

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT TO FULL COUNCIL 25TH FEBRUARY 2019

AS COUNCILLORS WE ARE ALL DUTY BOUND BY THE NOLAN PRINCIPLES OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO OPENESS AND TRANSPARENCY. THIS IS SUPPLEMENTED BY OUR RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER FREEDOM OF INFORMATION LEGISLATION WHICH WE ARE HAPPY TO COMPLY WITH.

HOWEVER, I HAVE ASKED THE PARISH CLERK TO IDENTIFY THE TOTAL COSTS



INCURRED BY MPC WHEN DEALING WITH FOI ENQUIRIES, PARTICULARLY REPETITIVE ONES. THESE DATA WILL BE DISCLOSED PUBLICLY AT THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING ON THE 13TH MAY IN THIS HALL AND PUBLISHED ON OUR WEBSITE AND IN OUR MAGAZINE SO PARISHIONERS WILL BE AWARE OF THE COSTS WHICH ALL OF US WHO LIVE IN THE VILLAGE HAVE TO PAY.

WE ALL NOW HAVE OUR NEW I.D. BADGES WHICH ARE PARTICULARLY USEFUL WHEN COUNCILLORS VISIT SENSITIVE AREAS, SUCH AS PLAYGROUNDS, ON COUNCIL BUSINESS WHICH HAPPENS FREQUENTLY.

WE WERE INFORMED BY NORFOLK PARISH TRAINING AND SUPPORT THAT THE WORD "STAFF" IS APPROPRIATE FOR THE LANYARDS TO WHICH YOUR BADGES ARE ATTACHED.

REGARDING OUR NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN (NP) I INFORMED COUNCIL LAST MONTH THAT I HAD REQUESTED STATS RELATING TO CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AND UNIVERSITY PLACEMENTS FOR THEIR STUDENTS FROM PASTON AND I AM AWAITING THESE. HOPEFULLY THEY WILL ARRIVE AHEAD OF THE PARISH EVENT WHEN WE WILL SOLICIT INPUT TO THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN FROM PARISHIONERS.

MYSELF, BARRY SMITH AND DOREEN ATTENDED A MEETING WITH THE "LIVING HISTORY" PROJECT LEADER FROM NNDC ON THE SEAFRONT AND WE WERE VERY IMPRESSED WITH THIS PROJECT AND WHAT IT WILL DO FOR MUNDESLEY. IT MAKES EXTENSIVE USE OF VIRTUAL REALITY TECHNOLOGY WITH TOUCH ACCESS BY MOBILE PHONES. A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC WILL SIMPLY "TOUCH" WOODEN PLINTHS WITH THEIR PHONE TO GENERATE IMAGES AND HISTORICAL INFORMATION AS WELL AS OFFERS FROM LOCAL TRADERS IF THEY WISH TO PARTICIPATE. (NNDC ARE CONTACTING THEM). IT WILL ALSO GENERATE THE INEVITABLE TRAIL OF "HOW WAS YOUR EXPERIENCE" ON THE MOBILE PHONE. AS YOU ARE AWARE THERE IS A DEDICATED EVENT RELATING TO THIS PROJECT ON 6TH MARCH AT TRIMINGHAM VILLAGE HALL STARTING 12:00 NOON OR A SECOND SESSION AT 5:00PM. PLEASE LET DOREEN KNOW BY MID DAY THURSDAY 28TH FEB WHICH IF ANY SESSION YOU WISH TO ATTEND.

PRESENTATION FROM COASTWATCH

THOSE OF YOU WHO WERE PRESENT AT OUR LAST FCM MAY RECALL MY REPORTING BACK TO COUNCIL THAT DUNCAN MCKENZIE HAD TOLD ME EVERYTHING WAS "TICKETTY-BOO" BETWEEN COASTWATCH AND MPC, AS FAR AS HE WAS CONCERNED. IT CERTAINLY IS AS FAR AS I AM CONCERNED AND THIS

**EVENING DUNCAN HAS KINDLY AGREED TO MAKE A PRESENTATION TO US
EXPLAINING WHAT THEY DO AND HOW THEY ADD VALUE TO OUR COMMUNITY, SO
DUNCAN OVER TO YOU.**