## Clerk's Report to Bawdsey Parish Council Meeting of May 2020

## Clerk's actions:

- 1. Updated police rep Rachael Partridge about current police concerns regarding visitor numbers. Locals advised to secure outbuildings and vehicles.
- 2. Finished end of year accounts 2019-20 and had them internally audited and put on website
- 3. Asked Norse to empty red dog bin outside the recreation ground
- 4. Liaised with PGL and SCC regarding warning signs below Bawdsey Manor and closure of public footpath
- 5. Asked ESC and EA about possible measures for signage at East Lane
- 6. Responded to outline planning application for Middle Barn and sent an additional response to ESC for 17 Acre Barn.
- 7. Circulated reference number for planning application to develop Cranes Garage and let neighbours know
- 8. Asked Chris Dowson of Brooks and Wood Ltd (Orwell Housing) to ask contractors to work more quietly following a complaint
- 9. Responded to SALC consultation regarding any additional needs the PC would like in the wake of Covid19
- 10. New clerk's contract put together. New drafts of policies on grievance procedure, expenses and working from home. Set up new laptop and delivered to TP
- 11. "Attended" Salc Zoom training
- 12. Put up a poster asking for foster parents for SCC
- 13. Supported Sizewell TASC and the Anglian Energy Planning Alliance in a letter to ask EDF to postpone its Development Consent Order to Planning Inspectorate
- 14. Supported Local Energy Bill championing Power for People's rep Steve Shaw
- 15. Set up DD with Red Rocket Web Design Ltd to allow monthly payments for Emergency Phone account
- 16. Asked AONB about legality of flying zones at Shingle Street- reply from Simon Amstutz
- 17. Sent final monitoring form into AONB for receipt of grant for weather station
- 18. Asked local sewer for details of face masks, design and cost-samples received
- 19. Collated figures for visitor numbers at the coast for ESC tourist body
- 20. Advertised Zoom meeting on website and notice board

## **Correspondence received:**

- New regulations from government allowing for virtual PC meetings to take place, prolonging the period before end of year accounts have to be published and postponing the need for a AGM until May 2021
- 2. Letter from High Sheriff of Suffolk thanking councils and enclosing the Queen's speech
- 3. Police sent notice of theft of two spaniels from Alderton, vehicles from Capel St Andrew and Sudbourne
- 4. Email from coastguard warning of cliff falls on Bawdsey beach
- 5. Daily briefings from SCC re Covid19 plus other weekly ones from SALC, East Suffolk Communities and CAS plus others
- 6. New planning applications for development of Cranes Garage.

- 7. The 24 metre lattice connectivity mast on Bawdsey Manor Grounds and the disabled arrangements for the Boathouse café have been permitted.
- 8. Parking fees beginning from the end of May in East Suffolk sites
- 9. Request for more foster parents from SCC
- 10. Green bin collection and bulk collections reinstated. Foxhall Rd recycling site open but registration is needed
- 11. Toilets at the amenity site are now opened and are being deep cleaned once a day