

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF LYMPSTONE PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT 7.30PM ON MONDAY  
2<sup>nd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019 IN THE VILLAGE HALL.**

PRESENT:	
<b>Councillors</b>	D Atkins, C Ducker, R Eastley, K Hill, K Rogers and D Young.
<b>Clerk</b>	Miss L Tyrrell
<b>County Councillors</b>	R Scott
<b>District Councillors</b>	B Ingham
<b>Public</b>	15 members

The Chairman hoped everyone present had a lovely summer break and welcomed all back to the Council meeting. She reminded the public they had three minutes to speak on any item on the agenda and invited members to participate.

**Public Session**

A resident asked where the sign to Exeter had gone from the bottom of Burgmann's Hill. He felt this could divert a lot of traffic out of the village sooner rather than always driving through the village. The Chair added that it was a good point and would check with Highways. He also explained how he felt the new pedestrian crossing at the bottom of Courtlands dip was dangerous as road users could not see pedestrians approaching the crossing. He felt the lights changed very quickly and should have more of a delay timer on them to prevent an accident.

Another resident asked about the planning application 19/1557/CPL she felt the application was in a conservation area and the buildings to be demolished were alongside a listed wall. She felt the application proposed was out of keeping within the area and could not understand how the application could even be entertained. She felt it would destroy the beauty of that part of the village. The resident also shared concerns of the erosion of the high bank and felt the future rights and safety of the immediate area should be protected. Another resident fully supported what had been said.

Cllr Atkins announced that the DAAT had awarded the village a certificate of thanks for the money raised from the village fete back in July. He reminded everyone that 9-15 September was National Air Ambulance Week and announced upcoming fetes to further support DAAT. Cllr Atkins explained he would like to see the certificate displayed.

**19/51 Apologies:**

Cllr Scott had sent apologies that he would be late to the meeting.

The Chairman announced the resignation of Cllr Angela Connolly-Cole over the summer and asked members of the public to consider volunteering for the Parish Council.

**19/52 Minutes**

Cllr Atkins proposed the minutes were accurate. Cllr Eastley seconded. Unanimous.

*RESOLVED that the PC minutes of the meetings held on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019 be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.*

**19/53 To receive any Declarations of Interest**

19/1625/COU – Cllr Eastley declared an interest.

**19/54 Presentation from Jurassic Fibre Broadband**

Four employees from Jurassic Fibre presented to all members:

*JFL was founded on 21 June 2018, by Michael Maltby, a resident of Sidmouth with extensive international telecoms experience to build a fibre to the premise network across 350,000 premises of Devon, Somerset and Dorset. It currently employs 30 people in the UK and Jamaica (where its network design office is) and will employ over 50 by the end of 2019. Jurassic Fibre is funded by Fern Trading Limited, a well-known infrastructure investor. Fern is advised by Octopus Investments, an FSA Regulated entity with £8bn of assets under management. The leadership team has a successful track record creating and delivering FTTx programmes both nationally and internationally. Full fibre offers far more reliable, consistent and faster connections – with speeds of up to 1 gigabit per second.*

Jurassic Fibre would become more present in the Parish. They would be conducting interviews and holding a public consultation to discuss ideas in more detail.

*RESOLVED that the full Powerpoint presentation would be added to the website.*

**19/55 Guest speaker Mr Twamley, EDDC NP Officer**

Mr Twamley spoke to all members about Lympstone's Neighbourhood Plan (LNP). He explained that there was no obligation to review the plan, but added it was healthy to review the plan after five years of it being implemented. He explained that objectives would have evolved and completed which needed updating and ensure it was still policy compliant with local and national plans. He added that there were three types of modification for a plan: 1) basic changes/minor modifications 2) material modification which do not change the plan and 3) material modification which do change the plan (and would require a referendum). He advised that he felt Lympstone had a basic structure in place with good steering policies and only minor tweaks and changes would be necessary. LNP was still policy compliant. He added that a housing need survey could be considered but EDDC did have a five-year land supply in place and Lympstone already had plenty of allocated and provided sites. He explained that an NP had to be adopted within two years to protect the future of the area. The Chair asked if a supplement could be added to the plan rather than a review. Mr Twamley explained that it had to be supportive documents rather than new information. He also reminded the PC that there was a new pot of funding available for the NP review. He recommended that it was important to decide on the changes required then go back to EDDC for further advice. He added that EDDC were not concerned with LNP, so time was not of the essence, but it was a positive move to refresh it.

