Update Northern Relief Road

Ian Lewis (Swale Borough Council)

"This scheme is currently under development by KCC and a route will be consulted upon later this year.

So, it is a bit premature to report now because this will be happening. A report will be made to JTB on this later in the year."

John Turner (Kent Highway Services)

"There are several elements to the overall SNRR scheme."

The section from A249 at Grovehurst to Ridham Avenue and that from Castle Road to East Hall have been built by developers. That between Ridham Avenue and Castle Road (including the Milton Creek bridge) is the subject of the report I did for the Swale JTB and will be under construction later this year, and the last section is from East Hall to the A2, around Bapchild.

This section is currently having route options finalised with a view to consultation late in the year. Project management is with George Chandler.

So, it would be premature to have a report on the "Bapchild link" to the Swale Rural Forum now."