

CLERK'S GENERAL REPORT FROM 26TH AUGUST 2020 TO 29TH SEPTEMBER 2020.

Finance/Administration.

Everything is up to date.

Enquiries are being made regarding the provision of a new Parish Council website host, and this is proving to be a rather difficult task and will eventually involve initial expenditure circa £750.00 plus ongoing annual costs estimated at £200 - £250.

The 2nd half-year precept payment has been received.

Corresponding with Rivenhall End residents re the fallen tree branches on the land to the rear of their property.

General Maintenance.

The maintenance contractor has been requested to trim back the vegetation overhanging the footway along Henry Dixon Road, between the railway bridge and just past the notice board.

New path r/o Village Hall.

Further detailed information is awaited from BDC.

Highway Maintenance.

The Chairman has again requested that ECC reinstate the lost Quiet Lane sign for rectory Lane. ECC apologise for this omission and confirm that it will be done.

CCTV Cameras.

BDC. Have given the following costs for the additional CCTV cameras: 2x Browning Dark Ops Pro X cameras £261.66; 2x C Spypoint Mounting Arm Camo £49.92; 2X Scandisk Ultra SD Cards £40; £351.58 plus VAT £70.32. Total £421.90.

Tarecroft Wood entrance car park.

The Chairman has submitted an ECC Locality Grant application for the erection of a gate at the car park entrance together with the erection of a pole to support a CCTV camera.

Playing Field Tree Planting.

Reply awaited from BDC, but the RPFA apparently voted against the scheme which in effect means that a new site will be required should RPC continue with a tree planting scheme.

Colemans Quarry.

I have nothing further to report.

Proposed development South of Rickstones Road.

No work yet to construct the temporary car park off Rectory Lane.

SEND School, Rickstones Road.

Construction work has commenced on site.

Public Rights of Way.

I have nothing further to report.

A12 Chelmsford to A120 Widening.

Forum documents forwarded to Councillors via email on 2nd September 2020.

Bradwell Quarry.

I have nothing further to report.

BDLHP..

I have nothing to report at this time.

Liaison with Chairman.

Liaison with the Chairman upon various items of correspondence, the agenda for the next meeting and planning application documents as necessary.

Keith Taylor (Parish Clerk)
28th September 2020.