The Chair asked for a timescale for the review. Mr Twamley added that the review could take as long as was needed. The policies could remain in place until new larger policies were introduced. The LNP could be adopted and amended accordingly in line with national changes. Lympstone would be the first to review their NP. Mr Twamley recommended a review at 2022 as there were major policies due from Government and the LNP could be integrated with the new changes.

Cllr Atkins explained that the review of LNP had begun and he felt the grammar and wording used needed tightening as there was criticism of EDDC not taking any notice of LNP. He would like the wording updated.

The Chair asked if the wording could be tweaked and reinforced meaning of the language used. Mr Twamley explained the NP was submitted and an examiner would decide if it needed to go to a referendum or not. If the examiner agreed to the reviewed changes then it would be adopted.

A resident asked about the two-year catchment time period and how a PC could stay ahead of being overruled by local government. Another resident asked about the housing need survey. Mr Twamley explained you could justify the housing needs that's required and point people into the direction of current allocations. A review would last for four years and show due care and diligence in the community.

**19/56 Clerk's report (see attachments):**

**19/56.1 LPC Rules and Regs for using PCs fields and risk assessment.**

Cllr Atkins proposed the documents were adopted. The Chairman seconded. Unan.  
*RESOLVED That the Clerk to use these documents for future requests from members of the public to use the PCs fields.*

**19/56.2 The Green**

Cllr Atkins raised the issue of the PC land being driven over by a vehicle at the house next to the Green. The Chair proposed a peppercorn rent should be issued to the owner of the vehicle. Cllr Hill seconded. Unan.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk send a letter to the owner requesting a peppercorn rent of £1 a year to access his parking space over PC land.*

The Chairman proposed that SWW should replace the worn locked post on the Green as they used it to access the sewer works. She also felt the Harbour Board should be copied in. Unan.

A resident asked if the post was there to stop people launching boats. Cllr Atkins responded and explained the post was put in to stop people parking boats on the slip way and allow clear access for SWW to the sewer works. Cllr Hill added that he would discuss this with the Harbour Board.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk would write to SWW regarding a new locked post.*

- 19/56.3 LFC Contract** – Agree the terms for LFC.  
The following points were raised that needed amending: (e) delete, 11) tweak insurance to ‘before’ contract is signed and add: Any additional play must be requested by the PC and use Cliff Field (as the grass is stronger).  
*RESOLVED that Cllr Hill will make the necessary changes to the contract.*
- It was also highlighted that LFC used to pay £50 per year to use Cliff Field and this had not been kept up to date. Therefore, it was suggested that this fee be waived for the grass cutting on Candy’s field to the hedge and the strip of grass between the two pitches.  
A resident asked if LFC had enough public liability insurance to play in a field where other children and toddlers play.  
*RESOLVED that Cllr Ducker would check LFCs insurance for clarification.*
- 19/56.4 Confirm Gulliford Payment**  
Cllr Atkins was still not satisfied that the wall had been completed as the pointing had not been done.  
The Chair explained there would be a joint site meeting with the Cllrs from WPC before any money was released to the contractor.
- 19/56.5 Sign from FOGBG at Gulliford Burial Ground**  
Unan.  
*RESOLVED that the Clerk let FOGBG know their sign has the PCs permission to be erected.*
- 19/56.6 Grant Requests:**  
WI re: *Community defibrillator and bench*  
Deferred  
  
LFC re: *kit* – Cllr Atkins added that he was not happy with more public money being allocated to LFC unless any present public members disagreed. The Chair proposed to allocate 50% of the grant request. Cllr Ducker seconded. Cllr Atkins voted against.  
*RESOLVED that the Clerk let LFC know that 50% of their grant request had been awarded.*
- Community Hub re: *War memorial* – Linda Lyons was present and asked for the PCs support with the repainting of four names of the men from WW2 on the war memorial. She had contacted the war graves commission who had asked for the community to provide the funding. A resident explained that a stone mason had repainted all the names about three years ago.  
*RESOLVED Cllr Scott would let the Clerk know of a contact.*
- 19/56.7 Meeting with National Trust**  
Unan.  
*RESOLVED that the Clerk let the NT know the agreed date of Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm on site to discuss both Avenue and Cliff Field.*
- 19/56.8 Correspondence Received**  
The Mill footpath  
The Clerk read the correspondence received from Mr Goddard and Mrs Letcher asking for the PCs support to appeal against the DCC Order to change the footpath through the Mill to a bridleway.  
A resident added that with rain fall the pathway became treacherous. Mrs Goddard also invited the PC to meet with herself on site. Another resident explained that the DCC had seemingly ignored all previous letters of opposition. The gates in the field had always been there, the footpath had never been a bridleway and was concerned for users of the footpath welfare and safety.  
Cllr Atkins agreed that the field had always been a field and was concerned of future users encroaching further into the field. The parallel stream had always been the bridleway and should remain.

