



**Councillors' Bulletin
Wednesday, 25 August 2021**

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South
Cambridgeshire
District Council

1. Meetings and events from Thursday 26 August to Friday 10 September

Date	Time	Name	Venue	Contact
Thu 26 Aug	-	-	-	-
Fri 27 Aug	10 am	Grants Advisory Committee	Council Chamber	Aaron Clarke
Mon 30 Aug	-	-	-	-
Tue 31 Aug	-	-	-	-
Wed 1 Sep	-	-	-	-
Thu 2 Sep	-	-	-	-
Fri 3 Sep	-	-	-	-
Mon 6 Sep	10 am	Cabinet	Council Chamber	Jonathan Malton
Tue 7 Sep	2 pm	Licensing Committee	Council Chamber	Aaron Clarke
Wed 8 Sep	10 am	Planning Committee	Council Chamber	Democratic Services
Thu 9 Sep	10 am	Civic Affairs Committee	Council Chamber	Patrick Adams
Fri 10 Sep	-	-	-	-

Information for District Councillors

2. River Cam Conservators

Cambridge City Council is responsible for the recruitment of four non-councillor appointments to the board of the Cam Conservators which is a three-year term. The new term starts in January 2022 and positions are now open to individuals who live or work in Cambridgeshire: previously this was Cambridge only.

Please see the advert below and promote it locally, including on social media platforms.



**Independent Board Members to
Conservators of the River Cam**

Cambridge City Council is required to appoint four independent members to the Board of the Conservators of the River Cam for a three-year period starting 1 January 2022.

The Conservators of the River Cam are the Body Corporate who are the Navigation Authority responsible for maintaining the river between the Mill Pond and Bottisham Lock. This is an extremely busy and important stretch of river used by a variety of boat users adding to the

energy of the historical city of Cambridge.

This a voluntary position working alongside Cambridge City and Cambridgeshire County Councillors, representatives from Cambridge University and the Environment Agency, board members are currently expected to attend four board meetings per year and could also serve on one or more of the sub-committees.

The role is very similar to a Trustee of a Charity; however, it is a Statutory (Legal) authority which holds legal responsibilities as contained in the Acts and Byelaws. A personal or commercial interest in the river will need to be declared as part of the application process.

Experience and or an awareness of Corporate/Charity Governance, some knowledge of one or more of the following Health and Safety, HR, Finance, UK GDPR, Landlord/landowner responsibilities and other relevant areas of compliance is essential. You must demonstrate an interest in, and/or have knowledge of, some aspect of the river and its use.

To request an information / application pack please contact Claire Tunnicliffe via email, democratic.services@cambridge.gov.uk

The closing date for receipt of applications is noon on 27 September 2021. Interviews will be held via Microsoft Teams.

For more information on the Conservators, its purpose and work see www.camconservators.co.uk

Salary: Unremunerated
Location: Cambridge

General Information

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

Waste collection staff attacks

Attacks on waste collection crews are on the rise with 164 refuse workers targeted last year. Many attacks are said to be caused by rubbish not being taken away because it does not comply with guidelines or as a result of motorists being held up. Cllr Darren Rodwell, LGA environment spokesperson, said: "Any attack on a refuse collector, verbal or physical, is completely unacceptable. Nobody should have to experience this shameful behaviour whilst carrying out their job."

The Sun: Abuse and threats to bin crews piling up

Booster jabs to start within weeks

Booster COVID-19 vaccines for the most vulnerable could start within two weeks, but healthy over-70s may have to wait until more evidence from trials is available. Ministers announced a £1 billion deal yesterday for a further 35 million doses of the Pfizer vaccine to ensure all over-50s have access to extra jabs this year and next. The number of patients in hospital with COVID-19 hit 6,000 yesterday for the first time in more than five months and is up 11 per cent on the total for the previous week.

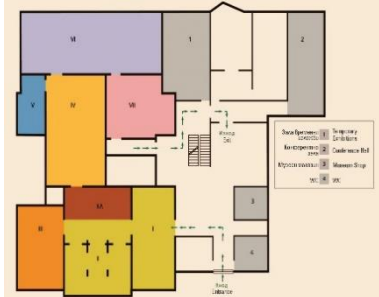
[The Times: Covid booster vaccine for most vulnerable within weeks but rest must wait \(£\)](#)

Average weekly COVID deaths high

Deaths due to COVID-19 are averaging 100 a day across the UK, the highest since March, as scientists warn of a potential increase when schools return next week. Professor Ravi Gupta of the New and Emerging Respiratory Virus Threats Advisory Group (Nervtag) said the return to classrooms will likely bring with it a period of high hospital admissions and continuing disruption. Confirmed infections are also rising, with 31,914 cases reported on Monday, seeing the seven-day average increasing by 13 per cent compared to the previous week.

[The Guardian: UK Covid deaths average 100 a day with fears of rise when schools return](#)

4. View Planning Applications



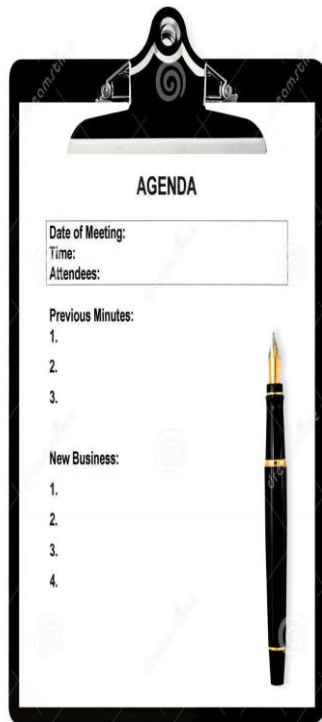
To view the list of planning applications that have recently been submitted to the Council, please visit the authority's on-line [Planning Application Search](#).

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.

Other Information

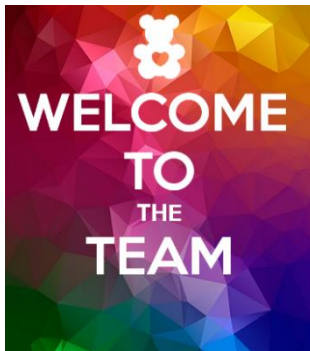
5. Newly-Published Items on modern.gov



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Minutes of Cabinet, 30 July 2021

6. The Council's Starters and Leavers



New Employees at the Council



Staff who have moved jobs

Miss Nicky Cattell started with the organisation on 16/08/2021. They will be working as a Temp Finance in the Temp Finance team and reporting to Mrs Karen Hazel

Miss Ayse S Kahraman started with the organisation on 01/08/2021. They will be working as a Temp Transformation in the Temp Transformation team and reporting to Mr Gareth Bell.

Mr Josh Coogan started with the organisation on 23/08/2021. They will be working as an HR Apprentice in the HR and OD Team team and reporting to Mrs Helen A Cornwell.

Miss Poppy Smith has started with the organisation on 23/08/2021. They will be working as a Business Support Officer in the Licensing team and reporting to Mrs Jane Jackson.



Staff who have left

Mr Luke Rhenius will be leaving on 25/08/2021

Miss Jen Turner will be left on 20/08/2021

Mrs Natalie J Silgram will be leaving on 31/08/2021