



# Whiteparish Parish Council

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## PARISH COUNCIL NOTES

### Co-option

At the December meeting Mrs Tracie Flynn was co-opted onto Whiteparish Parish Council.

### Parish Precept 2021/2022

It was agreed that the precept is set with the intention that there is no change for the Band D rate at £70.50, making the precept £50,277.78, therefore ensuring the Parish Council complies with its' Financial Reserves Policy.

### Temporary Road Closures

#### • Common Road

Wiltshire Council has notified that Common Road, Whiteparish will be closed from 18<sup>th</sup> January and it is anticipated that the closure will be required for 2 days. This is to enable Wiltshire Council to carry out carriageway repairs.

#### • Newton Lane

Wiltshire Council has notified that Newton Lane (Part) Whiteparish will be closed on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2021 to enable BT to carry out carry out equipment testing and associated works.

### Permitted Development Rights

The Parish Council has raised concerns with Wiltshire Council planning department regarding permitted development rights and when they become applicable on a dwelling after the Local Planning Authority have granted planning consent. It appears this matter is not defined and the Parish Council has raised the particular issue with Wiltshire Council enforcement planning department.

### Nitrogen Mitigation within the River Test catchment

Further to a new dwelling being constructed within Whiteparish it has been brought to the Parish Councils attention that nitrogen neutrality will be required for all new additional development which create overnight occupancy for the foreseeable future. Developers will need to set aside land for a change in management i.e. native woodland planting, to secure the necessary nitrogen reductions to offset the proposed allocations to achieve neutrality within the [River Test catchment](#).

The Parish Council is currently pursuing Wiltshire Council enforcement planning department and a senior ecologist regarding a nitrate neutrality planning condition that is not being complied with.

### Wiltshire Well Being Hub

If you are self-isolating due to coronavirus (COVID-19) and you need help and do not have any family, friends or neighbours who can support you please let Wiltshire Council know.

They are there to help you with:

- deliveries of food and other essentials;
- loneliness and wellbeing;
- or if you are self-isolating due to coronavirus (COVID-19).
- They can be contacted on 0300 0034576 and email [wellbeinghub@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:wellbeinghub@wiltshire.gov.uk)

### NEXT MEETING

The next Parish Council meeting is on Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> January 2021. The meeting will, provisionally, be held virtually. Villagers are invited to attend the meetings. For further information please contact the Parish Clerk at [clerk@whiteparish-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@whiteparish-pc.gov.uk)