Cllr Atkins proposed the PC object against DCCs order and support the Goddard's appeal. Cllr Young seconded. Unan.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk write to DCC on behalf of LPC to oppose the order. Clerk to also copy letter to Mrs Goddard.*

Dog Fouling

The Clerk read the correspondence received from Mr and Mrs McCarthy regarding irresponsible dog owners in the village. The Clerk explained that she had contacted EDDC dog warden who had sent some stickers to put up around the village. The Clerk had also requested stencils to be sprayed on the footpath around Candy's Field from Streetscene, EDDC. Cllr Ducker added that the stencils had been painted. The Chairman reminded all that dog poo waste could be bagged and placed in the mixed waste bins as well as the red dog poo bins.

Traffic

The Clerk read the correspondence received from Ms Williams regarding the traffic through the village driving without due care and attention. It was dangerous and had damaged property. This letter was passed on to the Getting Around Group to investigate.

Pre School and plants

The Clerk read the correspondence from Mrs Drinkwater at Lympstone Pre-School regarding planting a three-foot flowerbed outside the fence and in Candy's Field. The Chair was weary of a garden outside of the pre-school encroaching in the public open space, becoming a target for vandalism and its maintenance. She felt the pre-school had room to plant a sensory garden inside the fence in their own garden.

The Chair proposed that the pre-school plant their garden inside their fence. Cllr Young seconded. Unan.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk let the pre-school know they can create a sensory flowerbed inside their fence.*

Community Hub Village event

Linda Lyons spoke about the upcoming village event on the 22<sup>nd</sup> September at the Village Hall. It would be a free event where all village groups, clubs and societies would be present to share and celebrate what they do. There would be free refreshments and activities to try.

The event would be sponsored by the Community Hub. She especially welcomed newcomers to the Parish to attend. Linda was keen to hear from anyone who still wished to be involved with the event or simply volunteer and help. She would also like ideas on how money raised from the community hub could be spent towards more community events.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk add this event to the Herald.*

*RESOLVED that Linda to email Cllr Young all the information to add to the website.*

Lympstone Garden Club

The Clerk read the correspondence of thanks to the PC for their grant awarded.

**19/56.9 Zurich Insurance Renewal**

Unan.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk pay the renewal of the PCs insurance.*

**19/56.10 Fire service proposals and consultation**

The Clerk reminded all that the public consultation finished on the 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019.

**19/56.11 East Devon Heaths public consultation**

The Clerk reminded all about the open public consultation regarding East Devon Heaths.

**19/56.12 Lympstone Cemetery Gates**

Deferred.

**19/56.13 Finance - Payments / Financial summary / Budget report**

The Clerk explained and it was noted that the second part of the precept had been paid by EDDC of £23,396.00 to LPC on 30/08/19 but this was not shown on the Receipts. Cllr Atkins proposed to approve the payments and receipts. He noted the financial summary and budget report. Cllr Young seconded. Unan.

