# COUNCILLORS' BULLETIN WEDNESDAY, 24 APRIL 2019





South
Cambridgeshire
District Council

1. Meetings and events from Thursday 25 April to Friday 10 May

| Date       | Time    | Name                                     | Venue           | Contact           |
|------------|---------|--|-----------------|-------------------|
| Thu 25 Apr | 4pm     | Employment & Staffing Committee          | Monkfield Room  | Patrick Adams     |
| Fri 26 Apr | 10am    | Grants Advisory Committee                | Council Chamber | <u>Ian Senior</u> |
|            | •       |  |                 |                   |
| Mon 29 Apr |         |  |                 |                   |
| Tue 30 Apr | 9:30am  | Audit & Corporate Governance Committee   | Swansley Room   | Patrick Adams     |
| Wed 1 May  | 10am    | Cabinet                                  | Council Chamber | <u>Ian Senior</u> |
| Thu 2 May  |         |  |                 |                   |
| Fri 3 May  |         |  |                 |                   |
|            |         |  |                 |                   |
| Mon 6 May  |         |  |                 |                   |
| Tue 7 May  | 3pm     | Climate & Environment Advisory Committee | Monkfield Room  | Patrick Adams     |
| Wed 8 May  | 10:30am | Planning Committee                       | Council Chamber | Ian Senior        |
| Thu 9 May  | 10am    | Employment & Staffing Committee          | Monkfield Room  | Patrick Adams     |
| Fri 10 May |         |  |                 |                   |

#### INFORMATION FOR DISTRICT COUNCILLORS AND PARISH COUNCILS

2. Planned Road Closures This Week - A14 Cambridge to Huntingdon Improvement Scheme

Please find attached road closures information for w/c 22 April, in relation to the A14 Cambridge to Huntingdon improvement scheme.

To contact your A14 sections stakeholder manager, please use the email addresses below or the A14 helpline.

Section 1 & 2: Alconbury to the East Coast Main Line

John Birchall - John.Birchall@theA14.com

<u>Section 3:</u> East Coast Main Line to Swavesey **John Birchall** - John.Birchall@theA14.com

Section 4 & 5: Swavesey to Milton

John Akester - john.akester@thea14.com

A14 helpline **0800 270 0114** - This will be answered by a team member during site hours 8am - 5pm and messages can be left at other times. Further updates as the scheme progresses can be found on the <u>website</u>

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### 3. Media Monitoring



Arising from the results of the Member Communication Needs Survey, many members highlighted the fact that residents found out about SCDC matters through the media.

The Council's Communications Team will produce a weekly summary of recent news items to be published in the Bulletin to help keep members informed of recent coverage of SCDC.

Contact the Communications Team for further information.

| Date       | Publication                        | Details   |                 |                                    |
|------------|------------------------------------|---|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>News online           | 30 tonnes of rubbish fly tipped on private property in Cambridgeshire   | <u>Link</u>     |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | ITV News<br>Anglia online          | 30 tonnes of waste fly-tipped on private land in Cambridgeshire village | <u>Link</u>     |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent<br>online | Our essential Easter information guide including bin collections        | <u>Link</u>     |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent           | Industrial sized fly tip in Fulbourn                                    | P4              |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent           | capacity? (Combined Authority)  | P6              |                                    |
| 17/04/2019 | Cambridge<br>Independent           | Concern over Huawei plans (Cllr Topping quoted)                         | P13             |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent           | Essential information for Easter break (bin collections)                | P14             |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent           | Influence village design  | P20             |                                    |
| 17/04/19   | Cambridge<br>News                  | What a load of rubbish  | P15             |                                    |
| 20/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent<br>online | Huawei moves to quell fears over plans for Sawston site                 | <u>Link</u>     | Cllr Peter Topping quoted          |
| 24/04/19   | BBC Radio<br>Cambridgeshire        | c m   | N/A             |                                    |
| 24/04/19   | BBC Radio<br>Cambridgeshire        | campaign and Cllr Neil Gough  | 9<br>mins<br>in |                                    |
| 24/04/19   | Cambridge<br>Independent           | High impact of airfield homes   | P23             | Article about Bourn Airfield plans |

### 4. Items of Interest from the Local Government Association (LGA)

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The Local Government Association provides a list of news headlines relevant to its members. Please click the headlines below for more details.

Friday 19 April: *Guardian:* Rough sleeping figures cannot be trusted, says statistics chief Claims that rough sleeping is falling in England should not be trusted until the Government has explained how an emergency funding scheme for the worst-affected areas might have skewed the figures.

Friday 19 April: Guardian: Land Ownership

An article based on an extract from a new book by campaigner Guy Shrubsole looks at the biggest landowning companies in England and Wales and their influence on planning decisions by Councils.

Monday 22 April: *Telegraph:* Councils urged to fly the flag for historic counties
Historic county day celebrations should be revived to boos community pride, according to new government guidance for councils.

Tuesday 23 April: BBC Online: Council cuts

BBC Online's Reality Check examines whether the most deprived council areas in England have seen more cuts that their better-off neighbours.

