



## **COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH**

The Parish Council is concerned about the problem of motorists travelling at speed around the parish. Efforts are being made to try to find a solution to the problem, including working with the police. One option available is for the community to engage in a scheme called **SPEEDWATCH**.

This is a community led scheme, whereby a minimum of 6 volunteers undertake a short training course with the police in the operating of a speed gun. The volunteers work together over a short period of time to monitor and record details of vehicles travelling at speed. These details are passed to the police who issue letters to the vehicle owners, informing that the vehicles has been noted travelling at speed.

Volunteers do not have any legal rights and there is no prosecution at the end of the process, but the evidence gathered will be useful to assist in getting further action to be taken in relation to this problem.

A plea is being made for volunteers to come forward. Any interested persons should contact the Parish Council via the website:-

[http://www.stensonfieldspc.org.uk/contact\\_us.php](http://www.stensonfieldspc.org.uk/contact_us.php)