*RESOLVED that the following payments be approved:*

**Payments (July/August 2019):**

01/07/19	DD	PLUSNET ref: 3453454-1				£39.98
1/7/19	2589	Mr Ian Scott - Plants				£10.00
01/07/19	2590	Diamond Facilitation				£368.00
01/07/19	2591	A Western				£595.00
01/07/19	2592	Optima Graphics - Herald printing				£405.00
01/07/19	2593	P Corcos - Screwfix (replacement hasp and staple safety)				£13.98
01/07/19	2594	Mrs C Edworthy - Wages June 2019				£237.48
01/07/19	2595	Miss L Tyrrell - wages June 2019				£801.54
01/07/19	2596	Miss L Tyrrell - expenses June 2019				£131.64
01/07/19	2597	HMRC - Tax and NI June 2019				£11.26
01/07/19	2598	J. Morrish				£600.00
09/07/19	2599	DALC				£168.00
09/07/18	2600	Bespoke Web Designs				£355.00
09/07/19	2601	A Western (June)				£532.50
04/07/19	DD	EDF - Lights in toilets REF: 671024465401				£16.00
15/07/19	DD	EDF - Lighting, Candys Field Acc no: 9208111111				£67.97
15/07/19	DD	EDF - YC Electricity REF: 671079829135				£34.00
15/07/19	DD	EDF - YC Gas REF: 671079829166				£56.00
22/07/19	2602	Optima Graphics - Herald printing				£405.00
22/07/19	2603	X2 Connect Ltd				£1,293.60
22/07/19	2604	HMRC - NI July				£25.89
22/07/19	2605	Mrs C Edworthy - Wages July 2019				£242.73
22/07/19	2606	Miss L Tyrrell - wages July 2019				£908.83
22/07/19	2607	Miss L Tyrrell - expenses July 2019				£206.56
25/07/19	2608	Gulliford Joint Committee -LPC contribution for wall repair				£4,500.00
30/07/19	DD	PLUSNET ref: 3453454-1				£39.98
05/08/19	DD	EDF - Lights in toilets REF: 671024465401				£16.00
07/08/19	2609	Lympstone Gardening Club				£135.00
07/08/19	2610	A Western				£550.00
07/08/19	2611	P Acca - Toilet repairs				£76.34
07/08/19	2612	Bespoke Web Designs				£114.50
15/08/19	DD	EDF - Lighting, Candys Field Acc no: 9208111111				£69.68
15/08/19	DD	EDF - YC Gas REF: 671079829166				£56.00
15/08/19	DD	EDF - YC Electricity REF: 671079829135				£34.00

**Receipts (July/August 2019)**

05/07/2019	500400	Gegg - Gallagher burial				830.00
06/07/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - Peter Bond				135.00

10/07/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - Haynes Katherine			10.00
17/07/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - Baker Zoe S GEALE			9.00
30/07/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - HARDY JD			58.50
30/07/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - HARDY P&JD			58.50
30/07/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - House-IT Limited			135.00
02/08/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - JOSS J			54.00
06/08/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - COWPER+ LANE			45.00
07/08/2019	500401	Hickson - internment of ashes			552.00
07/08/2019	500401	Herald Advert - T Matthews			135.00
15/08/2019	FPI	ORCHARD MEMORIALS - Moilliet			45.00
17/08/2019	FPI	Herald Advert - J Moffatt			45.00

**Financial summary (July/August 2019):**

Opening balance 1/4/19:	59,756.00
Total receipts as of 31st August 19:	85,785.54
Total Payments as of 31st August 19:	37,109.03
Running balance as of 31st August 19:	48,676.51

**Budget Monitoring (July/August 2019):**

Expenditure		Budget	Spent	Balance
Code	Item			
10	VAT	£5,000.00	£911.82	4,088.18
100	S137 *	£500.00	£0.00	500.00
101	Other Grants	£1,000.00	£496.94	503.06
201	Clerk's Salary	£10,000.00	£5,211.54	4,788.46
202	Clerks Expenses	£800.00	£457.58	342.42
203	Office expenses	£1,200.00	£397.11	802.89
208	Village Hall Hire	£0.00	£0.00	0.00
209	Miscellaneous	£500.00	£0.00	500.00
301	Chairman's Allowance	£150.00	£0.00	150.00
302	Subs	£600.00	£452.78	147.22
307	Courses, Travel etc	£500.00	£250.00	250.00
308	Insurance, Audit, Elections	£3,500.00	£1,743.68	1,756.32
313	Miscellaneous inc Beacon bonfire	£500.00	£6,995.47	-6,495.47
400	Herald Printing	£4,500.00	£2,052.00	2,448.00
602	Grass Cut	£4,000.00	£2,275.00	1,725.00
605	Other Maintenance	£1,000.00	£1,078.00	-78.00
608	General tree work inc Candys Field	£500.00	£230.00	270.00
612	Bin emptying	£500.00	£686.67	-186.67
616	Handyman	£4,000.00	£492.50	3,507.50
618	Notice Boards - Maintenance	£100.00	£0.00	100.00
633	Play Equipment Mtce	£1,000.00	£89.50	910.50
640	Lighting in Candy's field	£600.00	£328.07	271.93
701	Toilets inc: wages, consumables, rsates, elec, utilities, repairs	£5,600.00	£2,257.11	3,342.89
702	Flood equipment and Maintenance	£500.00	£13.98	486.02
703	LFRG expenses	£500.00	£96.44	403.56
706	Gulliford Cemetery	£800.00	£9,260.00	-8,460.00
800	Burial Ground	£500.00	£125.00	375.00