Wednesday 24 April: *Guardian:* <u>Universal credit switch to affect half of claimants</u>
Almost two million people will lose more than £1,000 a year following the switch to Universal Credit, according to research from the Institute for Fiscal Studies.

#### 5. View Planning Applications





To view the list of planning applications that have recently been submitted to the Council, please visit the authority's on-line <u>Planning Application Search</u>. Once the page has loaded, you can use the <u>Search option</u> to set your own criteria of parish, area and date range.

The system will provide a range of information on current and decided applications since 1948, including a brief description of the development, reference number, decision and the date of decision. More recent applications show the name and telephone number of the council officer who is dealing with the application.

Search results are presented in a collection of pages, the number of which depends on the number of results your search produces. There are navigation tools to allow you to browse your results.

#### **DECISIONS MADE BY OFFICERS AND REPORTED FOR INFORMATION**

Please click on the link below to find details of decisions made by officers under delegated authority:

https://www.scambs.gov.uk/the-council/access-to-information/access-to-information-summary/

#### **OTHER INFORMATION**

#### 6. Newly-Published Items on modern.gov



#### **Agendas**

- Audit & Corporate Governance
   Committee 30 April 2019

  Only in a 1 May 2010
- Cabinet 1 May 2019

#### **Minutes**

- Audit & Corporate Governance Committee 26 March 2019
- Cabinet 3 April 2019

#### 7. SCDC Starters and Leavers



#### **New Employees at the Council**

Name: Aaron Clarke

Job title: Democratic Services Officer

Date started: 21 March 2019

Name: Ricky Denton

Job title: Neighbourhood Support Officer

Date started: 1 April 2019

Name: Stephen Fenton

Job title: Visiting Support Officer (Housing)

Date started: 8 April 2019

Name: Esther Pickard

Job title: Senior Website Officer Date started: 4 April 2019



#### Staff who have left

Name: Liz Jackson

Job title: Head of Implementation

Date left: 19 April 2019

## Agenda Item 2

#### A14 Cambridge to Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire: major improvements

Construction work on the new A14 Cambridge to Huntingdon scheme is underway. We are currently carrying out a variety of tasks for which we need to close lanes or carriageways on the A1, A14 and some local roads at times, usually overnight between 8pm and 6am, unless otherwise stated. A clearly signed diversion route will always be in place for closures.

For this week, the planned closures are:

#### Full closures

Tuesday 23 to Friday 26 (four nights)

A1 northbound between Buckden and Brampton Hut

Vehicles will be diverted east on the A428, north on the A1198 and west on the A14 to re-join the A1 at Brampton Hut.

A1 southbound between Alconbury and Buckden

Vehicles will be diverted south on the A14 link road, then east on the A14, south on the A1198 and west on the A428 to re-join the A1

 A14 eastbound between Ellington junction 20 and Brampton Hut junction 21

Vehicles will be diverted east on the A605 then south on the A1(M) to the A605 to re-join the A14 at junction 21. Non motorway traffic will be diverted east at Wooley Hill, then north on Ellington Road and Wooley Road to re-join the A14.

Tuesday 23 to Thursday 25 (three nights)

- A14 eastbound Dry Drayton junction 30 to M11 southbound junction 14
   Vehicles will be diverted south on the A1198 at junction 24, then east on the A428 to re-join the A14.
- M11 northbound junction 14 to A14 westbound Dry Drayton junction 30
   Vehicles will be diverted onto the A1303 to join the A428 west, then north on the A1198 to re-join the A14

A1307 inbound

Tuesday 23 to Wednesday 24 (two nights)

A10 northbound at Milton junction 33 gyratory

Vehicles will be diverted north on the A142 at junction 37 to re-join the A10

Friday 26 (one night)

M11 northbound junction 14 to A14 westbound Swavesey junction 28

Vehicles will be diverted onto the A1303 to join the A428 west, then north on the A1198 to re-join the A14

A1307 outbound and local access road

Friday 26 7pm to Sunday 28 7pm

Offord Road

Saturday 27 8.30am to Sunday 28 5.30am

Oakington Road, Dry Drayton

Saturday 27 and Sunday 28 (two nights)

A428 eastbound Madingley to A14 eastbound Milton junction 33

Motorway traffic will travel south on the M11, east on A505 and north on A11 to re-join the A14. Non motorway traffic will be diverted on local roads through Cambridge.

M11 junction 14 exit slip

 A14 westbound between Six Mile Bottom junction 36 and Histon junction 32

Motorway traffic will travel south on the A11, west on the A505 and then north on the M11.

Non motorway traffic will diverted on local roads through Cambridge

For more information about this scheme, visit <a href="http://roads.highways.gov.uk/projects/a14-cambridge-to-huntingdon/">http://roads.highways.gov.uk/projects/a14-cambridge-to-huntingdon/</a>, or stay updated by following us on <a href="https://twitter.com/a14c2h">https://twitter.com/a14c2h</a> and <a href="https://en-gb.facebook.com/A14C2H/">https://en-gb.facebook.com/A14C2H/</a>.

