



**Councillors' Bulletin  
Wednesday, 19 January  
2022**

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South  
Cambridgeshire  
District Council

**1. Meetings and events from Thursday 20 January to Friday 4 February**

Date	Time	Name	Venue	Contact
Thu 20 Jan	-	-	-	-
Fri 21 Jan	10 am	Audit & Corporate Governance Committee - CANCELLED	-	-
Mon 24 Jan	-	-	-	-
Tue 25 Jan	10 am	<a href="#">Licensing Appeals Sub-Committee</a>	Council Chamber	<a href="#">Aaron Clarke</a>
Wed 26 Jan	-	-	-	-
Thu 27 Jan	-	-	-	-
Fri 28 Jan	10 am	<a href="#">Planning Committee (Northstowe)</a>	Council Chamber	<a href="#">Laurence Damary-Homan</a>
Mon 31 Jan	2 pm	<a href="#">Grants Advisory Committee</a>	Council Chamber	<a href="#">Aaron Clarke</a>
Tue 1 Feb	-	-	-	-
Wed 2 Feb	-	-	-	-
Thu 3 Feb	-	-	-	-
Fri 4 Feb	10 am	<a href="#">Audit &amp; Corporate Governance Committee</a>	Council Chamber	<a href="#">Patrick Adams</a>

**Information for District Councillors and Parish Councils**

**2. Road Closures for Week Beginning 17 January due to A14 Improvements**

Please find attached road closures information for week commencing 17 January in relation to the A14 Cambridge to Huntingdon improvement scheme.

For all queries relating to the scheme, please email:  
[A14CambridgeHuntingdon@highwaysengland.co.uk](mailto:A14CambridgeHuntingdon@highwaysengland.co.uk)

Further updates on scheme progress can be found on their [website](#).

**3. Stay Well: Digital Link & Communication Plan**

Please find a [link](#) to Cambridgeshire Council Council's Stay Well Digital Pack. Their Communications Plan is attached.

**4. Volunteering in Your Community**

We would like to thank all volunteers across the District who have supported our most vulnerable residents throughout the pandemic. Volunteering is known to improve both physical

and mental health and wellbeing, increase confidence, provide new skills and valuable work experience along with a sense of connection to others in the community. If you've volunteered your time during the pandemic and are thinking about getting involved in other community projects, we would love to hear from you! Check out our [Community action case studies webpage](#) for inspiration from other local groups. If you'd like to find out more about the support we can offer, please email Emma Dyer at [CLP@scambs.gov.uk](mailto:CLP@scambs.gov.uk)

Following our successful event on 22 November showcasing local community action and community led plans, we are holding another [event on 7 March](#). The event will showcase more ideas for community action projects and provide information about the difference between a 'Neighbourhood' and 'Community-Led' Plan

**In addition, CCVS are offering [two free online Volunteer Fairs](#)- 1-2pm on both Tuesday 25 January and Tuesday 1 February. These sessions, held over two lunchtimes will help you find out what roles are available in your community, what would suit you, and how to get involved.**

Some fantastic organisations are presenting, who offer a mixture of face to face, and virtual volunteering. Some offer training and require a regular commitment while others want as little as a few hours to help out at a fun event.

**Feel free to attend for part of an event if that's all you can manage – and bring your lunch!** There will be short presentations followed by opportunities to ask questions.

The schedule of organisations who will be presenting and booking details can be found on the [CCVS website](#). Booking is essential to receive the link to join the event.

## General Information

### 5. Media Monitoring



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

Please contact the [Communications Team](#) for further information.

Date	Publication	Details		
13/01/22	Transport Xtra online	Proposed Cambridge South railway station 'must meet' council's high ambitions on biodiversity	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
13/01/22	Cambridgeshire Live online	New Cambridge planning rules mean houses must meet specific wildlife requirement	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
13/01/22	Cambridgeshire Live online	Work to start on widening path along A10 between Waterbeach and Milton	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
13/01/22	Local Government Lawyer online	Councils win appeal over final injunctions against unauthorised encampment and prevention of newcomers occupying land	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
14/01/22	Cambridge	Bird boxes to be built by house	P2	-

