

Clerk's Report to Bawdsey Parish Council Meeting of March 2017

Clerk's actions:

1. Forwarded latest Deben Estuary Report from CB to councillors and put said report on website
2. Forwarded SCC and SCDC response to Sizewell C Consultation from AR to councillors regarding desirability of a 4 village by-pass
3. Response sent from BPC to Sizewell C Consultation highlighting the potential dangers to the coastline of the construction of a long jetty. (Also response from Cll Mark shared with councillors)
4. Booked Clls Mark and Dovey on Heritage Training morning at Suffolk Preservation Society
5. Invitation sent to Nick Crick to talk to councillors about Bawdsey Coastal Partnership's request for donation of £1,000
6. Shared new details of Alderton shop contact details and ongoing facilities with Bulletin
7. Sent photos and details of vandalism at East Lane to WSNT
8. Sent BQVC invoices relating to water provision to SCDC which has undertaken to repay these
9. New letter sent to Andy Jarvis reiterating the council's position and its continued willingness to pursue its original aim of taking over the amenity site even in a reduced way
10. Information sent to Michaelle Coupe about parking arrangements for 1-4 Ferry Road
11. Planning responses sent regarding Mulberry Cottage, Bawdsey, Beach Ranger's Cottage, Bawdsey and Coastguard House, Shingle Street
12. Police crime figures looked at - none in Bawdsey
13. Date of our Annual Parish Meeting sent to Theresa Coffey's PA

Correspondence received:

1. Planning applications: Mulberry Cottage, Bawdsey and Coastguard House, Shingle Street. NEW Lark Cottage, Shingle Street. Appeal from Cranes Garage rejected
2. Thank you letters received from SARS, CAB, EAAA service, DAS, Felixstowe Coastal Patrol for the £100 each received. This latter sent an informative newsletter detailing the extent of their work
3. Jean Dean of the Patient Participation Group sent new update - sent to Bulletin
4. Email from Police Connect service regarding how to report a crime. Go online to <https://www.suffolk.police.uk/contact-us/report-something/report-crime> The latest newsletter for Woodbridge SNT can be read on: https://www.suffolk.police.uk/sites/suffolk/files/woodbridge_snt_newsletter_february_2017.pdf
5. Update from CATS regarding deterioration of service: They are two drivers down and have taken on two more parishes. Some users are using it as a door-to-door taxi service. A review will be held soon with participation from users invited
6. Responses to Sizewell C Consultation received from a) Joint SCC and SCDC b) The Environment Agency (Please ask clerk if you wish to receive the 22 page letter from the EA)
7. Notification of the Withdrawal from the EU Bill is imminent. Implications for councils regarding Data Protection legislation, Equality and Safety Standards legislation etc.
8. Scottish Power seeking meeting with parishes at the end of the month about Enabling Works and their Highways Management Plan for B1083. Archaeological works will be carried out with regard to EA One soon.
9. AONB expects a monitoring report for their grant to BQVC for the Outdoor Classroom by the end of March
10. Grant from Tesco Bags of Help of £1,000 received from Groundworks. Grant from the Dulverton Trust is deferred until their next review. Co-op token scheme will also review BQVC project again in April.

11. Licence to carry out installation of mains water at amenity site received. (Deed of Variation)
12. Unspent CRF grant £13,300 has been transferred to BPC account from Greensteps and forwarded to SCDC. SCDC has given BQVC £1,846 towards expenditure on water provision.
13. New Health Walks brochure- link sent to Bulletin. See <https://www.walkingforhealth.org.uk/walkfinder/east-england/stepping-out-suffolk-coastal> .
14. News of Launch of Peninsular 2018 Poppy Project sent from Hollesley PC. Meeting on Saturday 29th April at 10.30am in Hollesley Village Hall to discuss this project.
15. New agency Screen Suffolk will be filming at Shingle Street- see information circulating
16. SALC has sent information about a better broadband initiative by SCC. See www.betterbroadbandsuffolk.com for update. There is a Better Broadband Subsidy Scheme and you can find out if you are eligible on this link. Sent to Bulletin.
17. Amount councils can give as charitable donations (section 137) has risen to £7.57 per householder, a rise of 2%
18. New LAIS 1396 Housing White Paper (please ask clerk if you wish the doc to be forwarded)
19. Inspector Roger Salmon from the Suffolk Police is moving on to be replaced by Inspector Andy Pursehouse. The sergeants on the SNTs will remain the same. Ours is Scott Cullum.
20. Quicksand incident at Shingle Street has been monitored by the EA, Mark Johnson