1101	Youth Club Building Maintenance	£1,000.00	£63.43	936.57
1102	YC Utilities	£2,000.00	£581.72	1,418.28
1300	Website etc	£400.00	£538.00	-138.00
1400	Adverse weather	£200.00	£30.00	170.00
1500	Gully cleaning and jetting	£2,000.00	£0.00	2,000.00
2100	Parishes Together	£1,500.00	£1,575.00	-75.00
2300	Community Hub Projects	£0.00	£797.50	-797.50
2400	Cont to repairs to VH Car Park	£500.00	£0.00	500.00
2500	DCC Funding	£0.00	£0.00	0.00
2600	YC Recharge	£0.00	£0.00	0.00
	Total	£50,950.00	£38,575.02	£12,374.98
	Add VAT		£911.82	
	Total		£39,486.84	

19/56.14 **Clerk's Action List**

*RESOLVED that the Council received and noted the Clerk's action list.*

**19/57 Reports from the Chairman, East Devon District Councillors and Devon County Councillors**

The Chairman reported that the fallen wall at Gulliford Burial ground had now been rebuilt and was completed. She added that Gulliford burial ground had two very successful open days over the summer and FOGBG were working very hard to promote this ancient burial ground and raise awareness of the beauty and historic value of this area. The Chairman added that she was very much looking forward to the community event being held in the Village Hall. The Chairman reported that a replacement door for the old red phone box had arrived and was waiting to be fitted. She also added that the public toilets had received a deep clean over the summer and the PC was now considering the next steps and future improvements.

District Cllr Ingham added that he believed the LNP did need minor changes and upgrading. Having something done now would protect the Parish for a further two years. He added that EDDC do take notice of LNP but can also use some of the wording to their advantage which needed further clarification. He felt it was straightforward to tighten and make it more robust. He added that the Local Plan should take five years to rewrite and he was keen for the Local Plan to be tweaked quickly regarding climate change that needed immediately tackling. He believed that the PC must let the community decide how to move the LNP forward.

County Cllr Scott explained that once an order from DCC had been written, anyone who wished to appeal against a decision must submit a new letter expressing views. Previous submitted letters and evidence were closed. The application to appeal should be open by December 2019. Cllr Scott added that alongside the NHS in Devon, the County Council is asking the public to share their views through an online survey and welcomed comments.

*RESOLVED that Cllr Scott would send the Clerk the NHS survey email to include in the Herald and on the website.*

**19/58 Planning Applications**

**19/1557/CPL** – Certificate of lawfulness for the provision of a porous hard surface to be used for any purpose incidental to the enjoyment of The Workshop, Longmeadow Road, Lympstone EX8 5LF a dwellinghouse at any point outlined in red on the attached plan.

A resident asked how a decision could be made on the application unless it was clear what was being applied for. The Chair agreed that this would need clarifying.

*RESOLVED That the Clerk clarify the wording of the planning application with EDDC.*

*RESOLVED that the Clerk arrange a site meeting before submitting a response from the PC to EDDC.*

**19/1483/FUL** - Change of use of land from agricultural to domestic curtilage at Great Loxhill  
*RESOLVED that the Clerk arrange a site meeting before submitting a response from the PC to EDDC.*

**19/1745/TRE** - G1, Sycamore : remove stems from building T3, Hornbeam : remove T4, Lime : remove 3 stems T7, Oak : stem up to 10m T8, Oak : sever G11, Sycamore : sever G12, sycamore : sever G13, Sycamore : sever G14 Hazel : remove stems from building G15, Ash/Sweet Chestnut/False Acacia : remove stems from building at The Rectory.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk arrange a site meeting before submitting a response from the PC to EDDC.*

*RESOLVED that the tree warden be invited to the site meeting.*

**19/1625/COU** - Change of use of land from agriculture to campsite for the siting of up to 30 caravans/motor homes at Greenacres Campsite, Hulham Road.

The Chair shared her concerns of the amount of caravans/motor homes proposed and the dangerous bend the access to the site was situated and proposed to object. Cllr Young seconded. Unan.

*RECOMMENDATION: OBJECT to this application to the amount of caravans/motor homes proposed and the danger of the blind access situated on the corner to the campsite.*

*RESOLVED that the Clerk submit the recommendation from LPC to EDDC.*

**19/1801/FUL** - Demolition of Highcliffe Bungalow and Highcliffe Mews, and construction of one replacement dwelling at Highcliffe Bungalow.

