24	Improve knowledge of local businesses about local services	Annual directory of services to be produced	First directory produced by March 2010	Low	Village magazine Hunts District Council	None	On hold. It was noted that most local businesses advertise in the village magazine.
25	Improve broadband service in areas where it is less robust	Parish Council will report difficulties to HDC and engage with the Digital Debate, collecting detail of areas of difficulty.	Report to HDC by July 09	Medium	Parish Council Hunts District Council	None	Improved Broadband through BT Infinity.
26	Ensure villages can share information on telephone networks with good coverage in the area	Parish Council to work with village magazine to survey views. PC to write to Orange to update them of apparent lack of coverage in the area.	Survey conducted by Nov 09. Letter to Orange by August 09	Low	Parish Council Villagers	None	New masts have been erected in the area but without noticeable improvement.