CC Report for the Town Council Meeting 20th April 2023

This report covers the period 11th March to 14th April to ensure the report can be seen by all fellow town councillors with all other council papers prior to the above meeting.

Following on from last month's report:

Belle View Square: No Update.

Macey St: The section concerned was thoroughly scoured on Tuesday 11th April with good effect, now awaiting dates to re-establish the guttering.

Kingsley Avenue: No Update.

Harvey St Flats: Further call made to Housing 5th April response was good and area cleared within 24 hours.

Banking Hub: No Update.

Car Parking Review: The Public Consultation closed on 23 March. Along with some 30 plus CC's across the political spectrum I was a signatory to keeping car parking free all day on Sundays in towns in support of local shops, this is now "being considered" and awaiting response.

Both the Dragons Teeth along the A374 and the white lining in Goad Avenue are now complete.

Keeping on the subject of roads the "20 is plenty" policy being rolled out across the County will be introduced to Torpoint in 2024, dates yet to be finalised, as stated previously Police when available will be able to monitor areas where there is evidence of continuous disregard of the new limits. Torpoint was also successful in its bid in the Year 2 scheme within the local CAP for work to be undertaken on Vicarage Road, no definitive dates as yet.

As some of you may remember there were strong representations being made over planning permission being sought for Industrial units at Trevol Business Park in early 2021. Unfortunately planning permission was granted with conditions attached. The property owner has again failed to meet those conditions and yet another Enforcement Notice has been served, no further details at the moment.

Staying on the Business Park some issues have also arisen concerning the (currently redundant) waste disposal site to the rear of the Park. There have been reports of youngsters gaining access to the site from the adjoining fields starting small fires. It has also come to light that sites such as these are subject to regular surveys by the Environmental Agency (EA) due to what could have been stored. It would appear this particular site has "slipped through the net" and not been assessed for some time. As a result, a joint visit is being arranged by both EA and local fire services to update their records, further details to follow.

CC Meetings attended during this month:

20th March East Sub-Area Planning Bodmin.

One Pensions Meeting missed due to diary clash, joined online late.

Numerous Virtual Meetings, mostly updates and information purposes.

Junction of Carbeile Road/Chapeldown Road

Retaining wall next to Pumping Station Chapeldown Road





Driveway in Chapeldown Road leading down to Pumping Station showing both sides of driveway





Roundabout junction of Sango Road and Chapeldown Road



Pedestrian Pavement directly outside No 35 Chapeldown Road

