

CAMBOURNE TOWN COUNCIL

District of South Cambridgeshire

Council Meeting 8th June 2021

Town Clerks Report

Below is a short update on activities since the 4th May 2021. Some elements are covered by separate agenda items.

- Liaising Craig Newton, Operations Manager, Tim Deer Operations Team, Local Test and Trace, Public Health Directorate, Cambridgeshire County Council over the running of the Cambourne LFT and future usage.

From the 3rd February 2021 to the 30th April 2021 4,781 tests have been carried out there were 30 positive tests and 5414 negative tests this meant that 30 people who were asymptomatic (showing no symptoms) were asked to isolate and not spread the infection, thus breaking the chain of infection.

- South Cambs District Council second meeting with members of the Area 3 Planning Team. The main issue was the lack of staff which was delaying some applications. Planning Department is due to carry out a service review over the next 12 months looking at how they work with people including Parishes.
- South Cambs District Council Covid-19 community update there was a general update on the pandemic and the Government Road map.
- Further meetings to progress the formation of Cambourne Town Football Club.
- Virtual meeting organised by Anthony Browne MP regarding East West Rail this was primarily attended by parishes to the north of Cambourne and Hardwick. There was a lot of discussion on the route of the railway with a preference for it to have a station south of Cambourne going to a south Cambridge station. Additional EWR meetings regarding the consultation and clarification of some issues.
- Further meetings to progress the formation of Cambourne Town Football Club.
- Cambourne 10k update meeting regarding steps to enable the race to proceed on the 26th September 2021.
- West Cambourne meeting with Kam from Ellipsis regarding the new cycle lane in Swansley Lane. Further meeting and correspondence resolving an issue over street naming.
- Meetings at the skate park in relation to the removal of the old skate park and the making good of the Tarmac on removal.
- Meeting with Louise Ward Development Officer Sustainable Communities and Well being Team at SCDC and the Town Chairman, regarding the Heads of Terms for Bourn Airfield in relation to the contribution for Indoor Sport.

- Post tender and design meetings following award of contract for the construction of the new Youth Building.

It is:

Recommended that: the report be received