Residents spoke out and shared their concerns of how this application affected them regarding: the shared boundaries, the bank, the retaining wall which propped Quay Lane and the Cliff side. They highlighted and asked what checks had been done to prevent any landslide from the Cliff. They also highlighted the conservation area this application was in.

Cllr Eastley added that this application would lead to a dwelling lost and was not in keeping with the streetscene. It was not a stable site due to the Cliff and overdevelopment. It was overlooking neighbours' properties, in a conservation area and sited next to a listed building. He proposed to object. The Chairman seconded.

*RESOLVED that the Clerk arrange a site meeting before submitting a response from the PC to EDDC.*

#### **19/59 EDDC Planning decisions**

*RESOLVED that the EDDC decisions were noted.*

#### **19/60 Toddler Play Area and Activity Trail**

POSTPONED

#### **19/61 Matters raised by Councillors**

Cllr Hill reported the findings of the Traffic survey held during the summer (see Appendix 1). The Chairman gave a huge thank you to all members of the Getting Around Group for all their hard work and the many volunteers that had helped throughout the surveys and gathering the important data to use as evidence for future actions.

*RESOLVED that the GA Group would send the data found from the survey to Cllr Young for the website.*

Meeting closed **10.05pm**

Chairman:

Date:

## Appendix 1:

### **Getting Around Group – report to LPC - 2 September 2019**

#### **Traffic Count Survey**

Firstly, the Group would like to thank all the volunteers who gave up their time to take part in the **Traffic Count Survey**.

The Traffic Count Survey of traffic both by vehicle, cycle, train or on foot entering and leaving the village on Tuesday 23rd July – Weekday Survey 07:30 to 19:30 and Saturday 27th July – Weekend Survey 07:30 to 19:30. We also did pedestrian and cyclist spot counts on the Exe Trail at the Rail Station and a survey of the use of the Car Park. ALRUG also counted passengers to and from Exmouth and Exeter using the Railway

The 4 locations where we counted inbound and outbound traffic by vehicle category for 12 hours were:

Nutwell Road between A379 and 30 limit,

Meeting Lane -Between A379 and Strawberry Hill,

Longmeadow Road near traffic light / bottom of Maltfield

Sowden End "The Beach" as this is a road section of the Cycle Path.

#### **Summary of highlights from the data.**

Road Use:

- It was noted that a high number of vehicles exiting the Village via the Sadlers Arms junction against the number entering via Meeting Lane. This is probably due to the poor visibility when exiting Meeting Lane onto the A379.
- A notable number of Artisan Vans entered early on Tuesday morning;
- Volume of traffic [Tuesday 1756 in / 1819 out – Saturday 1472 in / 1553 out] are in line with a Village of our size.
- The number of HGVs [Tuesday 7 – Saturday 14] is high for routes that are not through roads. One HGV following Sat Nav could not progress beyond Sowden End and had to reverse. Another knocked the wall down on the corner of Bergmans Hill
- The current roads are increasingly becoming unsuitable due to the increasing size of all vehicles. The LPC & Highways Dept will need to formulate a long term plan to cope with this and it should also be taken into consideration when reviewing planning applications.

Cycle path:

- The biggest surprise was the use of the Exe Estuary Trail.
  - Cyclists Inbound and Outbound Total - Tuesday 1074 / Saturday 1354
  - Pedestrians Inbound and Outbound Total - Tuesday 255 / Saturday 577
  - 8 persons on mobility scooters were using the trail, some to visit the shops in Exmouth.
- I was believed that 20 to 30 people use the Trail to cycle through the village to work between 7am and 9am
- The ratio of Exe Trail users was roughly equally male or female.

Station & Car Park:

- ALRUG data showed Rail use figures were similar to data collected in 2017.
- The Car Park had spaces throughout the survey period of 7am to 7pm so this is not an issue for daytime visitors.
- There was no evidence of cars with cycle racks except for one that belongs to a resident.

This count data will be used to inform any proposal put forward to the Parish Council by the Getting Around Group.

Ongoing activities by the Getting Around Group:

- Emergency Services Access;
- Large Vehicle Access;
- Parking Space / Garage Survey;
- Car Parks and On Street Parking;
- Cycle Path and Exe Trail;
- Pavements and Footpaths;
- Signage;
- Behavioural Changes & Impact Review;
- Communications & Presence on Website and in Herald;

If you would like further detailed information on the traffic survey please contact Keith Hill via the Village website.