	News	developers		
14/01/22	Cambridge News	Works lined up for widening of A10 pedestrian and cycle path	P7	-
14/01/22	Cambridgeshire Live online	North East Cambridge 8,000 homes plan slammed over 'hidden green belt destruction'	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
14/01/22	Cambs Times online	8,000 homes plan criticised over 'hidden green belt destruction'	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
14/01/22	Cambridge Independent online	8,350-home North East Cambridge district will deter visitors by having no large leisure facilities	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
14/01/22	Cambridgeshire Live online	EV charging points roll-out struggling across Cambs district after setbacks	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
15/01/22	Cambridge News	Have your say on buildings that are special to your community	P3	-
15/01/22	Cambridge News	Council to look at own land to install car charge points	P6	-
15/01/22	Cambridge News	8,000 home plan slammed as 'hidden destruction'	P7	-
17/01/22	In Your Area online	Cambridge and South Cambridgeshire planning applications for week ending January 17	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
18/01/22	Cambridge Network online	Business can apply now for latest support grants	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
18/01/22	Cambridge News	Consultation to help map out the future of Mill Road	P6	GCP article
18/01/22	Planning Resource online	City council adopts policy seeking 20 per cent biodiversity net gain	<a href="#">Link</a>	-
19/01/22	Cambridge Independent	Column from Cllr Richard Williams: Development plans are the real threat to district's villages	P8	-
19/01/22	Cambridge Independent	Trust will seek funds from developers to expand country park	P8	-
19/01/22	Cambridge Independent	Safety audit raised alarm over new A10 cycle path	P10	-
19/01/21	Cambridge Independent	Letter: A mismatch of demand and supply for water	P28	-
19/01/21	Cambridge Independent	Double your money - increased funding from community chest	P30	-
19/01/21	Cambridge Independent	COVID grant aid available in district	P45	-

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



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

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

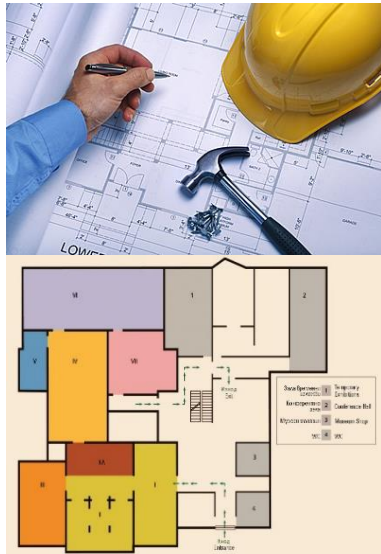
#### Thursday 13 January, BBC News Online: [No English river is free from pollution](#)

A report by the Environmental Audit Commission has found that all English rivers are polluted, with raw sewage, microplastics and slurry being identified in them.

**Saturday 15 January, BBC Radio 4 You & Yours: [Impact of Omicron on council services](#)**  
LGA Chairman Cllr James Jamieson appeared on BBC Radio 4's You & Yours to discuss the impact of the Omicron variant on council services.

**Wednesday 19 January, Telegraph: [Rural broadband](#)**  
A report by the Commons Public Accounts Committee has accused the Government of having "no clear plan" to get broadband connections to remote communities, where installing conventional broadband is not financially viable for private companies.

## 7. 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.

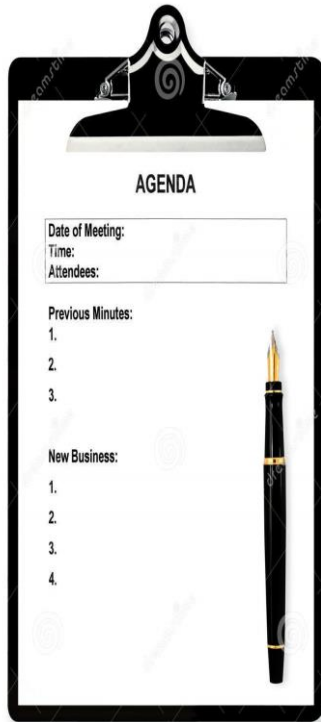
Search results are presented in a collection of pages, the number of which depends on the number of results your search produces. There are navigation tools to allow you to browse your results.

## Decisions Made By Officers and Reported For Information

Please click on the link to find details of decisions made by [officers under delegated authority](#).

## Other Information

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



## Agendas

[Licensing Appeals Sub-Committee 25 Jan](#)

## Decisions

[Omicron Hospitality and Leisure Grants Support Policy](#)

## 9. The Council's Starters and Leavers



### New Employees at the Council

Name: Kathryn Beck  
Job title: Northstowe Community Development Officer

### Staff who have moved jobs

Name: Mihaela Stan  
New job: Northstowe Community Development Officer